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May 4.
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THE DAILY NEWS

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LORDS' VETO BILL PASSES HOUSE OF COMMONS

WILL RECOMMEND THAT DRILL HALL BE BUILT

Col. Wadmore, Commanding Military District of British Columbia Makes Welcome Announcement—Congratulates Earl Grey's Rifles on Their Efficiency and Showing

"It goes without saying that as commanding officer of this district I shall do all in my power to persuade the Dominion Government to build a good armory and drill hall in Prince Rupert. Such a building is badly needed here and must come quickly if any degree of military efficiency is to be attained by Earl Grey's Rifles," said Colonel Wadmore, district officer commanding Military district No. 11, which covers the whole of British Columbia, who arrived here yesterday for the purpose of making an official inspection of Earl Grey's Rifles.

Colonel Wadmore inspected the regiment last night in the drill hall, saw the men put through all the various drills and then gave them a talk on military matters.

He urged particularly the necessity of discipline and the value to a soldier of a knowledge of skirmishing. Realizing the conditions under which the regiment is working the colonel considered there is not much room for complaint. He congratulated Captain Stork on having a body of men of such fine physique under his command.

At the conclusion of the parade Captain Stork addressed his men advising them to heed what the colonel had said and pointing out that to attain the efficiency rested with the rank and file not with the officers alone. He expressed, on behalf of himself and the regiment, the pleasure felt through the visit of the officer of the district. Last night's parade closes the drills for the season.

This morning Colonel Wadmore inspected the arms and equipment of the regiment and also of the Rifle Association in company with Captain Stork and Lieutenant McMorris and Agnew.

The colonel was much interested in Color Sergeant George Leek

and they spent a little time together talking military matters.

This afternoon the visitor inspected the rifle ranges across the harbor in company with the officers of Earl Grey's Rifles.

AUSTRALIA IS ALARMED

Danger of Oriental Invasion Seriously Feared

NAVY NONE TOO SOON

Hon. Frank Wilson, Premier of Western Australia, Makes a Statement at Vancouver on His Way to Coronation.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
Vancouver, May 4.—Australia certainly fears the possibility of an Oriental invasion. The fact was clearly expressed by Hon. Frank Wilson, Premier of Western Australia, who arrived here last night on the S. S. Zealandia on his way to the Coronation.

"Unless we people Australia, we shall lose it," he remarked. "The defence movement towards the construction of an Australian Navy has not begun a day too soon. It is a very necessary movement. So also, is the movement on foot now to have compulsory military service in Australia."

"HANDS OFF"

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
Baltimore, May 4.—The United States is adopting a policy of "Hands off" and will not seek to extend its domains or acquire foreign territory. This statement was made by President Taft in his speech today on the opening of the Third National Peace Congress.

FOR BENEFIT OF SETTLERS WILL EXPLORE INTERIOR

Messrs. Weir and White, Two Agricultural and Horticultural Experts, Engaged by B. C. Government to Gather Valuable Information—A Long Journey

By boat to Hazelton from here, then from there on horse back loaded down with provisions, tents, traps and charts to ride through hundreds of square miles of the interior country as representatives of the Provincial Government of British Columbia for the purpose of acquiring every particle of reliable information on the agricultural and horticultural possibilities of the country through which they will travel. E. A. Weir and E. W. White, two young experts from the Ontario Agricultural College, at Guelph, will leave here early next week. They arrived here yesterday.

On arrival at Hazelton, Government Agent Ellison will have horses ready for the experts to start on their journey that will not be completed until next fall, when they will emerge from the wilderness with several months' growth of beard, hearts longing to get back to civilization and

conventionality but with information that will be published by the government and be of priceless worth to intending settlers in the interior country.

Where They Will Go

Their itinerary will take them up to the Kispiox Valley into the districts of several lakes in the vast hinterland, down through the Bulkley Valley and up and down and across the stretch of rich country each side of the G. T. P. main line. Soils and subsoils will be tested, wild flowers and trees will be noted, plants and undergrowth will be examined, settlers will be interviewed to learn of the climatic conditions of the district. What crops can be grown on the soil will be found out from the Indians who have lived here for years in log huts in the wild uncultivated hinterland. In short, everything that

TO VETO THE PEER'S POWER

Bill Passes Committee of the British House

OPPOSITION VANISHED

Even Mr. Balfour Offered no Opposition to the Preamble—Its Adoption by the House is Almost Certainty.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
London, May 4.—The Parliament Bill—the bill to veto the power of the House of Lords—was passed by a committee of the whole of the House of Commons today. The refusal of Mr. Balfour to vote against the preamble removed any danger that might have been apprehended from a revolt of the Laborites against the preamble. Unionist opposition seems to have faded away completely. The adoption of the Bill by the House is practically certain.

Glad Tidings

Alderman Hilditch was strong enough to sit up in bed yesterday. He will be placed on the convalescent list in a few days.

A NEW MODERATOR

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
Vancouver, May 4.—At the opening of the synod of the Presbyterian church here last night Rev. J. S. Henderson of New Westminster was unanimously chosen as moderator of British Columbia

BASEBALL SCORES

All Games Off on Account of Rain

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
All baseball games were postponed yesterday on account of rain.—North Western League Special.

- National League**
Boston 4, Philadelphia 3.
Chicago 8, Cincinnati 2.
New York 3, Brooklyn 0.
Pittsburg 8, St. Louis 4.
- American League**
Cleveland 8, Chicago 7.
Philadelphia 13, New York 4.
Detroit 5, St. Louis 2.
Washington 3, Boston 6.
- Pacific Coast League**
Sacramento 1, Oakland 9.
Los Angeles 9, Frisco 4.

BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS

Population of Coast Cities Keeps Increasing

VANCOUVER 145,000 NOW

Twenty Thousand Better Than Last Year's Increase According to Directory Co.'s Enumerators. Good Omen for Prince Rupert.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
Vancouver, May 4.—According to the directory companies' enumerators the population of Vancouver is now 145,000 an increase of twenty thousand over last year's figures. Indications are in favor of a still greater increase this season, which will be partly shown by the census figures when they are published.

UNIONIST RETURNED

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
London, May 4.—L. O. Amery, Unionist, was returned unopposed for South Birmingham today. The seat previously was held by Viscount Morpeth, a Unionist.

SEATTLE FOLK ARE SORE WITH ENGINEER THOMSON

It is All Over His Prince Rupert Trip—Sunday Times Accuses Him of Going to "Foreign Countries" to Pick "Easy Money"—Came Without Leave of Absence

There appears to be some sore feeling down in Seattle about the visit to Prince Rupert of Mr. R. H. Thomson, city engineer of Seattle, to consult with Colonel Davis on the waterworks plans. The Seattle Times of last Sunday has two big seven column headlines across the top of the front page which read: "Thomson Again Picks Easy Money" and "City Engineer Doing Work For Other Cities."

The apparent vitriolic article in the Times reads as follows:

Reginald H. Thomson, city engineer, drawing a salary of \$7,000 a year, will return to Seattle next Wednesday with \$2,500 paid to him by the city of Prince Rupert for three days' work in reviewing plans already prepared by the local engineer for a new water system in that city. For a period of nearly two weeks Seattle has been without the services of an engineer other than can be provided by assistants, and not in many instances satisfactory for the reason that Thomson holds the master key in many districts where people insist that there should be immediate action on improvements where delays have been frequent and of long standing.

Thomson is supposed to have gone to British Columbia on a leave-of-absence granted by Mayor George W. Dilling and authorized by the street committee of the city council, of which Councilman J. A. Goddard is chairman. Yesterday afternoon Goddard denied all knowledge of the alleged leave-of-absence; declared that his committee had not authorized it, and that if Thomson has remained away from Seattle for ten days it was without any authority coming from any member of the council or from any committee.

This leaves Mayor Dilling responsible for the leave, and Goddard

insists that he should bear the burden rather than the committee of which he is the head.

Denying the report that Thomson had been given authority or even sanction for a leave by the street and sewer committee, Goddard said:

"Ten days ago when members of the council went to the Cedar River watershed on a tour of inspection, Thomson talked to me on the way up on the train. He explained to me that he had been invited to go to Prince Rupert to pass on plans for the installation of a water system, including a new dam, and that he would be paid \$2,500 for the trip. He explained that he needed the money for the reason that he had been required of late to pay heavy grade and other assessments.

"Following this explanation he told me that Prince Rupert officials had proposed an entirely new dam construction that might give him an opportunity to learn details of value to Seattle. Along these lines he explained that he would take enough Seattle work along to keep him busy on the four days required to reach Prince Rupert and the four days on the return, with the suggestion that he would, while in that city, obtain copies of the proposed plans for the waterworks system which might be of value to the city of Seattle in its plan for extensions. I did not agree to the plan; just listened, and when Mayor Dilling makes the statement that the street committee agreed to the leave for the engineer he is making an assertion that is not true.

"I did listen to Thomson, gave no indication of what attitude the committee would take in granting a leave to go to a foreign country, and the statement that my committee had agreed to it was entirely wrong."

WILL BUILD BIG SMELTER AND EMPLOY A THOUSAND

President J. P. Graves of Granby Smelting Co., With Party of Officials Arrived in the City Yesterday to Look Over the Ground—Interested in Hidden Creek Mine and Want a Location

To look for a site for a two thousand ton smelter to employ a thousand men, and have a weekly payroll of \$42,000—that is one of the things that a party of prominent mining men are now looking for in this district. It is quite possible, that Prince Rupert itself may be selected as the site, if coking facilities can be arranged. The party is headed by Mr. J. P. Graves, president of the Granby Consolidated Mining and Power Company of Phoenix and Grand Forks, B. C., and is visiting the Hidden Creek Mine on Goose Bay. The Granby Company holds an option on this valuable low-grade copper-gold property covering about 80 per cent of the property and representing nearly half a million dollars. The present visit is one of investigation with a view to regarding the taking over of the property and its extensive development to handle a large out-put.

Highly Qualified Men

Accompanying Mr. Graves are Mr. F. M. Silvester, assistant manager, Mr. W. A. Williams, smelter superintendent, Mr. W. I. Williams, consulting engineer, and Mr. O. B. Smith, Jr., mining superintendent of the Granby Co., also Mr. B. Lawrence, mining engineer, New York, and Mr. M. K. Rogers the well-known mining man of this coast, who retains his interest in the Hidden Creek property which he purchased along with Mr. Hodgins from the original locators of the mine-prospect. Mr. Rogers has a vast experience of mining matters in these districts, having operated on the Alaska Coast for years, and his advice regarding this property is valuable.

Thorough Investigation

The party of experts will thor-

oughly investigate the mine and the whole conditions of the district with a view to large development. Already development on a less extensive scale is being carried on, but the intention is to prepare for the getting out of enough ore to keep a smelting plant going, handling at least two thousand tons per day.

A most important question to be settled is the location of the smelter. For this purpose Mr. W. A. Williams accompanies the party. He will consider the merits of various places along the coast with a view to the establishment of the plant, and also the merits of the mine with the other members of the party.

Prince Rupert's Position

Possibly Prince Rupert may have the smelter. In an interview specially granted to the Daily News, Mr. J. P. Graves stated definitely that Prince Rupert was being considered with this in view. In establishing a smelter much depends upon the supply of coke, and the coal prospects about Prince Rupert are being therefore considered.

"In the event of our deciding to establish our plant in Prince Rupert," remarked Mr. Graves, "we should aim at handling not only the output of ore from our own Hidden Creek mine, but also copper, gold, and silver ores from other properties throughout the district. We should handle probably four thousand tons a day at least. On this basis the smelting of low-grade ore pays best as we have found at Grand Forks.

Two Thousand Employees

"About a thousand men are required to handle a two thousand ton smelter, and correspondingly more for a plant of double that

capacity. At an average wage rate of \$3.50 per man per day, the payroll would come to \$7000 per day or \$42,000 per week.

"You must understand of course, that the present visit is one of investigation for the purpose of reporting to the Granby Company's offices at New York. A scheme of development involving such a large outlay must of course be well considered.

Prince Rupert Looks Good

"But I may say that I am immensely impressed with the wonderful waterways leading to Prince Rupert, and am seriously considering the advantages of Prince Rupert as a terminus of the Grand Trunk Transcontinental line, with a view to the shipping of ore and smelter-product right through to Boston and New York. I understand that by the Grand Trunk Pacific it will take only five days to transfer the consignment from sea to sea. This is exactly what it takes via Seattle, therefore the time taken in shipping to Seattle is saved by the Prince Rupert route. This in view of economies in insurance, etc., is an important consideration, and one which very materially affects all plans for the development on a large scale of this Hidden Creek property."

Party Now at Mine

Mr. Graves and his party arrived by the Prince Rupert yesterday, and left last night by steamer for Naas Harbor to proceed thence by launch or tug boat to Goose Bay and the Hidden Creek. Mr. Graves will remain there for three or four days, and the others of the party for longer periods. Their reports when prepared will be forwarded to New York, and development work will speedily follow their approval by the principals of the Granby Co.

HOUSE MAY ADJOURN TILL AFTER THE CORONATION

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Mr. Borden in Close Conference All This Morning—Rumored That An Arrangement to Adjourn Till Fall Will be Made

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
Ottawa, May 4.—The air is thick with rumors this morning, about prorogation being arranged for the 18th of May, with an extra session to be called in September to complete the work of the House.

It is learned that no such agreement has been made, though only such an agreement can break the present dead-lock. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Mr. Borden were in conference all the morning, and will submit the results of their labors to their respective caucuses later in the day. The proposition it is understood relates to a proposed adjournment, not to a prorogation. The feeling of the rank and file on both sides is against an adjournment, though both favor prorogation.

It is stated that the Premier

intends to sail on May 12th to attend the Coronation, even at the risk of postponing the reciprocity agreement for another session.

LOST WITH ALL HANDS

No Survivors Traced of Steamer Yongala

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
Vancouver, May 4.—No trace has been found of any survivor of the steamer Yongala which went down in a gale off the Queen'sland coast recently. There were 141 passengers and crew on board. Wreckage was found indicating that a disaster had taken place, but advices brought by the S. S. Zealandia last night state that not a single survivor has been found though search has been made.

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"The newspaper, with the law, should assume the accused innocent until proven guilty; should be the friend, not the enemy of the general public; the defender, not the invader of private life and the assailant of personal character. It should be, as it were, a keeper of the public conscience."—Henry Watterson.

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THURSDAY, MAY 4

THE NEEDS OF PORCHER ISLAND

Twenty miles away from Prince Rupert lies Porcher Island, the vegetable garden for the Tsimpsaan Peninsula, and the nearest large piece of arable land to Prince Rupert. Its settlement is of vital interest to the people of Northern British Columbia in general and of the vegetable dealers and vegetable eaters of Prince Rupert in particular. That settlement would be much helped by the giving of a better mail and steambot service to the Island.

On the north, Refuge Bay is now in receipt of a mail service, and is a regular port of call for the vessels on the Graham Island run. The dwellers at Refuge Bay have no cause for complaint. Further south however, at Spillar River a large settlement has sprung up, which is isolated from the world so far as mail service and boat service is concerned. There are forty-five men within a radius of two miles at Spillar River, and settlement would be much helped if they were brought closer into touch with the world. There are only three families there, said to relate, for as some of the settlers say, "It isn't fair to take a woman into a place where there's no means of communication."

The irony of it is that the settlers there see almost daily some vessel or another passing the settlement on its way to or from Prince Rupert. The place is on the route of the northern run, only a mile or so from the steambot track. If the boats took the channel on the west side of Kennedy Island instead of the east channel they would be even nearer. The channel is buoyed and charted, and the settlers claim there is deep water up to within sixty feet of the shore. The harbor at Spillar River is a safe one. Indeed in heavy weather it is a favorite resort for storm bound steamers. There would be no navigation difficulties about making a call with mail and freight once a week.

At present the settlers have to row ten miles to Claxton on the mainland for supplies. Their mail they trust to receiving when one or other of their number makes a visit in a sailboat to Prince Rupert. This is a matter which the mail and steambot authorities might do well to look into. It would prove a general benefit if Spillar River and any other of the settlements could be made a port of call.

The settlers claim that owing to the lack of steambot transportation last fall hundreds of heads of celery and a lot of potatoes were left to rot in the ground. This was a loss both to them and to us. Sixteen mineral claims are being worked for copper and iron by George Keyes and his partner, but they cannot ship ore or put on gangs until transportation is arranged. Six free milling claims on Lewis Island, opposite the mouth of the river have just changed hands, and a crusher is on its way to the Island, and much more in the way of development could be done if facilities were granted.

We all live by trade and production; that is a truth that requires no argument. For our own interest, it would be a good thing to help the development of Porcher Island, and make possible a mutual interchange of trade and products.

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DON'T WANT DAY'S LABOR
Seventh Ave. Residents Make a Protest to Council
PREFER CONTRACT PLAN

Do Not Want to Let the New Public Works Department Experiment on Them—Are Circulating a Petition.

Residents of Seventh avenue petitioned the city council at last meeting to have a plankway put in on Seventh avenue. They mentioned especially in their petition that they did not want the work done by day's labor, but by contract. When the council moved in favor of granting the petition, day's labor was the method adopted. This has not met with the approval of a number of the residents and a second petition is now being got up against the doing of the work by day's labor on the ground that it will be far too dear. So far quite a number of names have been signed to the second petition though the residents of that district are really anxious to have the plankway in. Several who do not at all favor the day's labor proposition are however, unwilling to sign against the work lest it should not go on at all.

CROW'S NEST LABOR WAR
Will be a Stubborn Struggle and Long Continued
SHUT DOWN PLANTS
J. P. Graves of Granby Mine and Smelter Co. Says They Will Cease Work in Thirty Days, and Other Plants Must Follow Suit.

"I do not think there is any prospect of a speedy settlement of the miners' strike in the Crow's Nest Pass district," said Mr. J. P. Graves, managing director of the Granby Consolidated Mining and Smelter Co. of Phoenix, last night. "As stock-holders the Granby Co. is interested in the Crow's Nest Coal and Coke Co. at Fernie. Coke is an important item in smelter work, and since the strike was declared we have been drawing on our coke reserve. We have later been able to keep only six out of eight furnaces going, and even thus reduced, our operations can only be continued for about thirty or forty days longer. We shall have to close down then. The strike seems likely to be a stubborn one and long continued, and it will have the effect of closing down all plants using Crow's Nest coal and coke in a short time."

Dance—Weekly dance every Saturday in the K. of P. Hall 4-26m
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es: Some Good Printing Costs Too Much, Too
It's the same as with other good things. The temptation to charge "stiff prices" for high class things, or high class service, is always natural. But it's not always justifiable—not even usually. For in all artistry nowadays the standard is higher—the doom of the commonplace is pronounced. So that, as to printing, high grade work is not apt to cost you more than its worth; still, you can pay more for it at some places than at others—and this shop is one of the "others."

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte
Take notice that George Frizzell of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation butcher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles west and two miles south of the mouth of Stanley Creek where it empties into Naden Harbor, Graham Island, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated March 17, 1911. GEORGE FRIZZELL
Numa Demers, Agent
Pub. April 7.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Lionel Kingsley of Vancouver, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted near the southeast corner of Lot 992, Range 5, Coast District, thence west 40 chains, thence north 60 chains to point of commencement.
Dated March 24, 1911. LIONEL KINGSLEY
Pub. April 22.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Mrs. John G. Colver of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 12 chains west and 120 chains south from the mouth of Stanley Creek, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.
Dated March 24, 1911. MRS. JOHN (Lottie) COLVER
Pub. April 4, 1911.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, J. G. McNaab of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Section 3, Township 2, Graham Island, and marked J. G. McNaab, S. E. Corner, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.
Dated March 17, 1911. J. G. McNaab
Wilson Gowling, Agent
Pub. March 25.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Charles Morris of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins and one mile in a northerly direction from the Lava Lake trail, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 3, 1911. CHARLES MORRIS
Pub. Mar. 10. Joseph Belway, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte
Take notice that Geo. H. Laux of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation barber, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about one mile west and two miles south of the mouth of Stanley Creek, Naden Harbor, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.
Dated March 17, 1911. GEO. H. LAUX
Pub. April 22. Numa Demers, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Clara May Little of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation spinner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner of Range 5, Coast District, thence east 40 chains, thence north 25 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 25 chains to point of commencement, containing 112 acres more or less.
Dated March 31, 1911. CLARA MAY LITTLE
Pub. April 15.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte
Take notice that Hubert O. Crew of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 1.2 miles west and half a mile south of the mouth of Stanley Creek where it empties into Naden Harbor, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.
Dated March 17, 1911. HUBERT O. CREW
Numa Demers, Agent
Pub. April 7.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Edith Alice Green of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation restaurant keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of surveyed Lot 1712, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated March 17, 1911. EDITH ALICE GREEN
Pub. March 25. Joseph Belway, Agent

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Andrew Cummings of Vancouver, B. C., occupation cook, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted three and one-half miles in an easterly direction from the point on Naas River where the Lava Lake trail begins and one mile in a northerly direction from the said Lava Lake trail, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 2, 1911. ANDREW CUMMINGS
Joseph Belway, Agent
Pub. Mar. 10.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, William Franklin Carpenter of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation restaurant keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of surveyed Lot 1712, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated March 17, 1911. WILLIAM FRANKLIN CARPENTER
Pub. March 25.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte
Take notice that George W. Arnold of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation real estate broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles west and one mile south of the mouth of Stanley Creek, Naden Harbor, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated March 17, 1911. G. W. ARNOLD
Numa Demers, Agent
Pub. April 22.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Glenn McArthur of Vancouver, B. C., occupation customs officer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 18 chains north west of the customs warehouse at Skizkie, B. C., thence east 40 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 400 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 13, 1911. CHRISTIAN A. TERVO
Pub. April 7.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, John McDowell of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation hotelkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
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Dated Feb. 13, 1911. JOHN McDOWELL
Joseph Belway, Agent
Pub. March 10.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE
Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Joseph Belway of Vancouver, B. C., occupation traveller, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about seven miles west and one mile south of the mouth of Stanley Creek, Naden Harbor, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated March 17, 1911. J. H. MURPHY
Numa Demers, Agent
Pub. April 22.

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Take notice that I, Glenn McArthur of Vancouver, B. C., occupation customs officer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 18 chains north west of the customs warehouse at Skizkie, B. C., thence east 40 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 400 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 13, 1911. CHRISTIAN A. TERVO
Pub. April 7.

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Dated Feb. 13, 1911. CHRISTIAN A. TERVO
Pub. April 7.

LAND LEASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that I, Severin A. Tallander of Porcher Island, occupation ship master, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the N.W. corner of lot 1302, thence west to low water mark, thence south along low water mark 25 chains more or less, thence east to S.W. corner of lot 1302, thence north along high water mark (being the westerly boundary of lot 1302) 25 chains more or less to point of commencement and containing all foreshore in front of lot 1302.
SPYVERN ALEXANDER TALLENDER
Pub. March 18.

COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted four miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-ei River and marked J. M. L. W. Corner, No. 35, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 23, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Clarence McDowell, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

COAL NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of the Tl-ei River and marked John McLeod, N. E. Corner, No. 45, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 22, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Leslie E. Walter, Agent
Pub. Feb. 24.

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Commencing at a post planted about four miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-ei River and marked J. M. L. W. Corner, No. 36, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 23, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Clarence McDowell, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about five miles north and one mile west of the mouth of the Tl-ei River and marked J. M. L. W. Corner, No. 24, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 26, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Clarence McDowell, Agent
Pub. Feb. 28.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte
Take notice that Catherine Harrison, of Calgaire Alberta, occupation spinner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 6.2 miles west and half a mile south from the mouth of Stanley Creek, where it empties into Naden Harbor, Graham Island, thence 40 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains west to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.
Dated March 17, 1911. CATHERINE HARRISON
Numa Demers, Agent
Pub. Apr. 7.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

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Commencing at a post planted about four miles south and two miles west of the mouth of the Tl-ei River and marked J. M. L. W. Corner, No. 45, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
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Clarence McDowell, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

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Dated Feb. 23, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Clarence McDowell, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

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Clarence McDowell, Agent
Pub. Feb. 25.

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Clarence McDowell, Agent
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COAL NOTICE

Sitkine Land District—District of Cassiar.
Take notice that Christian A. Tervo of Sitkine, B. C., occupation customs officer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about three-quarters of a mile north east from Glacier Hill and on the east bank of Sitkine River and on the west side of the mouth of a little creek, thence 40 chains north, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 10, 1911. CHRISTIAN A. TERVO
Pub. April 7.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5.
Take notice that Angus Beaton of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Lot 3957, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains south, thence about 60 chains to Lake Lake, thence meandering said lake shore in a northerly direction to point of commencement, containing 170 acres, more or less.
Dated Feb. 14, 1911. ANGUS BEATON
Pub. March 4.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.
Take notice that I, John Miller, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation butcher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 1 chain from the water at the head of Luscombe Bay, and marked J. M. N. E. corner, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated Feb. 21, 1911. JOHN MILLER
Pub. Feb. 25.

Queen Charlotte Islands Land District—District of Skeena.
Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the mouth of the Tiel River and marked J. M. S. E. Corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated Feb. 23, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Clarence McDowell, Agent

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Take notice that I, John McLeod of Vancouver, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about two miles and two miles west of the mouth of the Tiel River and marked J. M. S. E. Corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated Feb. 24, 1911. JOHN McLEOD
Clarence McDowell, Agent

LAND LEASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.
Take notice that Hume Babington of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation master mariner, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 100 chains from the Indian Reserve on the east side of the Skeena River and on the east side of the peninsula, thence 100 chains along shore to the Reserve line, thence west 60 chains more or less to Goose Bay, thence 100 chains along shore, thence east 60 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated March 8, 1911. HUME BABINGTON
Pub. April 15.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.
Take notice that William Munford of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about 100 chains from the Indian Reserve on the east side of the Skeena River and on the east side of the peninsula, thence 100 chains along shore to the Reserve line, thence west 60 chains more or less to Goose Bay, thence 100 chains along shore, thence east 60 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated March 8, 1911. WILLIAM MUNFORD
Pub. April 15.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast.
Take notice that Ota J. Benson of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about a quarter mile from the north west corner of Gibson Island on the said Gibson Island, thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.
Dated 29th March, 1911 OTIS J. BENSON.

THE COSY CORNER

DEVOTED PRINCIPALLY TO THE INTERESTS OF WOMEN

This is a little section of the paper, which from day to day will be devoted to subjects of special interest to women. Any and all of the ladies of Prince Rupert are invited to contribute to its columns, and to take part in its discussions. Suggestions and criticisms are invited by the editor. The hope is expressed that "The Cosy Corner" will fill a social need.

BELTS AND SASHES

Will Be Popular Dress Items This Season

Belts and sashes play an all important part in dress this season, and women are paying much attention to them. The high waist line is for the time being accepted as fashionable, but that does not prevent the wearing of girdles and sashes. On the contrary, it furnishes even greater opportunity for so doing. The folded girde or belt of velvet, satin or soft finish taffeta is extremely smart, and can be of medium width or quite wide, it can be finished with rosettes or with one soft knit end and two long ends finished with fringe.

Black is used with every color, but a shade deeper than the material of the gown is also in style, and sometimes a charming effect is obtained by several modes combined. Then there are most exquisite fancy ribbons that are made into girdles, belts and sashes, and these are most effective with the plain materials, serving as trimming. The fashion is practical and economical if there is no foolish extravagance in buying too many ribbons and at too high prices, for with a variety to choose from the one black or white gown can be so changed as to do duty for many different occasions. Then the fresh girde will quite renovate a shabby old gown and make it look like new.

pleasure. Any girl who wants to have something out of the common for a luncheon party or who wants to make a very small gift, but one that shows some real work of her own, can accomplish either object by making candied orange peel. Not by buying it at the confectioner's, where plenty of it is sold but by doing it herself. The candied orange peel is made at home and used while fresh is so far superior to that one can buy that it seems like quite another thing.

It can be made of the skin of an orange that has been peeled and used in any way, but rather a smooth skin should be chosen and it must be used before it becomes at all hard and dry. The first thing to do is to scrape off with a knife as much as possible of the white inner skin. Keep on scraping until the skin is quite thin and the back shows the yellow. Then cut the pieces of skin into strips one quarter of an inch wide and from one and a half to two inches long.

Now comes the cooking, which is done in the following manner: In a small saucepan full of water, dissolve three tablespoonfuls of sugar and put in your strips of orange peel. Boil them until the water boils away, leaving a thick syrup. During the latter part of this process it must be carefully watched and stirred to prevent burning. Next take the peel from the saucepan and roll it in powdered sugar; then put the pieces on plates to dry, not piled up, but in single layers. The orange peel is best in the first or second day after it is made and it must be used within a week or it will grow too hard. A dainty box filled with this orange peel makes a very attractive gift or, if one is sending some really handsome box (a silver one or an enamel or carved one), an added pleasure will be given by filling it with candied orange peel made by the giver.

SPRING ARITHMETIC

It was the busy hour of four, When from a city hardware store Emerged a gentleman who bore I hoe, I spade, I wheelbarrow.

From thence our hero promptly went Into a seed establishment And for these things his money spent: I peck of bulbs, I job lot of shrubs, I quart of assorted seeds.

He has a garden under way And if he's fairly lucky, say, He'll have about the last of May

—Washington Herald

SIX HINTS

Try Five. Forget One if You Like

Few people seem to know when preparing dried peaches, that the skins can be easily peeled off if the peaches are allowed to stand in cold water for several hours.

Milk is much better for wiping off linoleum than water.

Meat soaked in crude oil is said to be excellent bait for rodents.

To mend an umbrella take a small piece of black sticking plaster and soak it in water until quite soft. Place this carefully under the hole inside and let dry.

If there are stains from machine oil on a white garment, rub the spots well with a cloth wet in ammonia before washing with soap, and they will disappear.

Brass can be cleaned by being moistened with kerosene, then rubbed with a paste of powdered chalk and lemon juice, and polished with chamois.

CANDIED ORANGE PEEL With a Little Care You Can Make Your Own

Orange skins (generally considered utterly useless) can be used in two ways that will give much

The marriage was quietly celebrated in Christ Church on Saturday morning of Mr. Horace Du Vernet, son of Bishop Du Vernet of Prince Rupert, and Miss Beatrice Bradt of Toronto, who arrived in the city from the East on Friday. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Du Vernet, assisted by Rev. C. C. Owen. The bride wore her travelling costume, a grey tailored suit, with a smart black toque, and carried a lovely shower bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by Miss Seymour, who carried a sheaf of beautiful pink roses, and Mr. James Hartney was best man. After the ceremony the couple drove to the wharf and took the boat to Victoria, from which point they will go to Prince Rupert, where they will make a short stay before going on to their home in the Upper Skeena District.—Vancouver Province.

The Bishop Came Back

Bishop DuVernet returned to the city yesterday from Vancouver where he went to attend the marriage of his son.

Brought 350

Three hundred and fifty passengers came in yesterday on the S. S. Prince Rupert. This is the largest number of passengers that has come into the city on one boat. A large consignment of freight and mail was also brought up. Incidentally a few Rupert young men returned with brides.

Back With a Wife

Mr. Horace DuVernet, son of Bishop DuVernet, arrived from Vancouver yesterday on the S. S. Prince Rupert with his bride. Mr. DuVernet will leave shortly with his wife for Shandilla, up the Skeena River, where he has some farm land. An account of the wedding appears in the social column.

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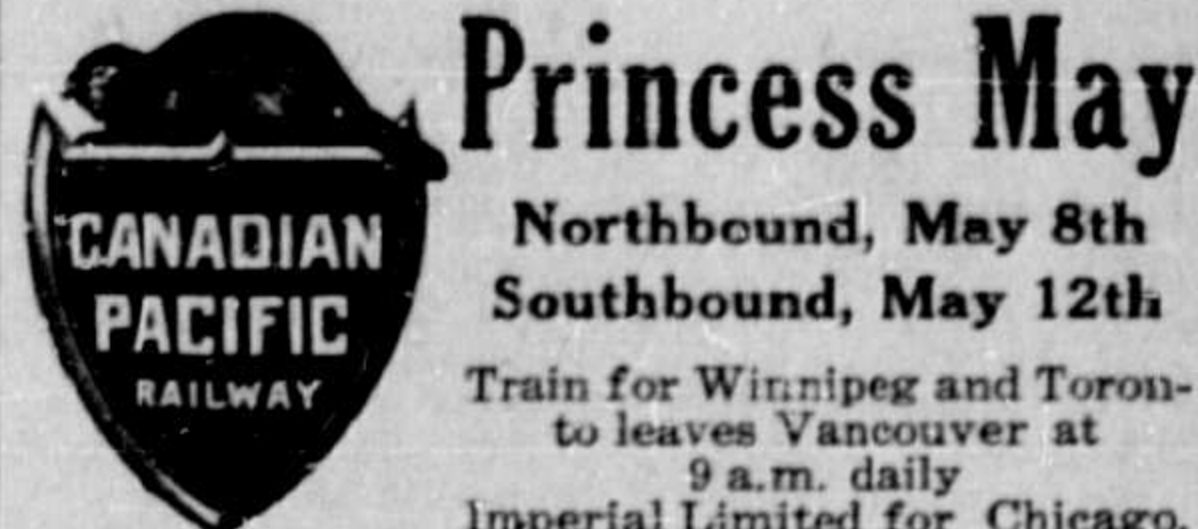
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ITEMS OF SPORT

"Battling" Nelson and Eddie Santry, each one-time holders of championships in their class, have been matched to meet in a six-round contest before a Fond du Lac Athletic Club on May 9.

Early this month Richard Arns will meet Harry Pearce, of Australia, the former being the present world's champion, who not long ago defeated William Webb, ex-former champion. This race will take place on the Paramatta River, where most of the big races held in Australia take place.

The state of Illinois is framing up a rule which will tend to make automobilists more careful when driving. When a motor car strikes a pedestrian or a vehicle, the driver of the car will be compelled to leave his car with the victim even should the latter be killed.

New York, May 3.—Franko Giongo, an Italian runner, who defeated the holder of the American record for the 400 metres by 80 yards, has decided to come to America and has applied for admission into the British-America Athletic club. He is considered a well-known and fast runner in Italy.

Robert W. Brennan, a Colorado cowboy of thirty years' experience started out last week from Oklahoma City, Okla., in an attempt to ride an Oklahoma mule to New York in twenty-five days.

FANNINGS

Mike Donlin is playing semi-professional baseball around Brooklyn.

Scout Billy Hamilton of the Boston Nationals has picked up a youngster named Neeley, a big pitcher from Memphis.

"Mysterious" Mitchell, the pitcher who created a furore in the San Francisco team last year until he exploded, is said to be in Eugene, Ore., coaching a buch league team. He was certainly a wonder while he lasted, but he did not last long enough.

The St. Louis Nationals are getting a nice collection of ties, three of their games having been resultless.

Detroit is now the only major league team without a defeat, and Jennings is e-eyahing harder than ever.

MADE RECORD TRIP

S. S. Hazelton Returned From the North Yesterday

After making what might be considered a very remarkable trip for this time of the year the S. S. Hazelton, of the Hudson Bay Company's fleet returned from Kitselas yesterday with about 20 passengers from the interior.

She left here on Sunday morning and soon overtook all the other boats but one and that was the Operator which left here eight days ago in company with the Conveyer. She had only left Kitselas for Hazelton an hour and a half before the Hazelton got to Kitselas on Wednesday morning. She arrived back here yesterday afternoon and will leave again for the Skeena tonight.

The Skeena River is rising fast, say members of the crew of the Hazelton. Good sized chunks of ice are coming down the river but will soon be gone. The arrival of the boats to points along the river was welcomed as the people there were running very short of supplies, especially fresh meat. Things all along the route are booming. So great is the rush to the interior that all reservations were booked on the Hazelton several days ago.

Mr. P. Mullen, late head bar-keeper of the Royal Hotel, has accepted a similar position at the Central Hotel (Mr. Peter Black). Pete will be pleased to have all his old friends call on him there.

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WANTED

A local representative is wanted for a territory tributary to Prince Rupert to sell the hardy non-irrigated nursery stock grown by the Oregon Nursery Company, Oregon, Oregon. Liberal terms. Party must come well recommended.

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COAL NOTICE Stikine Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that Christian A. Tervo of Stikine, B. C., occupation customs officer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three-quarters of a mile north east from Glacier Riffle and on the east bank of Stikine River and on the south side of the mouth of a little creek, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated Feb. 10, 1911. CHRISTIAN A. TERVO Pub. April 7.

FOR BENEFIT OF SETTLERS

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will throw light on agriculture and horticulture will be sought for. Particular attention will be paid to water supplies.

The trip will not be without its dangers. The young men will be alone and will have to trust for their supplies to the Hudson Bay outposts. Each carries a well tested revolver and rifle.

Specially Chosen

Mr. W. E. Scott, Deputy Minister of Agriculture at Victoria, sent to the Ontario Agricultural College and asked Professor Creelman, the head of the institution, to send two of his best men on the errand and Messrs. Weir and White were chosen.

Mr. Weir is from Ontario and this is his first trip west. Mr. White is a native of New Westminster.

SAYS WE ARE SATISFIED

Premier McBride Gives Interview at Minneapolis

ABOUT RECIPROCIITY

Says People of B. C. are Satisfied with Conditions as They Are and See no Reasons for a Change.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)

Minneapolis, May 4.—Premier McBride and party arrived here today and are conferring with Great Northern officials on railway matters in which railway the province is interested. Asked regarding reciprocity Premier McBride only would say that he was expressing the overwhelming sentiment of the people of the province that the people of British Columbia were quite satisfied with economic conditions as they are.

"We feel," he said, "our material prosperity has been advanced under existing conditions and we can see no reason for a change."

WILL PROBE TWO CHARGES

Definite Statements to be Faced by Hon. Mr. Oliver

OVER RAILWAY LANDS

Charges are That He Accepted \$50,000 and \$19,300 From the Canadian Northern for Having Their Manitoba Lands Changed.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)

Ottawa, May 4.—By a resolution of the House it was decided this morning to limit the inquiry into the charges against Hon. Frank Oliver to two definite charges, viz., that he received from the Canadian Northern Railway on two occasions sums of \$50,000 and \$19,300 to transfer for them an exchange of 660,000 acres of swamp land in Manitoba for 660,000 acres of land in Saskatchewan. The lands were part of a subsidy for railway construction granted by the Federal Government.

GAVE \$100 TO HOSPITAL

The Evening Empire Made Generous Donation Yesterday

Instead of collecting an account of \$51.30 the Empire Publishing Company wrote to the Hospital Board yesterday afternoon asking that the money be placed towards a subscription to the hospital fund of \$100. The balance of the \$100 wrote Mr. S. M. Newton, will be sent on at once to the secretary. A hearty vote of thanks was at once registered for Mr. Newton.

The Board decided to pay Contractor Hicks the balance of the price of his contract up to within \$100.

Miss McLeod, a young Seattle lady, wanted to come to the hospital to train as a nurse. Whether or not girls will be trained here in the immediate future is something the Board will attend to shortly.

Classified - Advertisements

One of the best services the modern newspaper gives the public is in the classified advertisement columns. There buyer and seller, employer and worker, landlord and tenant, and a host of others meet on common ground. To put this modern convenience in reach of everyone the News will reduce its rate to a nominal price of a cent a word per insertion. Minimum charge of 25 cents. Here is our Classified Advertising Column for today. Watch it grow.

WILL HOLD OPEN SESSION

Conciliation Board Makes Important Announcement

RESULT OF PROTEST

Secret Meeting Aroused the Opposition of the Men—Everything in Future Will be Done in Public.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)

Lethbridge, May 4.—As a result of the protest of the miners the conciliation board which has been sitting behind closed doors announced this morning that in future all sessions will be held openly, the public and representatives of the press being admitted. If at any time it is deemed necessary to return to the secret method again, the board will so order. Witnesses heard this morning regarding dockage and timber methods. The board will go to Fernie and hold its first session in that place on Friday.

METHODIST CONFERENCE

This Morning's Business Unsuccessful. Vote Not Taken

In the First Methodist Church this morning under the presidency of the Rev. G. H. Raley, the Methodist Conference was again in session, but nothing eventful in the way of church business was transacted. The vote on the question of church union has yet to be taken, and the Conference will sit until a late hour tonight to wind up the business in hand.

STEAMER BULLETIN

River Still Low but Rising Boats Making Progress

At 8 a.m. today the Skeena weather report was cloudy and warm. Water at 1 foot 7 inches below zero, rising.

Operator left Hazelton at 6.30 a.m. coming down.

Conveyor left Mile 144 at 6.30 a.m. going up.

Distributor at Mile 119 going up Omineca by Hardscrabble at 8 a.m.

Port Simpson left Kitsumkalum at 5 a.m. going up river, and Hazelton in Rupert leaving this afternoon for up river.

WIRELESS MAN SICK

Wm. B. Phillips of S. S. Prince Rupert in Hospital

William B. Phillips, wireless operator on the Prince Rupert, was removed to the hospital this morning suffering from a serious attack of pleurisy. He is being attended to by Dr. Reddie, and at noon was reported to be doing as well as could be expected.

His place on the Rupert will probably be taken temporarily by Mr. J. E. Harker of the Digby Island Wireless station, who has signalled below for permission to fill the gap.

For Prevention

For sterilizing bandages and instruments a new apparatus has been installed at the General Hospital. The things are put inside of a circular cistern and steam is turned on to a heat of 240 degrees and after half an hour every germ within that cistern is as dead as a door nail. The sterilizer cost \$250.

Smoker

All Scandinavians are cordially invited to attend a smoker to be given tonight, May 4, by the Scandinavian Society, in the Carpenter's Union Hall. 98-99

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands

Take notice that George W. Arnott of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation real estate broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about seven miles west and one-half mile south of the mouth of the Tiel River and marked J. McL. N. W. Corner, No. 34, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Lost and Found

FOUND—A small sum of money on 2nd Avenue. Apply McKee, shoemaker, Fulton St. 98-100.

For Rent

Nice furnished rooms for rent. Apply Drexel Rooming House, 2nd Ave. near McBride, May 3-10.

House with 4 rooms and bath, sewer connected; also 2 rooms furnished. Dunsmuir, between 6th and 7th Ave. Apply on premises.—Butler, 96-99

Front Offices in Alder Block. Apply W. J. Alder, 96-106

Help Wanted

Wanted—A Boy for delivering groceries. Apply Mussallam & Co., 6th Ave. 97-10

Boy Wanted. Apply at Optometrist Office. 94-10

Cook—At Ives Hotel, Massett, Graham Island, \$75 per month. Apply Chief Steward, Prince Rupert.

Houses Wanted

HOUSES WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished, 2 to 4 rooms. If location and price suited I will rent them myself and pay rent in advance, no waiting, no listing. Phone me today. Black 89—Uncle Jerry. 72-10

WANTED—Three, four or five room house, furnished, modern conveniences, close to city. Call phone 151.

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Household Goods. Rooms to be let. Apply Mrs. Evelyn, 7th Ave. and Taylor St. near Summit, 96-10

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Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains east and 70 chains south from the southwest corner of lot 1723, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated March 17, 1911. MRS. JOHN (Lottie) CORLEY Date Mar. 23, 1911. Pub. Apr. 7, 1911.

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