

"The Lucerne of British Columbia"

The Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company has surveyed a branch line to the lake, which, when completed, will bring it within five hours of Vancouver or Victoria.

Alberni can also be reached by the weekly steamer from Victoria, a most delightful run of about sixteen hours up the West Coast.

An album of views of the Lake and District can be seen at the office of

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from whom full information regarding prices, etc., can be obtained.

Extract from "Victoria Daily Times," Friday, January 21st, 1910:

Mr. Marpole announced that all the land fronting on Sproat Lake has been bought up by people in Vancouver and Victoria, who purpose erecting summer cottages.

He said that it was by the merest chance that he himself had been enabled to get a site for a summer home.

On learning that he had better hurry before all the land was taken up, he looked into the matter and found that only two and a half acres remained, which he immediately secured.

A large number of the leading people of Vancouver are intending to erect cottages there at once. Among these are J. H. Senkler, K. C., and E. P. Davis, K. C.

Mr. Marpole is of the opinion that Sproat Lake will become one of the most popular summer resort points on the Coast.