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

Take notice that I, Madge Kohl, of Montreal, occupation spinner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 5144, thence south 15 chains more or less to the north boundary of Lot 4130, thence west 40 chains more or less to the east boundary of Lot 4477, thence south 15 chains more or less to the south boundary of Lot 494, thence east 40 chains more or less to the point of commencement, containing 60 acres more or less.

MADGE KOHL,  
Donald McVicar, Agent.  
Dated November 25th, 1912.  
Pub. Dec. 23, 1912—Feb. 17, 1913.

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

Take notice that I, William Watson, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation contractor, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 4135, Range 5, thence south 21 chains to Lot 2586, Range 5, thence south to the Lakelse River, thence easterly following the Lakelse River to the point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

WILLIAM WATSON.  
Pub. Dec. 30, 1912—Feb. 24, 1913.

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

Take notice that I, Stanley Niven, of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, occupation civil engineer, acting as agent for Porpoise Harbor Land Company, Limited, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the most northerly point of Lot 501, Range 5, Coast District, on Porpoise Harbor, thence north to Low Water Mark, thence easterly and northerly following Low Water Mark to a point due west of the southwest corner of Lot 446, Range 5, Coast District, thence east to High Water Mark, thence southerly following High Water Mark to a point due east of the most northerly point of Stapleton Island, part of Lot 642, thence west to this point, thence following High Water Mark on west side of Stapleton Island to the most southerly point of Lot 501, thence east to the High Water Mark of Lot 642, thence southerly following the High Water Mark to a point due east of the most southerly point of Lot 501, thence south to Low Water Mark, thence following Low Water Mark to a point due south of the most southerly point of Lot 501, thence north to this point, thence northerly and easterly following High Water Mark to the point of commencement.

PORPOISE HARBOR LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.  
Stanley Niven, Agent.  
Dated December 10th, 1912.  
Pub. Dec. 23, 1912—Feb. 17, 1913.

Peace and Harmony Prevailed at  
Adjourned Session—Defer Action on Playing Schedule.

New York, Feb. 17.—Peace and harmony prevailed at the opening session of the adjourned annual meeting of the National League of Baseball Clubs here. The business transacted varied from the usual routine, and outside the meeting room such talk of "deals" as was heard for the most part was vague in character and lacking in authority.

After a brief meeting of the board of directors, the National League clubs held a session of scarcely an hour's duration and deferred action on the playing schedule until tomorrow, when they expect to get through the remaining business.

The directors decided that hereafter when any National League club shall take an umpire from President Lynch's staff the club will be required to reimburse the league with whatever amount the directors deem sufficient. President Lynch announced his selection of umpires for the coming season as follows: R. W. Emslie, W. J. Klem, Charles Rigler, Clarence Owens, William Brennan, Al. Orth, M. W. Eason, W. J. Guthrie and W. J. Bryerton.

## Princeton Gives Suffragists' "Army" of Thirteen Noisy Welcome.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 18.—The staccato yell of Princeton University, with the appendage "Votes for Women! Votes for Women!" greeted the "army" of suffragettes while his marching to Washington when it arrived here. The women, thirteen strong, had covered twenty-seven miles in eight hours of active walking, and several of them were on the point of exhaustion when the lights of the university town twinkled a welcome.

"General" Rosalie Jones, commander of the expedition, declared that for real hardship today's walk exceeded anything she had ever experienced. "Corporal" Martha Klatschen, who is less than five feet tall, had to be supported the last four miles of the march. She staggered into the village an hour after the arrival of the vanguard, pluckily refusing offers of a lift from passing automobiles.

The scheduled twenty miles between Metuchen, N. J., the day's starting point, and this village was stretched into twenty-seven as the result of the women taking the wrong road. This carried them over a stretch of rough marching before they found the main highway again. Three women dropped out en route, leaving thirteen regulars tonight. The day's march was through a stretch of comparatively lonely country, but there was scarcely a farm house passed whose inhabitants did not give the army words of encouragement. One farmer hospitably opened his house for rest.

President-elect Wilson, to whom the suffragettes expect to deliver a message at the time of his inauguration, was in town tonight, but "General" Jones decided to make no attempt to see him here.

The women have covered in their first two days of marching forty-three miles and they were footsore and weary tonight. Tomorrow they will march ten miles to Trenton.

## OPEN COAL ENQUIRY

Troubles from Consumers' Point of View Will Be Heard.

Victoria, Feb. 18.—Sittings of the committee recently appointed to enquire into the production, sale and distribution of coal in British Columbia will be held in Vancouver, at the Progress Club chambers, on February 26th, 27th and 28th. Announcement to this effect was made here recently by Mr. W. E. Burns, commissioner. The opening sittings will be confined to an enquiry as to the cost of coal to the consumer from the point of view of the consumer and as to the alleged shortage of coal from the point of view of the consumer.

It is the desire of the commissioner to develop in some sort of concrete shape the conditions of which the public complain. At the three sittings no evidence will be received from the mercantile end of the industry. From the evidence of the consumers of coal the commissioner will be able to lay down a definite line on which to direct the enquiry concerning the mercantile and productive sections of the industry.

## PROMOTER GETS DAMAGES

Tom O'Rourke Allowed \$250 in Libel Suit in England.

London, Feb. 18.—Tom O'Rourke, the New York promoter of boxing contests, was awarded \$250 damages in the King's Bench division of the High Court in a suit for libel brought against the proprietors of Boxing, a sporting newspaper published in London. The newspaper published articles alleging that O'Rourke had arranged the results of various boxing competitions beforehand.

VICTORIA WANTS TO  
PLAY THIS WEEK

Victoria, Feb. 19.—The Victoria Rugby Union has informed Vancouver that March 1 is not suitable to Victoria as the date for the next McKechnie Cup match, and has asked that the game be played next Saturday. The match is to be played in Vancouver.

## One on the Doctor.

This incident is related of a Scotch doctor, new to the gun, who adventured upon a day's rabbit shooting. Chased by the ferrets, bunny was a rather quick moving target and the medico was not meeting with the success he anticipated. "Hang it all, man!" he exclaimed, impatiently to the keeper who accompanied him, "these beasts are too quick for me." "Aye, doctor," the pawky keeper replied, "but ye surely didna expect them tae lie still like yer patients till ye kill them."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

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