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DAILY EDITION.



### WHAT SHOULD THE CITY DO?

This question, propounded by the City Solicitor at last easterly direction to the valley of the night's Council meeting, is one that presumably the citizens thence along the Parsnip River to a junc at large are invited to give answer to. There are a number the valley of the Finlay River through of things that the city might do to improve the situation in its legal entanglements. Among these The News suggests:

(a) Quit playing politics with the ratepayers' money. (b) Fire the City Solicitor and engage a cheaper one at a live by the most feasible route between larger salary.

(c) Insult the bench by raking up the past of any judges who are against the city, and stigmatise them as "political cowards and quitters" in the pages of the City Hall Journal.

(d) Send a deputation down at the city's expense to explain the situation to our friends at Victoria, and have them pass a special bill to ratify the City Solicitor's report at the next sitting of the Legislature.

Outside of this there are only two other things to do. One is to accept the judgment of the court like an honorable body and settle with the contractors, both in the interests of economy and of justice; the other is to (as Mr. Justice Clements himself phrased it) "bear the odium of taking to appeal on a dubious point of law, a case in which in point of substantial justice and common honesty they have not a leg to stand on."

The City, on the advice of the City Solicitor, in a case equally repugnant to all sense of justice (the Prudhomme) case), once went to the Court of Appeals before. It was a judgment of Mr. Justice Clements that was sought to be upset. This lesson, if it has been lost on the city authorities, has not been lost on the citizens.

Even at this late hour the Council would probably find it cheaper and easier to do the honest thing and settle with the contractors on the lines indicated by Mr. Justice Clements' judgment. This would not only fit in with common honesty and substantial justice, but also with the opinions and practice of the honorable citizens and ratepayers of Prince Rupert.

### NOTES AND COMMENTS.

A couple of weeks ago, when the increase of \$100 a month to the City Solicitor was proposed, The News remarked that a good lawyer is cheap at \$250 a month, but wouldn't it be safer to wait and see how the contractors' suits turned out. The News is still of the opinion that a good lawyer is cheap at \$250 a month.

Earl Grey's well-meaning but very much mixed simile of point of commencement, containing 16 Canada as "the belle of the ball" that ranks "No. 1 hard" is easily capped by the beautiful bull that walked across the floor of the House of Commons in the maiden speech of Mr. Webster, Hon. George P. Graham's conqueror. "Canada for Canadians," Mr. Webster declared to an electrified house, "would be the grandest battlecry ever unfurled."

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G. J. DESBARATS. Deputy Minister of the Naval Service, Ottawa, November 29th, 1911.

### NOTICE

FRIDAY, DEC. 15 at its next session for an act British Columbia, 1910), by striking out all the words after the word "Columbia" in Line 10 of said Section and substituting

> Parsnip River by way of Fort McLeod, tion with the Peace River, thence along sifton Pass, thence down the Stikene Telegraph Creek; also powers to build dary of British Columbia, or by way Lytton and Teslin Lake, also to build from a point on said line of railway to the City of Vancouver or from the City of Vancouver to a point on said line, by the most And further, for an act extending

commence construction and expend ten per cent of its capitalization Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 5th day of

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

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District-District of Cassiar Take notice that I, James T. Fullerton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation engineer ing student, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 52 chains thence 52 chains east to point of com mencement; containing 160 acres, more

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

Skeena Land District-District of Coast, Take notice that I, 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 1323, Range 5, Coast District, Porcher sland, thence following the shore line in northeasterly direction about twenty thence in a southwesterly direction along the shore line about twenty (20) chains to the point of commencement, being island containing about forty (40) acres, ABRAHAM H. BARBER

Skeena Land District-District of Coast, Take notice that I, Dagobert Auriol, of Nanaimo, B. C., occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 4484, thence south north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to acres, more or less.

Dated Dec. 6th, 1911.

Pub. Dec. 13.

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

Take notice that I, Theodore Nichalis, point of commencement, containing three driver, of Victoria, B. C., Can., intend to apply for permission to purchase the fol- less. lowing described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the outhwest corner of Lot No. 2287, 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 480 acres, more or less. THEODORE NICHALIS,

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

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Take notice that I; Paul Curtiss, clerk of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the east boundary and about five (5) chains thence north 60 chains, thence east chains, thence south 60 chains, thence west 30 chains to point of commencement, containing 180 acres, more or less. PAUL CURTISS.

Fred E. Cowell, Agent. Dated Oct. 31, 1911. Pub. Dec. 9. Skeena Land District-District of Coast,

Take notice that I, Michas Beganis, cook, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following de-

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.

Pub. Dec. 9.

BICHAS BEGANIS.

Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

Skeena Land District-District of Coast Take notice that I, Samuel Beiltees, gardener, of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following de

scribed 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 Kitimat branch of the G. T. P. rightcrosses Williams Creek, thence 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, con-

taining 160 acres, more or less. SAMUEL BEILTEES. Fred E. Cowell, Agent Dated Oct. 31, 1911. Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District-District of Coast, Take notice that I, Louis Caleris, driver, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following de-

80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less. LOUIS CALERIS. Fred E. Cowell, Agent. Dated Oct. 31, 1911. Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District-District of Cassiar. Take notice that James Ewing Macrae, eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence west eighty chains to point o

JAMES EWING MACRAE. Dated Oct. 31, 1911.

> ELLEN MARION YOUNG. George Young, Agent.

Dated Nov. 15, 1911. Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Take notice that John Scott Young, o Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: shore, thence following along the shore to three hundred and sixty-one (361) acres,

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

attle. Wash., occupation woodsman, in ive miles north of Aiyansh, thence eighty chains, thence south eighty chain ighty chains to point of commencement

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

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

eighty chains, west eighty chains to point FRANK FUREY. H. P. Rutter, Agent.

Skeena Land District-District of Coast Take notice that I, John Argiraclis, car penter, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following

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

· Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

### LAND LEASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District-District of Queen Charlotte Islands Take notice that Alfred McGregor, Victoria, B. C., occupation broker, intendo 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 nundred and forty acres (640), more or

ALFRED M'GREGOR. Dated Nov. 15, 1911. George Young, Agent. Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Take notice that Arthur Tremaine, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: southeast corner, being eighty chains south of the northwest corner of Lot 1555, Masset Inlet; thence west forty chains, thence Skeena Land District-District of Coast, north eighty chains, thence east forty chains, thence south eighty chains to the

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

Skeena Land District-District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Malcolm Wright Young, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner, being about one mile east of the northwest corner of Lot 1551, Lot 1550, thence west to the east boundary of Lot 1550, thence south along the said boundary to the southeast corner of said Lot 1550, 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 east to the northeast corner of Lot 1552, thence north to the northwest corner of Lot 1551, thence east to the point of commencement, containing six hundred (600) acres, more or less.

MALCOLM WRIGHT YOUNG. Dated Nov. 16, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District-District of Queen Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, where the Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the fol-Williams Creek, and about ten (10) chains lowing described lands: from the creek shore, thence south 30 Commencing at a post planted at the chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north southwest corner of Lot 1548, Masset In-30 chains, thence west 40 chains to point let, thence east one hundred chains, thence of commencement, containing 120 acres, south sixty-four chains, thence west to the more or less.

MICHAS BEGANIS.

South sixty-four chains, thence west to the beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres, more or less.

WILLIAM MOORE. Dated Nov. 14, 1911.

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## LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

H. P. Rutter, Agent. Pub. Dec. 14.

Skeena Land District-District of Queen Charlotte Islands. Take notice that Elien Marion Young, of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the hundred and four (104) acres, more or

Skeena Land District-District of Queen

Skeena Land District-District of Cassiar. Take notice that Clarence Bowen, of Setends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: niles east of the Naas River and about thence east eighty chains, thence

Pub. Dec. 14.

Commencing at a post planted about six miles east of the Naas River and about seven miles north of Aiyansh, thence north eighty chains, east eighty chains, south

Dated Oct. 31, 1911. Pub. Dec. 14.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands. Commencing at a post planted at the

hundred and twenty acres (320), more or

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Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator

Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator Pub. Sept. 23. all foreshore Tiahn Point.

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. Broderick of Prince Rupert, bank manager, intend to app of C. E. B. Coal Lease chains, thence west 80

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. Pub. Sept. 23. land on Graham Island des

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. Rainter A. T. BRODERICK, Locator C. E. Rainter Skeena Land District-District of Queen Charlotte bookkeeper, intend

Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator Pub. Sept. 23. Bainter of Prince Rupert, Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator Pub. Sept. 23.

Skeena Land District-District of Queen Charlotte Bainter of Prince Rupert,