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Hearst Campaign in Support of Reciprocity in Canada Is Aided and Abetted by President Taft.

OTTAWA, Sept. 18 .- A profound sensation was caused in Ottawa tonight through the following remarkable revelations published in the Ottawa ournal:

The Journal came into possession of sworn documents secured by the Thiel detective service of Canada which absolutely incriminate President Taft of being not only the sworn abettor but the secret originator of the infamous Hearst propaganda. The evidence is irrefutable and irresistible. The most damaging charge ever hurled against the chief executive of a supposedly friendly nation, it offers proof of its assertions to the very hilt.

One of the most prominent citizens of Montreal, a liberal by politics, a man well known in Ottawa, being duly sworn on Saturday last, makes affadavit of the following startling charges. He became quite friendly with Mr. William Hoster, for the past ten years the executive correspondent in Washington for the Hearst newspapers. Hoster told of his present work in Canada: he was sore at being sent to Canada at this time because he was enjoying a vacation at Beverly, Mass., with

Nice Conspiracy

President Taft

Hoster said that he nad been sent here at the instance of President Taft. His instructions for the trip, however, had been received from William Randolph Hearst, in whose employ he had been for the past ten years. Hearst. who is now in Europe, had cabled Mr. Taft that if the president wished it Hearst would send his best man, name ly. Hoster, to Canada to make a campaign in favor of reciprocity. Hoster stated that Taft mentioned this to him at the time, and this was before he had

been notified by his employer to pro-

ceed to Canada. Hoster said that he had wired Mr. Carvalho, who represents Hearst in his absence, to the effect that he preferred to remain at Beverly, where President Taft has a summer home. A copy of the telegram which came back to him from Carvalho was given to President Taft, and in discussing the matter with Hoster. Mr. Taft told him not to be a "damn fool." that he would be paid. for his work, always providing it was

satişfactory. Hoster added: "Evidently it is. That Hoster, the chief Hearst pleni-

potentiary, now in Canada, scraping up. raking up or digging up, whole reams of pro-Laurier and pro-reciprocity material for the Boston American and other campaign sheets designed for Canadian consumption, is not very proud of his-composition is shown by the following statements made to the aforesaid deponent: "Hoster said that since his jests? Is it a matter of little concern arrival in Montreal from New York

utmost caution and the closest secrecy, the "infernal machine" which was being laid in order to shatter Canada's inde-pendence has been set off. In the !urid light of that explosion stands the mas-sive figure of the arch-plotter—Presi-dent Taft. The intrigue which the urnal exposes today is the most dastardly conspiracy ever concosted against Canada. The Fenian raids of 1866 and 1870 bear no comparison. They were not hatched in Washington. The were of 1812, when the powerful United States tried to bully our feeble and sparsely settled country into submissio was the essence of honor compared with this plot of 1911. That was at least war-this is an underhanded and

of a friendly

underground plot. Flood of Hearst Organs. The flooding of Canadian cities with the Hearst organs has stirred up the passionate resentment of every self-respecting elector. Thousands upon thousands of Boston Americans, for example, have been imported as far from the border as Ottawa. With such calculating effrontery has their distribution been carried out that not a doorstep within the city limits but was littered with these sensational sheets, filled with pro-Laurier and pro-reciprocity concoo ons. Montreal, Toronto, and other Canadian communities, have been similarly blessed. Was it for this that the illus trious heroes of our British history fought their age-long battles and freely gave their lives? Was the soil of England empurpled by a hundred wars to vouchsafe to succeeding generations the right of the subject to the untrammelled ballot only to have this priceless jewel torn from our grasp by the magnates and the designing demagogues of the United States? And did Canadians re sist the armed violence of the vocifer ous southerners, hurling back, by God's help, forces ten times as great as our

in 1775, in 1812 and 1866, only to witness our country delivered over to Taft in 1911 by Taft's own machinations, and our British heritage bartered for less than a mess of pottage?

Much has been said of "unholv allian ces" supposed to exist in the present election, but every other union appears righteous contrasted with the black spectre of Canadians and foreigness linked together for the undoing of their Fvery other alliance is composed, to

ay the least, of Canadians. By joining west, for a number of years. Taft and Hearst. Laurier cannot evade responsibility for membership in that trinity of evil. Hearst has preached from the housetops the damnable heresy of Canada's early annexation. Taft, more cautious in his public utterances, has still committed himself to open con sent for the Hearst harangues. And man permitted the cross-examination. now, to can the climax, we know for a certainty what was hitherto a matter of shrewd conjecture, that Hearst's god father in this undertaking is the Pres-

To these reiterated insults. crving aloud to Heaven for vengeance on the would-be despoilers of a happy and prosperous nation. Laurier's only rejoiner is the bantering remark: "they don't know what they are talking about." With this host of wily foed making a desperate assault upon the citidel of our national existence, is it the time for a patriot to coin frivolous at a time and placed them on the navy little village of Ocos, on the coast of dock from where Day took them and Guatemala. The fate of the old gunboat that at the dictation of alien rulers; paid him \$2 per box. Day took his boat



time.

Trial of John Day Begins in County Court --- Witnesses From England Give Evi-

dence. The trial was begun yesterday in the ounty court before Judge Lampman of

John Day, who is charged with having goods obtained from the Royal Navy by theft, and Frederick Bullock, the informer, was put on the defensive with regard to his character in cross-exam ination by Mr. Stuart Henderson, K.C., for the defence. Bullock gave similar evidence to that given in the preliminary hearing in his direct evidence with the exception that while he had denied examining the goods seized at one Victoria Machinery Depot in the preliminary hearing he now stated that he had examined the goods and while he had previously stated that he could not dentify the boxes containing candles alleged to have been stolen he was now most positive in identification. In cross-examination Bullock stated that he was an American citizen, and when confronted with an arfidavit in which he swore that he was a gritish citizen when seeking to be placed on the voters'

list he denied having made the affidavit which was taken before Mr. Harvey Combe, and produced. Bullock denied that it was his signature appended to the document and said he could not say how his name came to be signed there. He refused to write his name so that his writing could be compared with the signature. The affidavit was made on March 28, 1908. His name was on the voters' list. Several Denials

Bullock denied that he was tried in Toronto on January 30, 1887, for uttering a forged cheque for \$300 and found guilty and sentenced to two years' imprisonment. He also denied that he was known at Kingston penitentiary as "Prisoner X954." He denied that he was

Chiapas, in an encounter between state in Toronto more than three months at troops and the 'rebellion's Indians of any time, although accused of conduct-Chiapas, according to despatches reing a business at 611 Queen street, ceived here. It was stated at the president's office that soldiers would be Mr. J. A. Aikman objected at length sent to Chiapas tomorrow. regarding the manner of cross-examination, holding that these questions im-WRECK GAVE pugning the character of the informer could not be asked. He quoted a number of authorities and Mr. Henderson quoted several authorities. Judge Lamp-Old Gunboat Wateree Lifted Ashore by Tidal Wave Aids Chilean But Fate

Benjamin Reid, who was chief carpenter's mate of H. M. S. Egeria, and who How fickle fate presented Antone El was brought from England by Inspector carte, an industrious Chilean planter, Collins to give evidence, was the first witness called. He stated he had sold with a fine large grist mill, only to twelve boxes of candles to the accused snatch it ruthlessly away a few years at \$2 per box. Reid said he had known later, was told yesterday by Capt. George Pierce of the United States accused for 18 years and one day acarmy transport Dix, to whose mind the cused had asked him if he had any goods to dispose of. He said he had not. story was recalled by the account of Day then said: "Well, some day you the strange use to which the wrecke Kosmos liner, Sesostris had been put may have."-Sometime between Januaryand March 1910 he had sold Day a After her stranding the Sesostris was dozen boxes of candles. He took three used to supply electric lights for the

Cross-examined Reid said he had also

sold goods to the Victoria Machinery

Depot. He was on leave in England

when Admiralty officers came to him

and told him four men were charged

session and he then owned up to his

share in the transaction. He considered

he would be punished later for his

at liberty on board the Shearwater and

able to have shore leave. Inspector Col-

lins had come out with him, he said,

at his request, in order to protect him

from attack, as "he feared his life

might be taken by the people he had

us that so have to be done to minimize the dan-ger to life and-limb to which those who go hunting at the season's open-ing are subjected. The victim on this occasion was J. Kennedy of 908 Russell street. He was tramping through the brush on Mount Finlayson on Sunday CAN BE OPENEL afternoon when struck on the face ith a fairly , spent and scattered harge from the gun of a man with a white pointer dog. One shot lodged in his cheek below the eye and another Liberal Plans to Steal Seats in

THE VICTORIA COLONIST

The man responsible hurried away,

Fire in Stokehold.

ion Oil company, and is engaged in car-

rying oil from here to the . Isthmus,

where it is pumped to the Atlantic side

Mexicans and Indians Fight

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 18 .- A number

persons were killed and many

PLANTER GRIST MILL

Also Took It Away

wounded today near Rio De Grijalva

through the company's pipe line.

Northern Alberta Shown by penetrated his neck. "You shot me," the lad shouted. Actual Experiments-Many Two more shots was the only ans wer which the injured party received Improper Boxes,

taking absolutely no notice, although it is stated that he could not have but heard the boy's exclamation. EDMONTON, Alta., Sept. 18 .- Reve-The accuracy of the foregoing is ations of the extent to which ballot ouched for by Mr. Jack Kennedy, boxes in Northern Alberta are conwell known sportsman of the city. structed so that they can be opened While the greater number of those without touching or injuring in any who wandered afield did not return way the lock or seal are being made with a large quantity of birds the "old daily. So great is the number of these guard," or the sportsmen who have een keeping their eyes in by clayimproper ballot boxes that have been seen and examined, and in some cases pigeon shooting during the off season actually opened, as they lay locked on and have keen-nosed canines in good the station platform while on their form, bagged enough of the feathered tribes to furnish themselves and way to the various deputy returning friends with a few days' supply of officers, that political workers are one of the choicest of table delicacies staggered. The grouse are by no means scarce, Perhaps the most dramatic and exbut as sportsmen put it, they have been overwhelmed by the army that

traordinary scene of the present cam-paign occurred at Tofield on Saturtook the field against them and are day. Here there were a number of the prudently keeping to cover for a short ballot boxes piled on the station platform awaiting trans-shipment to the various polling sub-divisions in Strathcona constituency. As is nat-SAN FRANCISCO. Sept. 18 .- Captain ural, a crowd collected and 'curiously Prowse, of the British tanker Oberon began to examine the boxes. Mayor here from Ancon, reports that August Friesbach had stated that thirty bal when about 250 miles north of Anot boxes had been constructed in this con, fire broke out in the stokehold. It city in such a way that by cutting a hurned for four hours and he estimates wire that runs around the bottom of the damage at about \$7,000. John Nichthe cover, or rather the top of the ols, first assistant engineer, suffered box under the cover, it was possible some burns, but had recovered and was to pull out this wire and so lift up the on duty when the tanker arrived here. id without touching the lock or re-The Oberon is under charter to the Un-

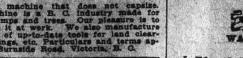
moving, the seal. Some of those in the crowd began to examine the boxes more closely They wondered how these boxes were made. They speculated as to whether it would be possible to open them. This on the face of it looked rather impossible, as they were locked and wer not supposed to be opened until election day. But imagine the amazement of the crowd when one of the boxes was actually opened, not by unlocking it, but simply by removing the wire at the back. Then it was a simple matter to lift up the lid, and several looked into the box and saw inside ballots, instructions to the returning officers, pencils and such other things as are sent to deputy returning officers for use in the polls on election day.

It appears that there were about 30 boxes piled on the platform. Most of these were old boxes. The new ones had a continuous wire running around the top of the box, to which the hinges of the cover were fixed. The old boxes were a little different. They in nearly every case had a wire around the top of the box, but it was cut out at the corners.

LEADVILLE, Col., .Sept. 18 .- The hree miners, imprisoned by a cave-in the shaft of the Morning Star mine for sixty hours, were brought to the surface tonight, none the worse for their experience.

LAND ACT

Salt Spring Island



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apert Land District, District of Rupert Take notice that Richard Lawrence, of Vancouver, B. C., dairyman, intends to apply for permission to purhcase the following described lands: Commenc-ing at a post planted at the N W. cor-ner of Section 35, Township 21, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less. RICHARD LAWRENCE.

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Fred. W. Spencer, Agent. May 16, 1911. LAND ACT

Victoria Land District, District of Coast Bange, No. 3

Take notice that I. J. W. Macfarlane, of Bella Coola, civil engineer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the S.E. corner of lot 614, I.L. 22099, and marked N. E. Corner, thence south 40 chains to N. boundary of lot 616, thence west along said boundary 31.14 chains to bank of Neccletsconnary river, thence north along bank of river to point of beginning, containing 80 acres more or less.

June 23, 1911. Coast Land District, District of Coast LAND ACT

District of Coast, Bange III. Take notice, that Wm. D. McDougald, of Vancouver, occupation laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of timber limit No. 44,215 on the east side of South Benedict Arm, thence north 80 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 60 chains to point of commence

ment, containing 480 acres more or less. WM. D. McDOUGALD, Wm. McNair, Agent. May 15, 1911.

## LAND ACT Alberni Land District-District of Clayoquot Take notice that Mary Dunsmuir, of

Vancouver, B.C., occupation married woman intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:-

Commencing at a post planted at northwest corner of Lot 555, marked M. D.'s N.E. Corner, thence west thirty (80) chains, south sixty (60) chains. east thirty (30) chains, and north sixty (60) chains to point of commence ment, containing 180 acres more or less. MARY DUNSMUIR,

> LAND ACT Alberni Land District-District of Clayoquot

macher, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation gentleman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:---

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Dated 3rd July, 1911.

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 873, marked H. L. R.'s N.W. Corner, thence south 40 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains, west 40 cuains, south 40 chains and west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 480 acres more

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Alberni Land District-District of

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Commencing at a post planted at the

northeast corner of Lot 509, marked

R. R.'s N.W. Corner, thence south 60

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60 chains, south 20 chains and west 20

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Commending at a post planted at the

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WM. D. McDOUGALD.

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ne of South Bentick Arm, thence north ollowing shore line 60 chains to post f commencement, containing 360 acres,

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District of Coast, Bange III.

ROBERT HANNA.

Wm. McNair, Agent.

WILLIAM ROBERTS. B. Fillip Jacobsen, Agent.

May 15, 1911.

June 5th. 1911.

May 30th, 1911.

Wm. McNair, Agent.

ROBERT RALPH.

John Cunliffe, Agent.

taining 520 acres more or less.

Take notice that Robert Ralph.

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Friday, September 22, 1911.

I, Edward Spelman Field, of Metchosin, by occupation a farmer, give notice that I intend on the 5th day of October, 1911, next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to apply to the water commissioner at his office at Victoria for a licence to take and use one quarter of a cubic foot of water per second from a creek crossing lots 13 and 14, Metchosin District tributary of Metchosin River, to be diverted at a point on said section 13

and 14. The water will be used on section 13 and 14, Metchosin, for irrigation pur-

E. S. FIELD August 25, 1911.

LAND ACT Coast Land District, District of Coast

TAKE notice that Harold Anderson of Toronto, Ont., occupation student, in tends to apply for permission to p Commencing at a post planted 16 hains south of the centre of the norri-end of Lady Island, thence south 8 thains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains o point of commencemen

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TAKE notice that George Arthur, of Toronto, Ont., occupation student, in-tends to apply for permission to pur-chase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south of the centre of the north end of Lady Island, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to noint of commencement.

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I am doing it, and they say my work is satisfactory."

All of the conspiracy did not leak out. Hoster expressed his chagrin in not being allowed to proceed with President Taft on his long tour, which began on September 15. Being a close friend of Mr. Taft's, and also ... Mr. Hearst's chief associate, he was surprised to find his plans spoiled, particularly when the president had asked him to accompany him on the tour, but because certain matters would come up before September 21 which would require his presence in Montreal, he was compelled to abandon that trip. Hoster refused to state what these matters were, except that Hearst had personal knowledge of them.

Here in boldest outline is the story of a plot against Canadian independence which for consummate impudence has no parallel in history. Hearst has been freely denounced and righteously execrated of late for his unblushing campaign for annexation, towards which goal reciprocity is a long step. But we now see Mr. Taft as the prime mover the crafty originats of the agitation.

Questions for Canaidans

What do Canadians think of this for eign interference in our elections? Are we a pack of ignoramuses that we need the guidance of a despicable brigand like Hearst, or the counsel of a scheming politician like Taft, who under cover of the smile of friendship snatches our birthright from us?

What business have the rapacious trusts of the United States, or their confederate, Mr. Taft, to meddle with current furnished by a salvage steamer our elections? Do we not know the du-As each charge was set off tons of waties of citizenship as well as the barons ter were thrown high in the air and the of the money barrel, who build themvessel reduced to wreckage. In this selves ivory mansions with the skulls of their greed-slain workers? Are not our liberties as partners of Britain larprovisions, was recovered. ger and our responsible government more conversant with the popular will than the United States, that we need their officious instruction? But it is not to help us in this election

that Hearst and the President have Chignik has been wiped out by the dis acted as plenipotentiaries for the gigantic American mergers; it is to help themselves, and that, too, first, to our

resources and then to our Dominion. The design is by any means fair or foul to decide the issue for us. With go of canned goods ever shipped from impious hand Taft would snatch away San Francisco to the United Kingdom the sacred right of suffrage by debauch was in the hold of the Hartson line ing the electorate with his tons of imfreighter Candidate, Capt. Rushforth, ported sheets flaring for the praise of which steamed for London and Liver-Laurier and his commercial pact with pool. The mammoth consignment con Washington. By despatching highly sisted of 203,000 cases, 175,000 cases of paid propagandists to Canada, by publicly bestowing his blessing on Hearst for nia fruits. The balance consisted of his annexation screeds, and, most of all, new season salmon. In addition to this the Candidate had shipments of wine, by himself instuting and abetting this shameless agitation President honey and lumber, the entire cargo be-Taft stands before the world convicted of the ing valued at \$750,000.

and abetted by alien gold, the protectto give every argument in favor of re- ing folds of the Union Jack are to be torn from our masthead to make room for the black flag of pirate trusts-"I am told to deal out this stuff and America's real rulers? With Canada aroused, the plot will surely fail. The annexation wolf tried

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to array itself in the clothing of the reciprocity sheep, but the sham is fortu- | with having naval goods in their posnately discovered in time. "Surely in vain is the net spread in sight of any bird."

A party question, yes, if the salvashare in the matter. He said he could tion of Canada for the British Empire not identify all the boxes produced in court, but maintained two were similar in 1812 was a party question. to those which he sold to Day. He had Laurier is sharing in the boodle-aidednot seen Day take the boxes, having Taft- Hearst propaganda for annexation

-he must share their overthrow. left them on the dock and they were gone in the morning. Awake, awake, put on thy strength, O Reid stated that he was not in charge Canada! of Inspector Collins, and that he was

DYNAMITED TO SAVE HER CARGO

fected the whites.

Candidates' Big Cargo.

## Ship Benjamin F. Packard Brings News of the Unusual Salving of the Wrecked Jabez Howes

ome to give evidence against.' Stewart Williams, auctioneer, who The ship Benjamin F. Packard, which held the naval sales gave similar evihas reached Seattle from Chignik, Alasdence as at the previous trials regarding ka, brought details of the dynamiting of the sales held by him and under cross-

the ship Jabez Howes, of the Columbia examination stated that he had sold a River Packers' Association, which was number of empty paint tins. George blown ashore in a gale at Anchorage Henshall, R. Hetheridge, former em-Bay, April 25th, while bound for the ployees of the Machinery Depot, and association's canneries on the Alaska Detective Carlow and Constable Cox coast with supplies and provisions. gave evidence similar to that given at The Packard grounded in the sam the preliminary hearing regarding the storm in which the Howes was lost, seizures at the Machinery Depot. but was refloated without damage. As The case was adjourned until 10.30 the Howes was entirely submerged and a. m. today.

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it was impossible to get to her cargo HUNTER INJURED large charges of dynamite were placed in her hold and exploded with electric WHILE SHOOTING

Kennedy Struck in Pace With Scattered Charge of Small Shot on Sunday

manner the greater part of the cargo which consisted of cannery supplies and It is doubtful whether ever before Officers of the vessel brought the in Victoria's history such a large numnews of an epidemic among the Indians ber of sportsmen turned out at a seaof the Chignik bay district, which has son's opening as left the city, with dogs and guns, last Saturday. The E. resulted in many deaths. Nearly one & N. and the V. & S. trains were half of the Indian population around thronged, a number of special cars being requisitioned for the convenience ease, which does not seem to have afof the excursionists, and even at that seating accommodation was at a premium. For the most part the week-end was not a fruitful one. Only those What is claimed to be the largest car-

who are well acquainted with the surrounding country and who are familiar with the favorite haunts of the blue and willow grouse were able to bring back creditable bags. The majority who disembarked at the local depots on Sunday night were tired, hungry, and not particularly triumphant. which are made up of various Califor-There was another shooting accident. Fortunately it wasn't very serious, but nevertheless the indignation among veterans of the chase as the news was discussed en route home. was deep and sincere. The opinio

and took them and he obtained the even more remarkable money a week later. These goods were In the year 1868 the Wateree on of the oldest and most antiquated of surplus stores, not entered in his book.

and other grains.

Cowichan Land District-District of American gunboats, dropped in at the port of Arica, Chile, on her way from the Atlantic coast to the Asiatic station. While the Wateree lay at anchor in the roadstead at Arica a huge tidal wave picked up the gunboat without warning and left her high and dry on the shore, seven miles from salt water. By a strange freak of fate the big wave left the Wateree on an even keel, looking much the same as she would appear in drydock were it not for the fact

Wateree, told of by Captain Pierce, was

that she rested in a dense forest sur rounded by tropical verdure. A few months after the tidal wave incident Captain Pierce put into Arica in a sailing vessel and walked out to view the Wateree. The government had

decided that she was too old to be worth anything for junk and so she lay deeply embedded in the jungle's soil and overrun with creepers. After an absence of several years Captain Pierce again landed in Arica and again went out to see how time had dealt with the old Wateree. As he approached the spot where she lay he was surprised to see a column of black smoke rising lazily above the tree tops. lands. When he came to the little clearing in which the Wateree lay he found the vessel a humming centre of activity.

Swarthy laborers ran about her decks shouting orders and native cars drew up to her side to land their loads of rice

Dumb with amazement it was some time before Captain Pierce plucked up courage to investigate. He was told that Antone Elcarte, a native planter, had taken possession of the old ship and converted her into a grist mill, in which all the rice for miles around was ground. Elcarte was a poor man when he started in, but was now a big man lands." among his people, as he had waxed wealthy from his use of the Wateree. The yessel's boilers furnished the steam to run the mill, the space in her

holds was used to store the ground rice and in the captain's quarters Elcarte had established his office. On May 9, 1877, when Captain Pierce was on the old square-rigger C. F. Sargent, in the harbor at Arica another tidal wave came, leaving havoc in its

wake. Seventy-seven vessels were disabled, four were lost and the loss of life was appalling. This tidal wave picked up the profitable little grist mill of Antone Elcarte as though it were chip, tore it away from its moorings in the forest and carried it back to within four miles of tidewater, leaving it there. This time fate was not so kind and the Wateree was left lying on her side, almost upside down, and half buried in sand and wreckage.

Elcarte's rice mill has gone as suddenly as it came, but it is said that his sons are still waiting for another big wave to rig... the Wateree and pu family again on a sound financial basis.

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of commencement, containing 480 acres. Take notice that John Halley, of Ganges, Salt Spring Island, occupation, artist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described more or less. to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of a small island known as "Sister," situated at the mouth of Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island, thence following the sinuosities of the coast line to the point of com-mencement, with the rocks adjacent and appertaining thereto. The foregoing Take notice that William Roberts, of Vancouver, B. C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following appertaining thereto. The foregoing forms one of the charted "Chain Is described lands:

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described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the south side of Noeek River and about 5 chains, more or less, from the S. W. corner of lot 6, South Bentick Arm, thence east along the Noeek River 60 chains south 60 chains to Indian re-serve, thence west 60 chains to shore line of South Bentick Arm, thence north **Cowichan Land District District of Sale Spring Taland** Take notice that John Halley, of anges, Salt Spring Island, occupation, artist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described ands: Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of a small island known as "Deadman's Island," in Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island, thence fol-lowing the sinuosities of the coast line to the point of commencement, with the rocks adjacent and appertaining thereto. <u>JOHN HALLEY.</u> September 5th, 1911.

Take notice that Robert Hanna, of Vancouver, motorman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the follow-ing described lands: COLLEGIATE SCHOOLS FOR BOYS ing described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the N. W. corner of lot 125, on the north side of Neclectsconey River, Bella Coola, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, more or less, thence south to lot 124, and following westerly boundary line of said lot to Dr. Quin-land's lot No. \$22, thence west along boundary of lots 322 and 125 to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

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TAKE notice that Mary Amelia Somerville, of Toronto, Ont, occupa-tion married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the follow-ing described lands: Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south of the cen-tre of north end of Lady Island, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains thence east 80 chains thence north 80 chains Amelia hence east 80 chains, thence south chains to point of commencement. MARY AMELIA SOMERVILE, Vancouver, B.C., occupation gentleman, Fred C. Johnson, Agent. August 7, 1911. intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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Take notice that Wm. McNair, Vancouver, cruiser, intends to apply fe permission to purchase the followin described lands: Commending at a post planted at th E. corner of lot No. 33, on the sout ide of North Bentick Arm, thence side of south 20 chains, thence west 40 chains thence south 20 chains, thence west chains, thence north 40 chains, more thence east 80 chains, following south boundary lines of lots No. 4 and 33 to point of commencement. WM. MCNAIR.

LAND ACT

May 30th, 1911.

District of Coast, Bange III. Southeast corner of Timber Limit No. Take notice that Jessie E. McN Vancouver, wife, intends to appermission to purchase the fell described lands: 44,215, on the East side of South Commencing at a post planted chains, thence west 60 chains to point N. W. corner of lot 252, on the side of North Bentick Arm, and the outer end of the Bella Coola ernment wharf, thence north 20 ch thence west 80 chains, thence south

chains, more or less, to shore lin North Benedict Arm thence east the shore line 80 chains, more or less point of commencement, containing acres, more or less., JESSIE E. MCNAIR.

Wm. McNair, Agent. May 30th. 1911.

LAND ACT

District of Coast, Range III. Take notice that Samuel Roberts, of Vancouver, B.C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following escribed lands Commencing at a post planted at the N.W. corner of lot 654, on the south side of Noeek River, South Bentick Arm. of Notes river, South Bendak and about 1% miles from the mouth of the river, thence south 60 chains. thence west to the Noeek River 60 chains, more or less, thence following the Noeek River in a N. E. direction to place of commence ment. containing

acres, more or less. SAMUEL ROBERTS. B. Fillip Jacobsen, Agent June 6th, 1911.

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