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#### "PREMIER M'BRIDE'S DECEIT."

Under the above caption the new Liberal morning paper of Vancouver, the Sun, gives a long expose of the much vaunted railway policy upon which Premier McBride is appealing to the country with apparently every confidence in success. But the Sun does not share this confidence, and asks that the public pay the closest attention to the railway program, in order that the deception practiced by the cabinet in the matter of guarantee of the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway bonds should not again be repeated. It says thus:

A consideration of the conduct of the government in its previous arrangement with the Canadian Northern will show not only was Mr. McBride guilty of misrepresentation and of deceit in dealing with the province, but that he exposed the people of British Columbia to a much larger risk in guaranteeing the bonds of the railway than they are aware of. In his speech delivered in the Ancient Order of United Workmen hall in Victoria, on November 29, 1909, the premier said: "What is it we are going to guarantee? We are guaranteeing thirty-year bonds to the amount of \$21,000,000, bearing interest at 4 per cent. We are guaranteeing \$35,000 a mile for the construction work in the province. As an evidence of faith that the Canadian Northern Railway will carry out its contract with us, we will secure from the company a deposit in cash, or a proper bond amounting to \$500,000."

In the light of the premier's statement on that occasion, it is interesting, it is somewhat painful, to read his answers to questions asked in the legislature by Mr. Brewster on the thirteenth of the present month. In neither case is Mr. McBride's answer to these questions of a nature to satisfy the people that he is to be entirely trusted in making other agreements of this nature for them. In respect to the bonds, it will be observed that there is an unconditional guarantee of both principal and interest and that the bonds are made repayable in 1950, that is, Premier McBride, instead of guaranteeing thirty-year bonds of the railway company, guaranteed forty-year bonds. He thus exposes the public of British Columbia to the risk which they have assumed in this matter for a period of ten years longer than he told them he would, or than they expected. The liability is one, it is true, which they may never be called upon to assume, but it is a liability nevertheless, one which they cannot repudiate and one which, for aught the public knows, may be a source of great embarrassment to the province.

### BORDEN'S NAVAL POLICY

A. F. ter KIPLING.

"What are the people waiting for?" said Files-on-Parade; "What Borden's navy policy," Henri Bourassa said.  
 "What makes you look so bright, so bright?" said Files-on-Parade; "The joy at what I have to watch," Henri Bourassa said.  
 "For Borden and his fellows, in a recent bitter fray, Besought my help, and got it, and now they have to pay They have to dance unceasingly to every tune I play, Or I'd kick 'em out of office in the morning."

"What makes the Gov't look so scared?" said Files-on-Parade; "They do not know which way to turn," Henri Bourassa said.  
 "I thought they loved the Empire, true," said Files-on-Parade; "Just with their tongues, just with their tongues," Henri Bourassa said.

"They prated of their loyalty while yet the fight was on, But forgot it, at my bidding, as soon as they had won; And now they aren't do a thing unless I wish it done, Or I'd kick 'em out of office in the morning."

"Why don't they build some ships o' war?" said Files-on-Parade; "They are afraid of me, my boy," Henri Bourassa said.  
 "Britain's burden's cruel hard," said Files-on-Parade; "That's nought to them, that's nought to them," Henri Bourassa said.  
 "They'll lend no willing hand to keep her mistress of the sea, For if they do full well they know a reck'ning there will be. The man they'd have to settled with—he happens to be me— And I'd kick 'em out of office in the morning."

—Toronto Globe.

### Convention of Liberals!

A convention of British Columbia Liberals will be held at O'Brien's Hall, Hastings street, Vancouver, on February 29th, 1912. Upon purchasing a first-class ticket to Vancouver via C. P. R. and obtaining at the time of purchase from the ticket agent a standard certificate, and upon the signing of this certificate by the Secretary of the Convention, the holder will be entitled to a return ticket at one-third the usual fare.

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### HOME TO ROOST.

Apple-green west and an orange bar,  
 And the crystal eye of a long, one star.  
 And "Child, take the shears and cut what you will,  
 Frost tonight—so clear and dead still."  
 —Edith M. Thomas in Harper's.

Pea-green piffle and orange bunk,  
 And the ragged rhyme of one mad or drunk,  
 You must confess this approaches Miss  
 Edith's verse—but we can't sell this.  
 —Buffalo News.

Crushed pumpkin dawn and a lemon squeeze—  
 Child, lead your mother outdoor to freeze.  
 At stuff like this we could never fail,  
 But we'd never dare offer this stuff for sale.  
 —Houston Post.

Alice-blue cheese and a plate of tripe,  
 And fourteen Chinamen hitting the pipe,  
 Verses like this makes a bosom throb—  
 I hope it won't cause me to lose my job.  
 —Milwaukee Sentinel.

Grog-blossom nose, and an indigo eye,  
 And a night in the cells with a tongue bark-dry;  
 Morn in the dock to the tune "Fined Five."  
 Verses like this make the poet thrive!

### COMING FROM STATES

Immigrants This Spring Will Bring a Million Dollars.

Winnipeg, Feb. 20.—A million dollars is approximately the amount in goods and money which the advance guard of American farmers will bring with them to Western Canada from across the line this spring. During the last two months the C. P. R. land office has received over 2,000 inquiries from United States farmers and nearly 200 have indicated their intention of visiting the west at the earliest possible moment. They are from the best farming state in the Union.

### LAND PURCHASE NOTICES.

Skeena 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 Kitimat branch of the G. T. P. Ry. crosses Williams Creek, and about ten (10) chains from the creek shore, thence south 30 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 30 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

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

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.  
 Take notice that I, John Arghraclis, carpenter, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
 Commencing at a post planted about one and one-half miles northeast from the mouth of Trout River, on the west side of Lake Lake, and about five (5) chains back from the waterfront, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

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

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.  
 Take notice that I, Samuel Belitzes, stevedore, 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 Kitimat branch of the G. T. P. Ry. right-of-way crosses Williams Creek, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

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

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.  
 Take notice that I, Louis Caleris, driver, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
 Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1729, thence south 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 Coast, Range 5.  
 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 1484, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

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

Prince Rupert Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.  
 Take notice that I, Lemuel Freer, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
 Commencing at a post planted on the shore in northerly direction from Port Nelson Cannery, marked F's S.E. corner, thence 20 chains north, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains south to shore line, thence east along the shore to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

LEMUEL FREER.  
 Dated Dec. 7, 1911.  
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Take notice that Ellen Marion Young, of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinner, intends 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 northeast 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.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar, Range 1.  
 Take notice that I, James T. Fullerton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation engineering 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. 297 (SEC), thence 40 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.  
 R. H. Stewart, Agent.  
 Dated Prince Rupert, Dec. 11, 1911.  
 Pub. Dec. 15.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.  
 Take notice that John Scott Young, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
 Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 1550, thence south to the north boundary of Lot 1551, thence east along the said boundary to the seashore, thence following along the shore to the point of commencement, containing three hundred and sixty-one (361) acres, more or less.

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

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar, Range 1.  
 Take notice that Frank Furey, of Seattle, Wash., occupation channaman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
 Commencing at a post planted about six miles east of the Naas River and about seven miles north of Alyash, thence north eighty chains, east eighty chains, south eighty chains, west eighty chains to point of commencement.

FRANK FUREY.  
 H. P. Rutter, Agent.  
 Dated Oct. 31, 1911.  
 Pub. Dec. 14.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.  
 Take notice that I, CAROLINE JOHNSON, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:  
 Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 3065, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 60 chains to the southeast corner of Lot 3062, thence west 40 chains along south line of Lot 3062, thence north 20 chains along west line of Lot 3062, thence west 40 chains along south line of Lot 3062 to point of commencement, containing 560 acres, more or less.

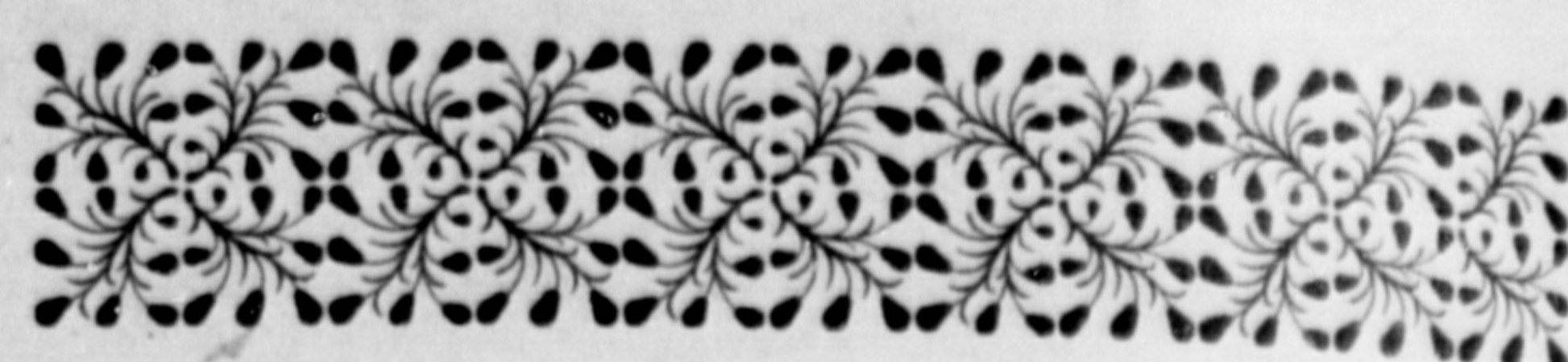
CAROLINE JOHNSON.  
 R. Carr, Agent.  
 Dated Dec. 23, 1911.  
 Pub. Jan. 18, 1912.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.  
 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) chains east of the northwest corner of Lot 1323, Range 5, Coast District, Purcell Island, thence following the shore line in a northeasterly direction about twenty (20) chains to the north end of the island, thence in a southwesterly direction along the shore to the point of commencement, being an island containing about forty (40) acres, more or less.

ABRAHAM H. BARBER.  
 Dated Dec. 6th, 1911.  
 Pub. Dec. 13.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.  
 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 from the southeast corner of Lot 1484, thence north 60 chains, thence east 30 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.  
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