PLEBISCITE VOTE

But a Small Majority in Favor of Prohibition—Some Interesting Features.

Ontario's Change of Sentiment—British Columbia Favors the Proposal.

The total vote registered in Victoria on the question of prohibition was 2,050. At four o'clock, the hour when the Times went to press, it was anticipated that if the ordinary experience at elections held good yesterday and there was a crowding to the polls during the last hour the total vote would exceed that cast in the provincial election. But the ordinary experience did not occur yesterday, for the number of votes cast between four and five was very small indeed. This was due largely to the fact that the opinion was general that the polls closed at four. As foretold in the Times the majority against prohibition was a fairly large one, a very large one when the result in other cities in the province is taken into consideration.

Immediately upon the closing of the polls the count was proceeded with at the nine tables simultaneously and the result was known within an hour. The arrangements throughout were excellent and Returning Officer H. A. Munn deserves credit for the dispatch which marked the registering and counting of the vote.

In the district, Cedar Hill and Metchosin are the only two places which went for prohibition. Esquimalt registering a very strong anti-opinion, the figures being 80 against and 35 for.

There was considerable interest displayed in the result in the city and crowds watched the various bulletin boards during the evening. There was an attempt at a procession, the band playing on some of the principal streets and a crowd of small boys parading behind carrying new brooms and torches, but as a demonstration the thing was only a burlesque. All the saloons and hotel bars were kept closed until the midnight hour, when some few opened up for the night trade. In the music halls the usual performances were given but no intoxicants were sold, in fact Victoria was a strictly prohibition town for the whole twenty-four hours between midnight of Wednesday until 12 o'clock last night.

There was a strong feeling of disappointment among the friends of the prohibition cause, Victoria's stand as compared with that of Vancouver furnishing ground for much sincere regret for those who have worked so hard to secure a result favorable to the introduction of prohibitive legislation.

Following are the figures in the district:

	For.	Agst.
Victoria City	810	1,128
Willows	17	21
Esquimalt	35	80
Cedar Hill	35	5
Parson's Bridge	6	17
Tolmie	25	50
Metchosin	10	5
Total	938	1,306

Spoiled and doubtful ballots—Victoria City, 112; Cedar Hill, 5; Esquimalt, 4; Tolmie, 2; Parson's Bridge, 2.

VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

	For.	Ag'st.
North Saanich	30	31
Royal Oak	27	21
Cobble Hill	8	14
Duncan	23	60
Comox	55	23
Nanaimo	322	414
Alberni	74	25
Wellington	161	124
Cedar	23	72

WEST KOOTENAY.

Sandon	17	28
Robson (maj.)		11
Arrowhead (maj.)		6
Balfour (maj.)		4
New Denver (maj.)		23
Three Forks (maj.)	3	
Kuskanook (maj.)	2	
Slocan City (maj.)	20	
Nakusp (maj.)	4	
Ainsworth (maj.)	10	
Kaslo	77	72
Ymir	9	14
Nelson	107	129
Rossland	127	112
Revelstoke (maj.)	21	
Albert Canyon	7	8

YALE AND CARIBOO.

Lytton (maj.)		15
Ashcroft	25	11
Kamloops	185	88
Agassiz	41	13
150-Mile House	16	5
Soda Creek	5	1
Vernon	99	77
Armstrong	53	21
Enderby	30	9
Sicamous	1	1

WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

Coquitlam	6	4

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

Lillooet	17	30
Clinton	16	5

IN VANCOUVER.

Vancouver Sept. 29.—There were 1,589 votes cast in Vancouver to-day, an even 1,000 for prohibition and 562 against, with 27 spoiled ballots. The total number of names on the list is 5,900, and at the last provincial election within a few votes of 3,000 were polled. The total vote to-day would not have elected the lowest man on the ticket of the four candidates who were then successful.

AT ROSSLAND.

Rossland, Sept. 29.—The result of the prohibition plebiscite in Rossland is a barren victory for the prohibitionists. Little or no interest was manifested. Of a voting population of nearly 1,000 only 244 cast ballots. There were 277 for prohibition, 112 against and 1 spoiled and 4 rejected. Majority for prohibition 15.

Toronto, Sept. 29.—It is not too much to say that the prohibitionists of Toronto, in fact of Ontario generally, received a severe set-back by the result in this province, and particularly in this city, by to-day's voting. It has been confidently predicted that the result of 1894, when a majority in favor of prohibition of 2,500 was given in this city, and of 80,000 in the province, would be sustained at least, and probably improved upon. It would seem, however, that the business interests of the larger communities have been aroused to the commercial risks of a prohibitory law, and it is a remarkable fact that only one city in Ontario, namely, Brantford, has on this occasion given a majority in favor of prohibition.

In 1894 13 cities of Ontario gave a majority in favor of prohibition amounting to about 8,400. To-day the same cities gave a majority against prohibition of 8,200, Toronto contributing 3,250 to that figure.

The Maritime provinces have gone overwhelmingly in favor of prohibition, the majorities in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia being very large.

Quebec offsets this pretty well with a majority of 30,000 against.

Ontario's estimated majority against prohibiton is from 5,000 to 10,000, but returns are still very meagre from many localities, and this is not very certain.

It is thought that when the West has been heard from, the net result will leave a balance in favor of prohibition of something less than 10,000. But this figure may be increased to 20,000.

The anti-prohibitionists are very well satisfied with the result, but the leaders of the prohibition party speak very hopefully, and say that this is but the beginning of the battle which must be waged till they win. There was no speech-making by either side.

St. John, Sept. 29.—Returns up to 10 o'clock give a majority of over 15,000 for prohibition in the province of New Brunswick.

Halifax, Sept. 29.—Nova Scotia province goes 17,759 for prohibition.

The following are the details of the voting throughout the Dominion, so far as obtainable:

ONTARIO.

	For.	Agst.
Addington (incomplete)	225	43
Algoma (incomplete, maj.)	165	
Bothwell		
Brant, South	2,067	1,504
Brockville		
Bruce, East (4 to come)		326
Bruce, North (6 to come)	2,067	1,504
Bruce, West (15 to come)	620	
Cardwell		
Cornwall and Stormont (incomplete)	580	335
Dundas	1,034	268
Durham, East (7 to come)	926	509
Durham, West		
Elgin, East (5 to come)	1,884	1,831
Elgin, West (incomplete)	1,835	1,966
Essex, South	1,601	1,271
Frontenac (8 polls to come)	367	281
Glengarry (incomplete)	626	226
Grenville, South (3 to come)	435	331
Grey, East (incomplete, maj.)	375	
Grey, North (incomplete)	926	616
Grey South		
Haldimand and Monk (19 to come)	844	790
Halton (2 to come)	697	230
Hamilton		
Hastings, East (incomplete)	591	466
Hastings, North (incomplete)	585	271
Hastings, West		
Huron, East (incomplete)	453	289
Huron, South (incomplete)	701	201
Huron, West	1,397	617
Kent (5 polls short, maj.)	131	
Kingston		
Lambton, East (4 to come, maj.)	1,483	
Lambton, West (incomplete)	800	440
Lanark, North		
Lanark, South		
Leeds and Grenville (incomplete)	1,237	537
Leeds, South (maj.)	700	
Lennox (3 to come)	353	175
Lincoln and Niagara (incomplete)	1,128	1,545
London		
Middlesex, East (incomplete)	879	798
Middlesex, North (incomplete)	418	280
Middlesex, South (incomplete)	243	
Middlesex, West (4 to come)	516	
Muskoka (incomplete)	1,017	458
Nipissing (incomplete)	161	190
Norfolk, North		
Norfolk, South (incomplete, maj.)	1,000	
Northumberland, East		
Northumberland, West (incomplete, maj.)	152	
Ontario, North (incomplete)	1,192	663
Ontario, South (maj.)	300	
Ontario, West (11 to come)	1,137	597
Ottawa	2,612	3,312
Oxford, North (incomplete maj)	100	
Oxford, South (incomplete maj)	675	
Peel (3 polls to come, maj.)	6	
Perth, North		
Perth, South		
Peterboro, East (incomplete)	383	107
Peterboro, West (incomplete)	962	517
Prescott (incomplete)	592	1,426
Prince Edward (7 to come)	1,548	494
Renfrew, North		
Renfrew, South (incomplete)	766	648
Russell (incomplete)	992	754
Simcoe, East		
Simcoe, North (12 to come, maj.)	407	
Simcoe, South (incomplete)	853	382
Toronto	8,696	11,950
Victoria, North (18 to come)	510	175
Victoria, South (11 to come)	1,280	856
Waterloo, North		
Waterloo, South (5 to come)	1,393	1,627
Welland (incomplete)	839	1,196
Wellington, Centre (incomplete)	694	49
Wellington, North		
Wellington, South	1,678	1,247
Wentworth and Brant		
Wentworth, South (7 to come, maj.)	19	
York, East		
York, North		
York, West		

QUEBEC.

Argenteuil		
Bagot (15 to come, maj.)		777
Beauce (incomplete)	150	1,573
Beauharnois (6 polls short)	347	999
Bellechasse		
Berthier (incomplete)		783
Bonaventure		
Brome	1,161	783
Chambly and Vercheres		
Champlain	30	345
Charlevoix		
Chateauguay		
Chicoutimi (incomplete)	14	512
Compton (incomplete)	544	258
Dorchester		
Drummond and Athabasca (6 to come)	185	1,326
Gaska (6 polls to come)	185	1,326
Gaspe (votes later)		
Hochelaga	1,345	2,558
Jacques Cartier (incomplete, maj.)		939
Joliette (incomplete)	29	311
Kamouraska (incomplete)	31	721
Labelle (maj.)		314
Laprairie and Napierville	93	900
L'Assomption		
Laval		
Levis (incomplete)		600
L'Islet (2 only heard from)		125
Lotbiniere		
Maisonneuve		
Maisonneuve		
Megantic (incomplete)	46	211
Missisquoi (maj.)		239
Montmagny		
Montcalm (incomplete)	5	193
Montmorency (incomplete)	19	423
Montreal (maj.)		6,253
Portneuf		
Quebec Centre	721	339
Quebec East	313	2,251
Quebec West	196	969
Quebec County (incomplete maj.)		1,000
Richelieu (incomplete)	94	877
Richmond and Wolfe (3 to come)	6	
Rimouski (incomplete)	18	1,742
Rouville (13 to come, maj.)		1,272
St. Hyacinthe	151	2,210
St. Johns and Iberville (incomplete)	169	744
Shefford		
Sherbrooke (incomplete)	621	612
Soulanges		
Stanstead	170	621
Temiscouata		
Terrebonne		
Three Rivers and St. Maurice		
Two Mountains (incomplete)	12	237
Vandreu'l (incomplete, maj.)		18
Wright		
Yamaska (3 polls to come)	444	477

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Albert	534	98
Carleton	2,184	115
Charlotte	667	94
Gloucester (incomplete)	292	165
Kent		
Kings (2 to come)	1,646	274
Moncton	911	130
Northumberland (incomplete)	1,030	418
Restigouche	1,230	232
St. John City and County	3,376	1,631
Sunbury and Queen's	793	84
Victoria		
Westmoreland	2,900	693
York	1,625	219

NOVA SCOTIA.

Annapolis	1,782	140
Antigonish	561	482
Cape Breton	1,642	446
Colchester	2,360	142
Cumberland	3,504	238
Digby	668	202
Guysborough (9 to come)	700	142
Halifax City	1,321	393
Halifax County	2,417	447
Hants	1,604	120
Inverness	420	313
Lunenburg	1,166	183
Pictou	1,843	172
Queen's	940	33
Richmond	224	205
Shelbourne	1,185	28
Victoria	280	56
Yarmouth	1,623	122

MANITOBA.

Winnipeg, Sept. 29.—Returns from all parts of Manitoba up to midnight indicate that prohibition will carry in the province by about ten thousand majority. As compared with the Manitoba vote at the general election of 1896 the total vote shows a large decrease, the "antis" at many points abstaining from voting almost entirely, and the prohibitionists vote is smaller than had been expected.

In Winnipeg the total vote was 1,451 for and 923 against, a majority of 528. The election here passed off quietly and without any special incident.

In Macdonald constituency Portage la Prairie gave a majority of 202. The vote was very light at other points. The constituency will give over 3,000 majority for prohibition.

Marquette polls heard from up to midnight give prohibition a majority of 800, but many are yet to be heard from. Birtle gave 61 for and 1 against.

Provencher returns are very meagre owing to the distances from the railway. There will be a small majority for prohibition there.

Lisgar has gone overwhelmingly prohibition 80 per cent. of the vote cast being in its favor. The vote in Selkirk constituency indicates a good majority for prohibition.

Returns from Brandon constituency also show a large majority for prohibition. Brandon city gave 343 for and 95 against. The majority is estimated at 3,000.

In the North-west Territories only points adjacent to the railway have been heard from. All give majorities for prohibition, but complete returns cannot be expected for two or three days.

NANAIMO NOTES.

Nanaimo has awarded a contract for one thousand feet of fire hose and will purchase a larger steam fire engine. Wellington will also install a steam fire engine.

The Hornets rugby team have re-organized for the coming season, and intend to bring the juniors to the front.

Ralph Smith, M.P.P., has returned from Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Bell arrived by the Joan last evening from their honeymoon trip.

The shipments of coal from this port for the month of September are as follows:

New Vancouver Coal Co.

2	Roanoke, Seattle	450
3	Burmah, Los Angeles	4,300
7	San Mateo, Los Angeles	4,600
10	Siam, Los Angeles	4,405
10	Horsa, Vancouver	300
11	Amur, Mary Island	175
15	Titania, San Francisco	5,250
18	Burmah, Los Angeles	4,300
19	Fastnet, Mary Island	70
22	Manchese, Mary Island	350
23	Holyoke, Port Townsend	60
24	Pioneer, Port Angeles	25
26	Siam, Frisco	4,379
28	Titania, Frisco	5,300
29	Amur, Mary Island	250
29	Tordenskjold, Shanghai	150
	Total	34,215

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3	Dirigo, Victoria	115
6	Tacoma, Port Townsend	40
8	Sea Lion, Port Townsend	18
8	R. D. Rice, Frisco	3,500
8	Diamond Head, Honolulu	1,500
9	City of Topeka, Victoria	170
10	Amy Turner, Honolulu	1,400
12	Wellington, Frisco	2,600
13	Grand Rapids, Mary Island	60
13	Miowera, Vancouver	850
14	Pioneer, Port Townsend	35
18	Dirigo, Seattle	130
22	Bristol, Frisco	2,600
23	E. B. Sutton, Frisco	2,675
25	City of Topeka, Victoria	150
	Total	15,843

THE REBELLION SPREADING.

Madrid, Sept. 30.—A dispatch received here from General Rios, the Spanish governor of Vizcaya Island, who was reported to have recently proclaimed himself governor-general of the Spanish possessions in the Philippines, reports that insurgent expeditions have arrived at Vizcayas. The rebellion is spreading, and several provinces in the island of Luzon have been invaded and some officers, gendarmes and families massacred. Government officials at Iloilo, island of Panaya, have fled to Manila.

THE COMMISSIONERS AT WORK.

Paris, Sept. 30.—The United States peace commission has taken possession as working quarters of a suite of seven rooms at the Hotel Continental. American flags draped the entrance. The commission has been systematized and is now working hustly. The spirit of the Paris press is daily rendered into English for information of the commissioners and the same thing is done with the newspapers of Madrid. The American commissioners held their usual session this morning. The Spanish commissioners formally deny various interviews of their instructions which have appeared in the newspapers.

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Absolutely Impossible for the Government to Force Any Federal Law.

The Most Interesting Features of the Vote—Some Eastern Press Opinions.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—"A black eye for prohibition," is Mr. Blair's summing up of yesterday's plebiscite. The Free Press says: "The adverse majority in the province of Quebec alone is such as would make it absolutely impossible for the government to force any federal law to compel the destruction of the liquor interests. As one gentleman in the council of the land remarked, 'It would simply mean Quebec's withdrawal from confederation. The province has ever stood for the maintenance of individual rights. It was so when the land was stricken by the agitation on the Manitoba school question. It was so at an earlier day in the history of Canada, at the time of the rebellion, and it holds good to-day.'" This is taken here to indicate the opinion of the secretary of state, the father of the Scott act.

Toronto, Sept. 30.—One of the most interesting features of the vote was the different attitude of the cities of Ontario from that taken in the provincial plebiscite in 1894. Four years ago they gave a majority for prohibition of 8,246. Yesterday they gave a total majority against prohibition of 8,160. The following table shows the results of the two plebiscites for the cities of Ontario. In cases where the full figures are not to hand the majority for or against is given, leaving the net result the same:

1894. For.	1894. Agst.		1898. For.	1898. Agst.
985	585	Belleville		72
1,705	694	Brantford	152	1,142
392		Chatham	444	97
1,018	650	Guelph	579	779
4,131	2,805	Hamilton	2,997	5,244
1,396	948	Kingston	1,148	1,565
2,741	1,319	London	2,480	3,465
2,867	2,081	Ottawa	2,612	3,312
711	727	Stratford		268
825	755	St. Thomas	735	1,081
629	468	St. Catherines		465
11,334	8,791	Toronto	8,696	11,950
671	779	Windsor		640
29,405	21,102	Total	19,843	30,080
8,303		Majority		10,237

Montreal, Sept. 30.—The Herald says it does not anticipate that the prohibitionists will seriously urge immediate legislation. No reasonable person, it thinks, will deny the unfitness and mischievousness of an attempt to impose a sumptuary law on Quebec, in face of public sentiment as hostile as yesterday's returns show it to be.

The Star says that under no circumstances whatever, even in the event of all the provinces showing majorities for prohibition, will Sir Wilfrid Laurier commit his government to a prohibition bill.

La Patrie, Mr. Tarte's paper, says that as only one-fourth of the electors have voted, that one-fourth cannot with any reason expect to regulate the affairs of the country and to impose its wish.

Halifax, Sept. 30.—The totals for the various counties in Nova Scotia reported last night are not materially changed. The Chronicle says that when returns are complete it will probably be found that Nova Scotia is the banner province of the Dominion, with Prince Edward Island a close second.

Winnipeg, Sept. 30.—Returns of the plebiscite from central divisions in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories are still in doubt owing to the inaccessibility of many points. The prohibitionists, however, claim a majority in every constituency. Returns from Alberta, Saskatchewan and Provencher, where a large proportion of the population is French speaking, indicate that the vote will be close. The majorities in remaining constituencies are estimated as follows: Selkirk, 500 for; Macdonald, 1,000 for; Brandon, over 2,000 for; Lisgar, 1,300 for; Marquette, 600 for; West Assiniboia, 900 for; East Assiniboia, 1,800 for. The total majority for Manitoba is placed at 7,000. Local prohibitionists express satisfaction with the sweep in Manitoba and urge that local option should be immediately voted upon, as districts where it has been enforced show increased majorities for.

Toronto, Sept. 30.—There is very little difference of opinion among temperance men as to what the government should do as the result of the plebiscite. Dr. Potts, a leading Methodist, says the vote is too small to justify a prohibitory law. F. S. Spence, secretary of the Dominion Alliance, said the attitude of the people of Quebec had imported into the question a racial complication which the government might find very hard to deal with.

J. J. Maclaren, Q.C., is sanguine. This vote, he admits, is disappointing, but prohibitionists have a majority as large as put the Laurier government in power, and he takes it for granted that they will press their advantage and ask the government for a prohibitory law. Whether the government will give it in face of the adverse majority in Quebec and the verdict of the cities is another question.

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S VOTE.

	For.	Agst.
Victoria District	938	1,306
Vancouver Island District	539	588
Vancouver City	1,000	652
Westminster City	433	165

WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

	For.	Agst.
Coquitlam	6	4
Burnaby	14	5

WEST KOOTENAY.

	For.	Agst.
Sandon	17	28
Robson (majority)		6
Arrowhead (majority)		4
Balfour (majority)		23
New Denver (majority)	3	
Three Forks (majority)	2	
Kuskanook (majority)	20	
Slocan City (majority)	4	
Nakusp (majority)	10	
Ainsworth (majority)	77	72
Kaslo		14
Ymir	107	129
Nelson	127	112
Rossland	84	63
Revelstoke	7	8
Albert Canyon		

EAST KOOTENAY.

	For.	Agst.
Fort Steele	24	28
Wardner	1	5
Cranbrook	3	17
Kimberley	0	4
Golden	30	32
Palliser	4	3
Donald	16	10
Beaver	10	7
Lillooet	17	30
Clinton	16	5

YALE AND CARIBOO.

	For.	Agst.
Lytton (majority)		15
Ashcroft	25	11
Kamloops	185	88
Agassiz	41	13
150-Mile House	16	5
Soda Creek	5	1
Vernon	99	75
Armstrong	53	22
Enderby	34	9
Sicamous	1	1
Lumby	8	17
Benvoulin	2	2

THE OTHER SIDE.

What Chinese Merchants Have to Say About the Alleged Conflict in Victoria's Little China.

There are two sides to every question and some of the merchants of Chinatown think that the report in the Times last evening of strife in the Chinese quarter, while undoubtedly possessing a substratum of fact, gave an impression which they think is calculated to do harm. In justice to them and because the facts of the case as detailed by them deserve to be made known it should be stated that the Chee Kung Tong society is in Chinese what the Masonic order is in English. It numbers among its members all classes of Chinese; it is purely fraternal, is not confined to any particular clique or section and is certainly not a highbinder society.

There are at present in Victoria a larger number of Chinese than usual owing to the shutting down of the canneries, and to the fact that many New Westminster Chinese have been driven by the fire to take up their home in this city. Times are none too prosperous among the Chinese just now owing to the failure of the fishing season, and it is possible that unless the poorer men observe the principles of thrift and carefulness they may feel the pinch of poverty before the season is over. Realizing this, the members of the Chee Kung Tong, in the exercise of what they consider their duty to their less provident brethren, have held several meetings and attempted to persuade their weaker friends from wasting their substance in riotous living. But the leading members deny that they have proposed to levy blackmail and also that anything in the shape of a conflict has resulted. One of them told a Times reporter to-day that in the first place this is no quarrel between the Sam Yups and See Yups at all, as stated by the morning paper; the Chee Kung Tong includes members of both; and it is not an attempt to levy blackmail for the purposes of any society. It is merely the outcome of the desire of the more reasonable Chinese to assist their less fortunate countrymen from unnecessarily feeling the distress and poverty likely to result from habits of extravagance at the gaming table; a work, in fact, which is similar to that of all societies having for their object the increase of thrift and providence.

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DAWSONITES WILL SUFFER.

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—The steamer Leelanawa arrived from St. Michaels today with nearly 150 passengers, many of whom are miners. It is impossible to estimate the amount of gold drafts brought down by the passengers, as most of them refuse to state their wealth. The miners complain bitterly against alleged over-charges on the part of Canadian officials, the 10 per cent. clause being the chief bone of contention. The miners say there will be much suffering at Dawson this winter.

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Alberni, B. C., 21st September, 1898.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that after 30 days from date I intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to prospect for coal on the following described tract of land situate on the south shore of the south-west arm of Sproat Lake, Alberni district, commencing at a post marked N.W. corner H. D. Faber (which is placed 10 chains south and 80 chains east) of the N.E. corner of lot 100, thence east 80 chains, south 80 chains; west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement.

H. D. FABER.

Alberni, B. C., 21st September, 1898.

IN THE MATTER OF THE "TRAMWAY COMPANY INCORPORATION ACT."

Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, desire to form a company under the name of "The Taku and Atlin Lake Tramway Company, Limited," for the purpose of building, equipping and operating a single or double track tramway, beginning at a point on Taku Arm, in the district of Cassiar, in the province of British Columbia, where the waters of the Atlintoo river joins those of the said Taku Arm; thence along the valley of the said Atlintoo river, on the northern side of the said river, to the most convenient point where the said Atlintoo river joins Atlin Lake, in the said district of Cassiar; and also for the purpose of building, constructing, equipping and operating a telephone or telegraph line or lines in connection with the said tramway, and with power to build, construct, equip and operate branch lines.

Dated at the city of Victoria, this 26th day of August, A.D. 1898.

FREDERICK G. WHITE,
LYMAN P. DUFF,
FRANK A. BENNETT.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that two months after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, of land situate in the District of Cassiar, province of British Columbia, described as follows: Commencing at a post marked A. E. Ironmonger Sola, on the north bank of the mouth of Atlinto river; thence forty (40) chains north; thence forty chains east; thence south to the river; thence following the bank of the river to place of commencement; containing one hundred and sixty acres, more or less.

Dated at Lake Bennett, this 2nd day of August, 1898.

A. E. IRONMONGER SOLA.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of unsurveyed, unoccupied and unreserved crown lands, situate in Cassiar district, described as follows: Commencing at J. F. Fell's northwest stake; thence 40 chains west; thence 40 chains south to J. Leahy's corner post; thence east 40 chains to T. Tugwell's northwest post; thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1898.

THORNTON FELL.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that two months after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in Cassiar district, described as follows:

Commencing at L. Goodacre's northeast post; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to T. Tugwell's northwest post; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

Dated this 16th day of June, 1898.

JAS. F. FELL.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described piece of land: Commencing at a post marked S. W. Davis, west of Discovery Claim on Pine Creek, Atlin Lake, Cassiar; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; containing 160 acres, more or less.

S. W. DAVIS.

Lake Bennett, Aug. 12th, 1898.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and remove timber and trees from off a tract of land situate in Cassiar District, more particularly described as follows: Commencement post on the north-west corner at the end of a little bay, situate on the east shore of Taku Arm of Tagish Lake; thence runs east (½) one half of a mile; runs south (1½) one and a half; and runs west (½) one half of a mile; then follows the shore of the east side of Taku Arm north (1½) one mile and a half to the commencement post.

C. RACINE.

NOTICE.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and remove timber and tress off a tract of land, situate in Renfrew district, Vancouver Island, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a post about 50 chains above the Corbett mineral claim, on the Gordon river; thence 50 chains sluth; thence 50 chains west; thence 50 chains north; thence 50 chains west; thence 50 chains north; thence 50 chains east to the river; thence down the river to the place of commencement, comprising one thousand acres, more or less.

WILLIAM PARNELL EMERY,
Port Renfrew.

23rd August, 1898.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in Cassiar district, described as follows:

Commencing at L. Goodacre's northeast post; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to T. Tugwell's northwest post; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1898.

THORNTON FELL.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated in Cassiar District, Province of British Columbia: Commencing at a post on the shore of Atlin Lake, marked "T. H. Worsnop," N.E. corner, about one and a half miles northly of Atlintoo river; thence westerly 20 chains; thence 80 chains north; thence 20 chains easterly; thence following the lake shore in a northly direction back to point of commencement; containing in all one hundred and sixty acres (more or less).

Dated this the twenty-seventh day August, 1898.

T. H. WORSNOP.

NOTICE.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situate at the head of Kitamaat Arm, Coast District.

Commencing at a post 20 chains south of D. D. Mann's northwest corner; thence north 40 chains; west 40 chains; south 40 chains; east 40 chains, to point of commencement, containing 160 acres.

LEWIS LUKES.

Kitamaat Arm, August 20, 1898.

NOTICE.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in Cassiar District, commencing about midway on the Southern boundary of William Field's land; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, to point of commencement.

THOMAS TUGWELL.

August 24th, 1898.