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DETAILS OF GRAHAM ISLAND MURDER TRAGEDY

BIG STEAMER WAS SUNK IN EARLY MORNING COLLISION

FRENCH LINER ST. PIERRE MIQUELON CRASHED INTO THE BRITISH STEAMER KENWICK, SENDING HER TO THE BOTTOM—THREE FIREMEN DROWNED.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Halifax, Dec. 28.—The French liner St. Pierre Miquelon, bound for North Sydney tonight, was on board the crew of the British steamer Kenwick. The two steamers were in a collision off Green Island, 100 miles east of here, this morning. The French boat had struck the Kenwick amidships, sending her to the bottom head foremost and carrying down three of her crew, firemen, who were sleeping forward. The vessel sank almost immediately.

BIG STRIKE IN COTTON TRADE

Master Spinners in Lancashire Declare a Lockout of 160,000 Employees—Row Over Three Men.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 London, Dec. 28.—Owing to the action of three workers who joined a trade union the master spinners have declared a lockout of 160,000 employees in North-west Lancashire and the cotton mills are idle. There is a fear of the strike extending to other industries. The weekly wages involved amount to \$1,300,000.

RESCUED THE CREW

Whaler Grant Has Foundered—Crew Rescued by Falcon.

The fisheries cruiser Falcon arrived in port at 3 o'clock this afternoon with the crew of the whaler Grant on board, whom she had picked up in Hecate Straits. The Grant is reported to have foundered.

The Assault Case.

An eight days adjournment has been called for in the serious assault case about which the town is talking. The evidence of Mrs. C. D. Newton is required, and she has been sent for. She left Prince Rupert the night after the occurrence. Evidence of the girl principally concerned in the case was taken yesterday afternoon. Her story is that she was in a dazed condition and that the assault was repeated. She was in a highly nervous state when giving evidence and was taken home in a cab.

WARM, CLEAN ROOMS AT SAVOY.

CHANCE FOR THE BEAR

On Friday Mongolia Will Proclaim Her Independence.

(Special to Daily News.)
 Peking, Dec. 28.—Mongolia on Friday will declare her independence from that time on and will come under the influence of Russia, who may at any time annex the country.

TRENTON IS FIRESWEPT

Ontario Village is Completely Wiped Out.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Toronto, Dec. 28.—The village of Trenton, on Lake Ontario, was wiped out by fire last night. No particulars are available as yet.

LOSS OF LAWSUIT

Wm. Douglas Demands That City Clear Dump Off His Lots.

INDIANS WILL BUILD CHURCH

New Roman Catholic Cruciform Planned for Babine Lake District—Indian Worshippers To Erect Edifice.

From the Roman Catholic Mission at Babine Lake instructions came last week to Messrs. Munro & Lailey, architects of the Roman Catholic church in Prince Rupert, to prepare plans and specifications for a place of worship 26 feet by 60 feet, on similar lines to the Roman Catholic church here, but built in the form of a cross after the main plan of the finest cathedrals of the world. Like the old cathedrals, this latest church in the pioneer outposts of the west will be built by the worshippers themselves. Under direction of the priest the Indians of the mission will do the entire work. The plans are now in hand.

MISS SUTHERLAND LEAVES

Presbyterian Deaconess To Take Up Work in Fernie

Miss Sutherland, who has done excellent work in the city as a Presbyterian deaconess and assistant to Rev. F. W. Kerr, is to leave to take up similar work in Fernie. The announcement was made yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church. Great regret was expressed at the news, as Miss Sutherland has endeared herself greatly during her work in the city.

BEATRICE BACK AGAIN

Welcomed Heartily to Port With Heavy Cargo of Xmas Mail.

At 4 p. m. yesterday the C. P. R. steamer Beatrice made her welcome visit to Prince Rupert harbor after her unfortunate stranding. Her visit was the more appreciated because she brought the heavy Xmas mail from the east and the old country.

MEN ON STRIKE UP THE SKEENA

Bridge Building Gang of Foley, Welch and Stewart's Men Out at Skeena River Crossing—Wages in Dispute.

A MURDER IN CHARLOTTE CITY

A. Gong, a Chinaman, Shot and Killed Fifteen Year Old Japanese Girl Named Keyo Katsuro in Fit of Jealousy

MURDERER THEN COMMITTED SUICIDE

Was Enraged Because the Girl Scorned His Attention and Refused to Accept a Christmas Present From Him—Story of Oriental Love and Passion Has a Ghastly Ending in Quiet Little Spot on Graham Island

(Special to the Daily News by Wireless)

Charlotte City, Graham Island—A shocking double tragedy occurred here on Tuesday evening, when Gong a Chinaman who has been in business here, shot and killed a fifteen year old Japanese girl named Keyo Katsuro, and afterwards killed himself with the same weapon.

The double crime was the result of jealousy. Gong had been in love with the little Japanese girl and had been paying her attentions which she rejected, as she had another and more favored suitor.

Gong persisted in forcing his attentions on the girl, and on Tuesday night visited her, taking with him a Christmas present for her acceptance. Keyo refused to accept the gift from the Chinaman who in a fit of rage and jealousy pulled out a revolver and shot the girl down.

Two of the bullets took effect, and the girl dropping to the floor expired from her injuries. Realizing what he had done, Gong at once turned the weapon upon himself and blew his brains out.

The tragedy has caused a great sensation in the peaceful neighborhood.

SMALLPOX HAS BROKEN OUT IN THE JAIL AT NELSON

ALL THE PRISONERS, THE WARDEN AND THE GUARDS HAVE HAD TO BE VACCINATED AND PLACED IN QUARANTINE TODAY.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Nelson, Dec. 28.—The prisoners and staff of the Provincial jail here were quarantined today owing to a case of smallpox having developed. The victim is Thomas Hart, who was brought here ten days ago from Cranbrook on a charge of fighting. He was taken to the pest house, and all the prisoners, the warden and the guards have been vaccinated. A case of smallpox has also been discovered at Vanroi mine, Silverton. The mine has been quarantined.

IF THE BLIND LEAD THE BLIND

Ald. Newton Would Not Visit Morse Creek Water Sources, But Cheerfully Takes Hearsay Evidence to Condemn Supply.

Sweeping condemnation of Morse Creek emergency water supply was expressed at the council last night by Ald. Newton. He said that for reasons of his own he had not taken the trip to investigate the available water supply, but had been told by someone in the audience at his meeting last night, and someone else over the phone that the Morse Creek water supply was a joke. City Engineer Davis simply stated that on his own personal authority the Morse Creek dam stores eight million gallons of water which will be available almost at once for fire protection or domestic purposes. Ald. Newton's informers were mistaken, said Col. Davis.

TWO ROYAL RIVALS

Princess May Got in Only Two Hours Ahead of Prince Rupert.

Officers and crew of the Prince Rupert are jubilant over the achievement of the boat on the Xmas trip south. Although the Princess May left at 9 a. m. on the same day the Rupert reached Vancouver only two hours behind the blue ribbon now, as she had the May. The Rupert is claiming to coal on the way south, while the May is an oil burner. There was no special contest on, however, and the result of the business will be keener rivalry than ever between the crack boats.

NOTICE

A meeting of the Property Owners' Association of Prince Rupert will be held in the Presbyterian church hall on Fourth ave. on Friday, the 29th Dec., at 8 p. m. All members and intending members are requested to be present for the purpose of recommending candidates for Mayor and Alderman. The annual fee is \$1.00. Enrollment of members will take place. Everybody should come. 3t

PANTORIUM PIONEER CLEANERS.

Cap's Crackerjack.
 Captain Babington is going below with the Rupert on Thursday night. While in the south he will select the fittings and equipment for his new launch, which is to be a crackerjack.

Rover Still Roves.
 Captain Norman Broadhurst is up the Skeena river with the Rover at present. The launch will return with a couple of scows, weather permitting.

Who will enter for the mile championship of Prince Rupert on roller skates? Will H. M. Lever again stand defeat? Entries at the skating rink.

Has Had Cruel Luck

After fifteen years trail blazing as a pioneer on these coasts Finby Munroe, a Scotchman 52 years of age is destitute and ill. The council will take steps to bring the case before the notice of the Dominion authorities.

FRANK MOBLEY MAKES A REPLY

Tells Deputation That He Must Have Assurance of General Desire Before He Will Consider Matter Further.

At noon today the deputation from the Ratepayers' Association waited on Mr. Frank Mobley with the request that he allow himself to stand for mayor. In reply Mr. Mobley stated that he would not consider entering the contest as the candidate of any particular party or interest. He would only consider the invitation if he was satisfied that there existed a desire on the part of the citizens in general that he should stand as a non-party candidate opposed to factionalism. It is understood that the deputation intends to secure a large petition to present to Mr. Mobley and will ask him to again consider the matter.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Five Conservatives Returned by Acclamation.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Charlottetown, Dec. 28.—At the nominations for the Prince Edward Island Legislature yesterday five Conservatives were returned by acclamation, including Premier Mathieson.

ATE POISONED FISH

Forty Homeless Men Are Dead in Berlin.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Berlin, Dec. 28.—As a result of eating putrid fish to augment their frugal meal of soup and bread which they had partaken of at the municipal lodging house, forty homeless men are dead and forty others are ill. Some of them will die.

HAD A TRAGIC END.

Prominent Mason Expires at a Banquet in His Honor.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Montreal, Dec. 28.—While en-honor at St. Johns last night joying a Masonic banquet in his Allen Austin, a member of the Royal Victoria Lodge, became suddenly ill and expired almost immediately.

Police Circles Quiet.

Neither Chief Owen of the Provincial force nor Chief Vickers of the municipal police had anything to report to the press this morning.

41,288 IN COMOX-ATLIN

Latest Census Returns Show Population Has Doubled.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Ottawa, Dec. 28.—The latest corrected census returns show that Comox-Atlin has 41,288 inhabitants. There are 30,195 males and 11,093 females. The population in the 1901 census was only 24,457.

F. M. Davis is going south by the Prince Rupert tonight.

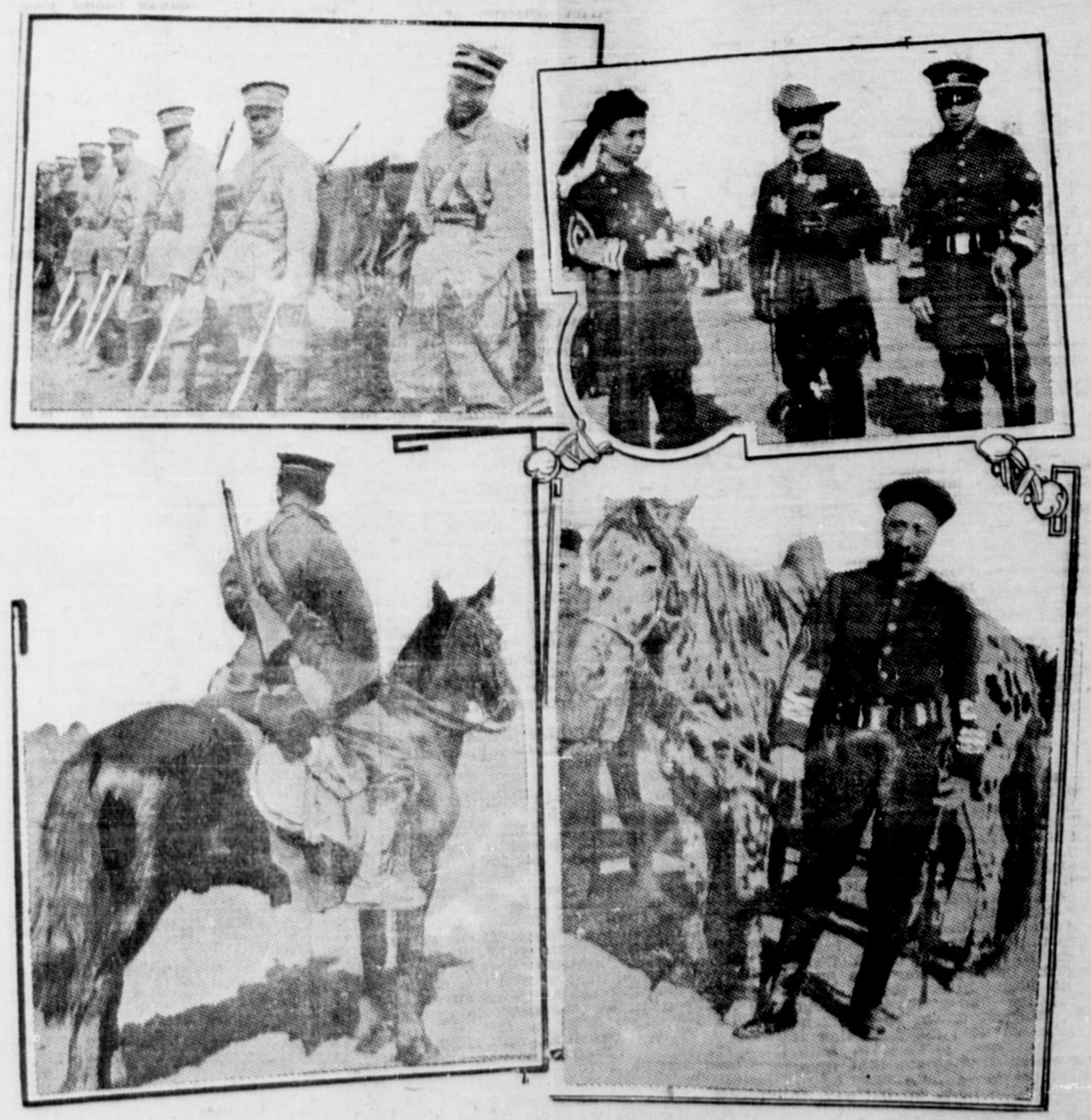
TSIMPSEAN LODGE ELECTS OFFICE-BEARERS

Masonic Banquet Was Held Last Night—During Evening a Unique Xmas Gift Was Presented to Lodge

Members of the Tsimpsean Lodge, A. F. and A. M., met in throng in the Masonic Hall last night for the banquet and installation of officers for 1912. Following are the new office bearers: James H. Thompson, W. M.; M. M. Stephens, I. P. M.; A. W. Edge, S. W.; C. V. Bennett, J. W.; F. W. Dowling, treasurer; J. Christiansen, secretary; Rev. W. E. Collinson, chaplain; Thomas McMoul, S. D.; A. Brooksbank, J. D.; James McRae, S. S.; Jno. Wynne, J. S.; Paul Kaufman, organist; E. H. Mortimer, inner guard; W. G. Barrie, Tyler.

An ample toast list was duly honored, appropriate speeches being given by brothers proposing and responding to the toasts. The toast of "The Grand Lodge of B. C." was proposed by W. M. J. H. Thompson, that of the Tsimpsean Lodge by J. Christiansen, and Sister Lodges by W. F. Dowling. An interesting feature of the banquet was the presentation to the Tsimpsean Lodge of a unique carved gavel made by the Esquimaux in the north and inscribed in art-burnt lettering by Morte H. Craig. The gavel was presented to the lodge by Brothers F. W. Dowling, M. M. Stephens and J. Christiansen as a Christmas gift.

TYPES OF CHINA'S NEW ARMY



In the accompanying photographs are seen some types of China's modern army. Many of these have joined the ranks of the revolutionaries. On the top line is seen photographs of some of the officers. The horseman below is General Ma-Lung Bias, who as commander of one of the army divisions has distinguished himself in the recent actions.

DANCE.

Regular weekly dance in the McIntyre Hall tonight at 9:30. Gents \$1, ladies free. Gray's orchestra.

Norwegians in Prince Rupert are requested to attend a meeting in Carpenters' Hall Thursday, Dec. 28, at 8 p. m. Let us be there. 4t

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THURSDAY, DEC. 28

A CALL TO FRANK MOBLEY.

Without casting any reflections on any other candidates who are in the field for mayor, The News is expressing the wishes of a large number of citizens in hoping that he can see his way to accept the invitation to run for mayor.

Apart from the fuller experience of municipal administration that Mr. Mobley possesses over the other gentlemen whose names have been mentioned, his acceptance of office would mean an end to the feuds that have rent the city in the past and which are in danger of being carried over into next year's council.

Alderman Newton has exceptional aptitude for fighting. This he admits, and despite his protestations to the contrary would probably rather fight than eat any day. But however valuable a man may be as a fighter there comes a time when a doctor is more useful. That is pretty much the position of Prince Rupert at present. Instead of a fighting mayor for 1912 we need a man who understands the value of the iron hand encased in a glove of velvet.

Mr. Mobley has ability, character and experience. He is not the representative of any particular faction, nor would he consent to be. He is a truly representative citizen, in whom all classes have confidence.

The present would be a good time for all parties to call a truce to hostilities, before the campaign develops, and offer the united support that alone would entice Mr. Mobley to re-enter public life.

WHY NOT TAX BACHELORS?

If one of the mayoral candidates will not look upon it as an underhanded attack upon himself, The News would like to suggest that a tax on bachelors would be a very equitable law to introduce into British Columbia. The married man is already taxed at every turn. He cannot buy his latest baby a pair of boots without the state and the trusts squeezing their quota out of the little purchase. On his butcher, grocery and clothing bills he is taxed to the limit of the living wage. As a householder he cannot evade his responsibilities toward the municipal treasury.

The suggestion of a tax on bachelors is revived by Dr. Mayer, the Austrian Finance Minister, who has evolved a number of new taxes in order to meet a threatened deficit of \$20,000,000.

The two chief items of increased expense are the rise in the payment of the state officials, including the railway employees, who recently threatened a general strike, and the increased expenditure on military and naval armaments. The Minister of Finance proposes to obtain \$15,000,000 by an increase of indirect taxation. The excise duty on brandy is to be raised by more than 50 per cent. The tax on lager beer is to be raised by about 40 per cent., and the tax on champagne is also to be raised.

The income from direct taxation is only expected to yield \$5,000,000 more than before, but there are several points of interest in the new imposts. The progressive income tax on large fortunes is to be increased to a maximum rates of 6 1/2 per cent. Further, the so-called "bachelor tax" is to be introduced, by which persons who have no one to maintain but themselves have to pay a surtax of 15 per cent. on their income tax, while those who have to provide for one other person—e. g., a childless married man—must pay 10 per cent extra.

A new source of income for the state is an 8 per cent. tax on all bets made with bookmakers at races. This and an increase in the existing share that the state taxes in the profit of the pari-mutuel, or totalizator, is expected to bring in an additional \$500,000. The fees payable on insurance policies and the tax on the remuneration of company directors are also to be increased. Finally, the introduction of a match monopoly is proposed.

The Finance Minister, who thus grouped up celibacy with brandy and betting, succeeds in keeping the public in the dark as to whether he looks on celibacy as a luxury like the one or a vice like the other. It would certainly be provocative of good results in Prince Rupert, whichever way it worked.

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Skene Land District—District of Cassiar. Take notice that James T. Fullerton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation engineer, student, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 52 chains east of Naas River and 40 chains south of pre-emption No. 397, 380, thence 24 chains north, thence 24 chains west, thence 40 chains south, following the Naas River; thence 32 chains east to point of commencement; containing 160 acres, more or less.

J. T. FULLERTON, Range 5, R. H. Stewart, Agent. Dated Prince Rupert, Dec. 11, 1911. Pub. Dec. 13.

Skene Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that Abraham H. Barber, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of a small island about twenty-five (25) chains north and two (2) chains east of the northwest corner of Lot 1323, Range 5, Coast District, Porcher Island, thence following the shore line in a northeasterly direction about twenty (20) chains to the north end of the island, thence in a southerly direction along the shore line about twenty (20) chains to the point of commencement, being an area of approximately about forty (40) acres, more or less. ABRAHAM H. BARBER, Dated Dec. 13, 1911. Pub. Dec. 13.

Skene Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that Dagobert Aurio, of Nainaimo, B. C., occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 4484, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less. DAGOBERT AURIO, Fred E. Cowell, Agent. Date Nov. 10th, 1911. Pub. Dec. 9.

Skene Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that Theodore Nicholis, driver, of Victoria, B. C., Can., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 2277, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less. THEODORE NICHOLIS, Fred E. Cowell, Agent. Dated Oct. 31, 1911. Pub. Dec. 9.

Skene Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that J. Paul Curtis, clerk of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the east boundary of Lot 1552, thence east 150 chains, thence north 60 chains, thence east 30 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 30 chains to point of commencement, containing 180 acres, more or less. J. PAUL CURTIS, Fred E. Cowell, Agent. Dated Oct. 31, 1911. Pub. Dec. 9.

Skene Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that I. Michas Beganis, cook, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, where the Kintyre branch of the G. T. P. Ry. crosses the Williams Creek, and about ten (10) chains from the creek shore, thence south 30 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence west 30 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 120 acres, more or less. MICHAS BEGANIS, Fred E. Cowell, Agent. Dated Oct. 31, 1911. Pub. Dec. 9.

Skene Land District—District of Coast, Range 5. Take notice that Samuel Beltees, gardener, of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, about ten chains back from the creek bank, and about fifty chains southeast from where the Kintyre branch of the G. T. P. Ry. crosses Williams Creek, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less. SAMUEL BELTEES, Fred E. Cowell, Agent. Dated Oct. 31, 1911. Pub. Dec. 9.

Skene Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands. Take notice that Ellen Marion Young, of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1552, thence west to the north corner of Lot 1553, thence south to beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing one hundred and four (104) acres, more or less. ELLEN MARION YOUNG, George Young, Agent. Dated Nov. 15, 1911. Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

SOLOMON'S SAYINGS

A Few of the Cute Things the Wise Man Probably Thought.

A fortune teller can tell you where some of your money is going.

It is said the easiest word to pronounce in the English language is "murmur." It is two sighs stuck together.

Tact means looking the other way when a man hits his thumb with a hammer.

It is easier to believe in fairies than to buy suppers for one.

A Vancouver man as he reached the altar found he had a hunter's license and not a marriage license. He must have taken her for a deer.

Maxims and Moralizing. Make money, and the whole nation will conspire to call you a gentleman—G. Bernard Shaw.

Treat a man with as much deference as you would a picture; look at him in the best light.—Emerson.

The work of helping the world forward happily does not wait to be done by perfect men—George Eliot.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skene Land District—District of Cassiar. Take notice that Herbert McLennan, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of Blackwater river with the Naas river about two miles south of the sixth Dominion Telegraph cabin. Post marked H. M. N. E. Corner, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less. HERBERT McLENNAN, Pub. Nov. 2.

Skene Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands. Take notice that Alfred McGregor, of Victoria, B. C., occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about three-quarters of a mile southwest from the southwest corner of Lot 1548, Masset Inlet, thence east forty chains, thence south to the north boundary of Lot 1557, thence west one hundred chains, more or less, thence north ninety chains, thence east to the beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty acres (640), more or less. ALFRED MCGREGOR, George Young, Agent. Dated Nov. 15, 1911. Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skene Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands. Take notice that Arthur Tremaine, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner, being eighty chains south of the northwest corner of Lot 1555, Masset Inlet, thence west forty chains, thence north eighty chains, thence east forty chains, thence south eighty chains to the point of commencement, containing three hundred and twenty acres (320), more or less. ARTHUR TREMAINE, George Young, Agent. Dated Nov. 15, 1911. Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skene Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands. Take notice that Malcolm Wright Young, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner, being about one mile east of the northwest corner of Lot 1551, thence north to the south boundary of Lot 1550, thence west to the east boundary of Lot 1550, thence south along the said boundary to the southeast corner of said lot, 150, thence west along said boundary to the east boundary of Lot 1549, thence south along the said boundary to the north boundary of Lot 1552, thence north to the northwest corner of Lot 1551, thence east to the point of commencement, containing three hundred (300) acres, more or less. MALCOLM WRIGHT YOUNG, George Young, Agent. Dated Nov. 15, 1911. Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

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It is a mistake to imagine that nothing need be done for the child's teeth until the second set replaces the "milk" teeth, for upon the care expended on the first set will depend to a great extent the strength and formation of the second.

Washes and tooth pastes are not necessary for cleaning the "milk" teeth, but a little precipitated chalk may be used now and again.

An occasional visit to the dentist will be necessary just to make sure that the teeth are growing properly. This is a wise precaution, for a little attention to the "milk" teeth will save an enormous amount later on, and the more care expended upon the first set the more likely the child will be to possess a good second set.

Good teeth are of so great importance not only to one's appearance, but to comfort and health, that proper attention cannot be given too soon.

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LAND PURCHASE NOTICES.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Leroy F. Grant of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation civil engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 3 1/2 miles from the northern end of the Skeena river, thence east 30 chains, thence north 60 chains, thence west to bank of river, thence south following bank of river to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated Sept. 9, 1911. LEROY F. GRANT
Pub. Oct. 15. Gordon C. Emmerson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5
Take notice that Benjamin Russell Rice of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation waiter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 65 chains south from the southeast corner of Lot 3060. Post marked B. R. Rice, corner, thence 70 chains west, thence 65 chains south to point of commencement, containing 450 acres more or less.

Dated Oct. 21, 1911. BENJAMIN RUSSELL RICE
Pub. Nov. 2. Gordon C. Emmerson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Angus James McKenzie of Vancouver, B. C., occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of Blackwater river with Naas river, about two miles south from the sixth Dominion Telegraph cabin. Post marked A. J. M. N. W. Corner, 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 Sept. 23, 1911. ANGUS JAMES MCKENZIE
Pub. Nov. 2.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Charles William Ham of Vancouver, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of Blackwater river with Naas river, about two miles south from the sixth Dominion Telegraph cabin. Post marked C. W. H. S. W. Corner, 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 September 23, 1911. CHARLES WILLIAM HAM
Pub. Nov. 2.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar
Take notice that Thomas Arthur White of Vancouver, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of Blackwater river with Naas river, about two miles south from the sixth Dominion Telegraph cabin. Post marked T. A. W. S. E. Corner, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

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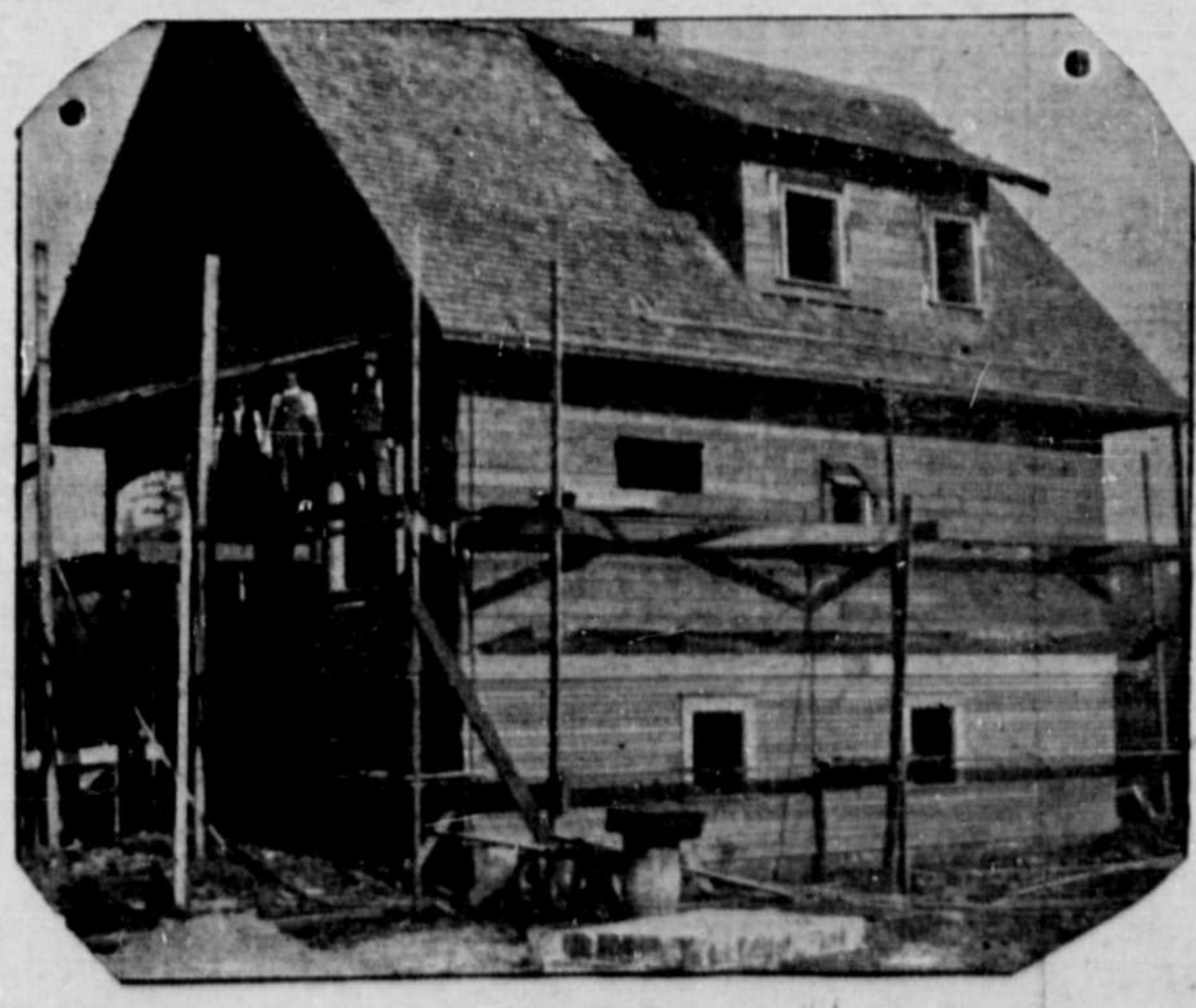


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TO AID THE WIDOW

New Illinois Law Will Help Deserving Widows and Orphans.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—The new state law pensioning deserving poor mothers with families became operative this month. Forty mothers, most of them widows and the sole support of that many brood of children, received checks for amounts ranging from \$18 to \$120. The distribution of this money brought happiness to a hundred hearts from which it stands off hunger and cold.

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The state has not appropriated any money, but the law empowers the county to hand the money to the parent instead of taking the child and paying strangers for its care.

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A New Use of Stale Bread—A good way to use up odd pieces of stale bread is to make cheese cake. Grate sufficient to make a quarter of a pound of crumbs, pour over them one and a half ounces of melted butter and a quarter of a pint of hot milk. Leave till cold. Then beat well and add one and a half ounces of currants, and a half ounce of sugar and two eggs (well beaten). Line some patty-tins with pastry, put a little of the mixture in each and bake for twenty minutes. These make delicious cheese cakes at a very small cost.

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requests from the city a site for
a Labor Temple. Alderman Hil-
ditch, expressing great sympathy
with the purposes of legitimate
organized labor, suggested that a
site be granted on the lands held
by the city in fee simple from the
G. T. P. He moved that a commit-
tee be appointed to consider
the matter. Alderman Newton
pointed out that two temples
might be necessary on account of
affiliation problems with the labor
organizations. Alderman Hil-
ditch's motion carried, and the
Mayor named Alderman Hilditch,
his seconder, Alderman Douglas,
and Alderman Clayton to form
the committee.

Happy Children.
Two seasonable treats for the
little ones are being held this
afternoon. The Anglican Church
youngsters are having a good
time in St. Andrew's Hall and
the Roman Catholic children in
the Empress Theatre.

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More Particulars About Loss of
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ered last night, was at anchor
off Banks Island and drifted
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1/4 mile east of the Tyne Station, G.T.P. Ry.
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Deputy Minister of the Naval Service,
Department of the Naval Service,
Ottawa, November 29th, 1911. 31
Skeena Land District—District of Coast
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Take notice that John Scott Young, of
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to apply for permission to purchase the fol-
lowing described lands:
Commencing at a post planted about one
mile east of the Naas River and about
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scribed lands:
Commencing at a post planted one chain north
of the southeast corner of Lot 532, thence north
40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 40
chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40
chains, thence east 40 chains to
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