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THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

It is said Earl Grey got lost in the jungle and tangle of the British Columbia coast woods and narrowly escaped death in the abyssal depths of a canyon dug by the powerful hand of nature. Probably the tale, like the description of Mark Twain's death, is greatly exaggerated. The discriminating reader has doubtless detected already the "journalistic touch," the fine hand of the reporter who knows how to impart to a story the frills, the thrills and the flourishes which magnify an ordinary incident of little moment into an affair bristling with horrid possibilities.

It is quite safe to say that His Excellency will not admit half that is told in that weird yarn of narrow escape from a terrible fate. He will pooh-pooh the incident as something that has been magnified far beyond the proportions it deserves even in the columns of the yellow journals. But, be that as it may, we are pleased to welcome His Excellency back to the realm where grizzly bears and other beasts of the British Columbia jungle do not roam seeking whom they may devour and there are no yawning chasms set for the feet of noblemen and common persons who wander from the beaten paths.

Earl Grey is a loyal and true Canadian whose work is yet far from finished; one whom we all delight to honor as one of the master minds of his day and generation; a good fellow and a wise statesman. No occupant of Rideau Hall has so thoroughly identified himself with the interests of Canadians, has become so thoroughly imbued with the true Canadian spirit. In Imperial councils he has spoken as a Canadian first. In Dominion councils his advice, frankly given, and mature and wide experience, have been of great assistance in solving some of the most perplexing questions of the day. His distinguished services are freely acknowledged by the Prime Minister and his colleagues in the government. None are better pleased than they that His Excellency's term at Ottawa has been extended by the Imperial government. British Columbians will unanimously join in extending a cordial welcome to Earl Grey and hope this is not the last time he will honor the province with his presence. He is one of the great pro-consuls of the British Empire. He is destined to fill other high positions in the service of his Sovereign. But wherever duty may call him, he can hardly gain more completely the confidence, esteem and affections of another people than he has the confidence, esteem and affections of Canadians.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
Victoria will have the distinguished honor of entertaining to-day three great men—Earl Grey, the most popular Governor-General Canada has had since the days of Lord Dufferin and A. A. Macdonald, and the two men who are known for wit and eloquence; Sir Edward Clouston, a financier upon whose word Canada hangs at times when clouds lower on the business horizon; and Lord Strathcona, a patri-

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arch who may be said to have been present on the interesting occasion when Canada was born and to have watched the young lady with yearning eyes as she developed into promising, attractive womanhood. We trust our words may be considered void of offence if for the time being we pass over the statesman and the man whose specialty is finance and give to the man of general affairs the place of honor. In the case of Lord Strathcona the generalization of the Psalmist does not apply. His Lordship has passed by eighteen years the allotted span, yet his natural force is not abated, his is as active in the affairs of his adopted country as he ever was in the days when his remarkable talents were devoted to the service of the Hudson's Bay Company, and he is as enthusiastic in regard to the future of the West now that it is coming into its inheritance as he was in the old days when it was known as the Great Lone Land and its fertile plains were the exclusive possession of Gentlemen Adventurers, tribes of roving red men and bands of wild buffalo. If the world had not passed from the romantic to the prosaic, the career of Lord Strathcona might be described as romantic in the highest degree. He has been in turn pioneer, business man, member of Parliament and High Commissioner to Great Britain. And while his services have been of inestimable value to Canada, it cannot be said that Canada has not in turn used him well. His Lordship has accumulated great wealth in a way alike honorable to himself and complimentary to the country.

Dealing with Lord Strathcona's career and the events in Canada which have marked its progress, the Toronto Globe of Thursday last says:

"It is now nearly sixty years since Lord Strathcona went from Labrador to the West as a member of the staff of the Hudson's Bay Company. Among those who were present yesterday there must have been very few persons who were then living or even sojourning at Port Garry, for men of ninety have few contemporaries. Changes occurred slowly during his first twenty years, because the Hudson's Bay Company's regime had become crystallized long before his time; but during the next forty years the transformations have been kaleidoscopic: the purchase of the territory in 1869; the Red River rebellion immediately afterward; the formation of the province of Manitoba, with Winnipeg as its capital; the annexation of the provinces of British Columbia; the beginning of the Canadian Pacific Railway as a government work, and its continuation to completion by a company; the organization of the Northwest Territory, and afterwards of the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta; the development of two new transcontinental railways, and the exploitation and settlement of the Yukon. To one who is perennially young, as Lord Strathcona is, the retrospect must have been intensely interesting, for he has been no indolent spectator of this march of progress, but a strenuous participant in the transformation movement."

INFORMATION WANTED.

It is satisfactory to note that the City Council has decided to go slowly in the matter of submitting another water by-law to the people of Victoria. Give us time to get our bearings and for the heat of the late campaign to diffuse itself in the atmosphere. We are quite assured that in the existing state of the public mind the proposition to adopt Sooke Lake as a source of future water supply could not carry. It is quite true that a great deal of information bearing upon the matter has been collected by city officials, by Engineer Adams on behalf of the city and by Engineer Ashcroft on the initiative of the provincial government. But such information as has been gathered is not fixed definitely and clearly in the minds of ratepayers. It has not been put in a form in which it can be readily understood and assimilated. Vague statements as to the probable cost of the undertaking and the manner in which it might be carried out have not tended to dissipate this confusion of mind and vagueness of thought. For example, engineers say the idea of the construction of a pipe line over the roundabout route is not tenable. The initial cost and the expense of maintenance would be too heavy for a city of the population of Victoria. People who are not engineers talk of an open ditch as the most feasible plan. Others say siphon the water over the mountains as has been done in other parts of the world. Experts contend that tunneling the Sooke Mountains is the thing to do from a practical and technical point of view. In this case in a multitude of counsels we have nothing but confusion of mind. Whether there is a possibility of all the data being put in a form that will admit of popular assimilation is a question. The experience of the past is not cheering. But definite information upon one point is essential. The cost of the undertaking must be made clear before the ratepayers can be asked to accept it.

DR. COOK'S ACHIEVEMENT.
Dr. Cook says he has placed the stars and stripes over the north pole. Quite so, and very patriotic and interesting. The doctor doubtless felt confident that he would succeed in reaching the apex, and took the emblem of freedom along in order that nothing should

be lacking that would add the crowning glory to his wonderful achievement. We hope the hosting of Old Glory was accompanied by proper ceremonies. Did the explorer take a bugle along also and send a loud fanfare reverberating amongst the icebergs as the colors were unfolded to the withering northern blasts. Of one thing we are quite assured, the feat of Dr. Cook will not lead to any serious "flag incidents," unless perchance a walrus and a polar bear, inhaling the unwonted atmosphere of freedom and independence, should have a dispute as to which should have the honor of first saluting it and read each other to pieces. It will be some time ere a human being of any nationality shall be in a position to haul down that flag, given that people of nationalities other than American are in the habit of indulging in such practices.

We do not know with any degree of exactitude what benefits the world will reap from the great achievement of Dr. Cook. We shall doubtless be told that the matter is of vast scientific importance, which there is no reason to doubt. But there is no question that the intrepid adventurer is entitled to all the honor and glory and whatever else of a more substantial character may follow his wonderful feat of endurance and undaunted courage. He is the more to be congratulated because of the fact that he went about the undertaking so unostentatiously. There was no bragging about what he was going to do, no advertising of the manner in which he purposed doing it. The doctor formulated a plan of his own, in which neither balloons nor flying machines formed a part. He was not accompanied by a retinue of assistants, guides and purveyors. So little did he advertise his expedition that it is doubtful whether more than a few hundred people in the whole world knew that he was in the Arctic regions.

DEATH IN A SCRATCH.

Simple Injuries With Serious Results.

Morris Quatman, an eleven years old Windsor boy, who just died as the result of a scratch on his wrist, Poison entered the wound, which was caused by falling off his bicycle, and despite the physicians, the boy died. Such incidents as these—by no means infrequent—ought to make people realize the danger that may lie even in the smallest flesh wound.

Take a simple illustration. When a dirty knife, a rusty needle, a splinter of dirty wood, a barbed wire fence, or a thorn, scratches the hand, the latter is inoculated with germs, of which the air about us is full. Directly these germs enter the wound, they begin to breed in the skin, a battle royal ensues between them and certain organisms in our blood.

When the invading germs are too strong for Nature's defenses, in a few hours the finger will become hot and throbbing. A little later the wound may exhibit a whitish appearance, the middle of the wound, however, will have what is known as a "fester" of poisoned wound.

The way to avoid such serious results is to cleanse the wound and apply Zam-Buk. Zam-Buk is a powerful yet painless germ killer, and when applied to the broken skin is absorbed into the tissue, instantly destroying the germs that spread disease and inflammation. The flesh is thus soothed and purified, the wound made perfectly healthy, and all poison and cause of festering removed. Having done this, Zam-Buk then proceeds to heal the wound with a new healthy tissue. In a few days the wound is healed, and the patient is free from all danger.

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FORMER OPERATIC STAR DEAD.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 31.—Mrs. Inez Fabi Muller, famous a generation ago as a prima donna, died at a German hospital here, following a paralytic stroke that overcame her June 25th.

Mrs. Fabi Muller was born in Vienna 80 years ago. She was the first director of the grand opera house in this city in the early 70's and was the first woman in America to bring European grand opera stars to this country.

Continuing, and dealing specifically with the requests made, His Lordship said these matters were primarily in the hands of Mr. Chipman, who had given their entire confidence and who had given the company great satisfaction in his work in Canada.

His Lordship's statements were received most heartily by the deputation, giving the liveliest satisfaction to all present.

—A meeting of the executive of the W. C. T. U. and the advisory board of business men was held Tuesday afternoon, at which favorable reports regarding the negotiations for the purchase of the St. Francis hotel were received. Pending the actual purchase of the hotel, temporary quarters for the W. C. T. U. have been secured on Langley street near the Astor hotel. Mrs. Field, the matron, is in charge, and any friends desiring to leave contributions with her for the purchasing fund can do so.

RED CLIFF COMPANY IS DOING GOOD WORK

Portland Canal Making Good Showing as Mining District.

A. D. Tennant, representing the Red Cliff Mining Company, operating on Portland Canal, is in the city. The company, with a tunnel on Lydden Creek, is promising excellently well. At present in a cross-cut, he says his company is working in \$5 feet of solid ore.

The Portland Canal Company, says Mr. Tennant, needs no boosting. The plain truth about the properties there is sufficient. The camp is sure to become a very rich producer. Hon. William Templeman, Minister of Mines, and R. H. Brock, superintendent of the geological survey, paid a visit to Stewart City and were greatly pleased in the district. Brock has promised next season to have an examination made for the geological survey.

BOARD OF TRADE MAKES REQUEST

(Continued from page 1.)

You found the British possessions on this continent a group of scattered colonies separated by a wilderness, and you are now the honored representative at the heart of the Empire of a country one in government and sentiment stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and from the 49th parallel to the Arctic ocean.

Again, my lord, we thank you and we honor your work and desire to express the hope that you may long be spared to see its fruition.

We have the honor to be, My Lord, Your Lordship's Most Obedient Servants,

(Signed) SIMON LEISER, President of Victoria Board of Trade.

Following the reading of the address, Mr. Leiser in a happily phrased address, added his personal tribute to His Lordship and praised the work both of the distinguished governor, and of the company itself. He also eulogized Mr. Chipman, the commissioner, and praised his work in Canada. He was glad that Mr. Chipman had manifested such an interest in the city of Victoria, and had shown his appreciation of its educational facilities, sending two of his sons to be educated here, while only yesterday he had commenced his scholastic course here, as well.

Following Mr. Leiser, the Chief Justice urged upon His Lordship that, in the event of a Western Hemisphere Commission, selecting Victoria as the site for the university, that the local committee should have the privilege of designating certain company lands as the site for the university. Such a policy, on the part of the company would be in harmony with its past history, and with the interest which His Lordship had always manifested in the cause of higher education.

Following the Chief Justice, who outlined a number of arguments in support of his request, Messrs. F. Norris and John Jardine, M.P.s, asked for the consideration of the company in the matter of procuring a site for an experimental farm in the vicinity of Victoria from company lands.

His Lordship, in replying, warmly thanked the board for their kindly expressions, and modestly disclaimed any right to such encomiums. He maintained the fact that this city was the oldest in the West, and was a city and a centre of industry, trade and wealth long before the existence of other places which had now become important centres. Of the charms of this city he could not speak too highly, for it is a city which for beauty is worth coming many miles to see," he declared enthusiastically.

With regard to the policy of the company, he said that he would remind his hearers that although there was a natural desire on their part to see the company sell or develop their lands, that they must remember that the company had a duty to perform, and that they should not forget the interests of Canadian nationhood that they should relinquish their grasp on a great quantity of it they did so. In fact he thought they had shown wonderful forbearance and moderation in that respect. Therefore, while the president of the Board of Trade naturally asked them to improve their civic property in Victoria they should not forget the matters he mentioned.

Continuing, and dealing specifically with the requests made, His Lordship said these matters were primarily in the hands of Mr. Chipman, who had given their entire confidence and who had given the company great satisfaction in his work in Canada. The directors were simply trustees for the shareholders, and naturally must consider their interests first, but he assured them that when these matters came before the board, they would deal with these requests in a manner which would give satisfaction to the people of Victoria and be in the interests of the whole of Canada.

His Lordship's statements were received most heartily by the deputation, giving the liveliest satisfaction to all present.

WILL BUILD BIG RANGE.

United States Navy Department Names Board to Select Site.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 2. — The navy department has appointed a board of which Commander Macbry Johnston is senior member, to select a site somewhere on the Pacific coast for a small arms target range that will be the largest of its kind in the country. If such a range is established it will not only be sufficiently large to accommodate the small arms competition on the Pacific coast, but will also mean that several of the national firing competitions will take place there.

The land now owned by the army or the navy on the coast is not of sufficient size for the proposed range, and it will be necessary either to buy or accept a site to be donated by some state or commercial body. That the location of a range of this extensive character in the vicinity of any coast city would be extremely desirable is shown by the fact that the Pacific fleet and all its spending money would be congregated near the range at frequent intervals throughout the year.

NOTORIOUS CHINAMAN CAUGHT.

In the police court on Wednesday, John Smith, charged with stealing a diamond ring, valued at \$50, from E. J. Cameron, charged not guilty and was remanded until tomorrow. Two drunks paid the usual fine, and an Indian charged with being in possession of intoxicants was fined \$25. A companion, also an Indian, who had all his whiskey in his stomach when arrested, only had to pay the usual fine. For supplying intoxicants to an Indian, Quong, a Chinaman, was sentenced to six months imprisonment.

The police are congratulating Dominion Constable O'Connell for having captured Quong, who is a notorious offender. The officer was fortunate in having caught Quong in the act. The former got a tip that the Chinaman was up to his old tricks in supplying the Indians with whiskey, and taking a position on Cormorant street where he could watch him. He soon saw him pass a bottle to a Siwash, who was about to make off with Quong made a desperate effort to escape arrest, but was dragged unceremoniously to jail, not, however, before he had bit the plucky officer severely on the hands.

J. B. A. A. REGATTA CREWS ARE SELECTED

Good Series of Races to Be Held Week From Saturday.

The club regatta of the J. B. A. A. will be held on Saturday, September 11th, at the Gorge, instead of the coming Saturday, as a number of the contestants will not be in town. At a meeting of the racing committee of the association held Tuesday evening the crews to represent the club were chosen and are as follows: Senior—Crew A. D. Brooker (stroke), C. Vincent (2), J. McArthur (2), E. D. Todd (bow). Crew B. H. C. Hoggo (stroke), J. B. Monk (2), K. Raymer (2), I. C. Crowe (2), J. A. D. Harris (2), T. H. Bailey (bow). Crew C. D. F. Sweeney (stroke), J. Sweeney (2), W. H. Blaine (2), J. Sweeney (2), W. W. Jones (stroke), H. A. Leigh (2), W. H. P. Sweeney (2), Leo Sweeney (bow). Crew F. H. Hunter (stroke), F. R. Clifton (2), J. Houston (2), C. Thomas (bow).

Junior—Crew A. W. Lawson (stroke), C. Baylis (2), J. C. Watson (2), C. Gould (bow). Crew B. S. H. Seal (stroke), R. Madrum (2), J. A. McDonald (stroke), C. Clift (stroke). The programme which has been drawn up is an exceedingly good one, and the finish of each of the events will be a most interesting and exciting. Cups will be given the winners in the junior and senior singles, and the junior and senior fours. A gold medal has been put up by the person for the oarsman winning the most number of points during the season's races.

The following is the programme which will be run off on the gala day: Tandem canoe race. Junior-single (Mallandale cup). Dinghy race (with lady coxswain). Senior singles (Helmcken cup). Tandem canoe race (lady and gentleman). Ladies' double race (dinghy race with gentleman coxswain). Upset canoe race. Tiltling match. Swimming race (100 yards). Senior fours (Flumerfelt cup). Junior fours (Times challenge cup).

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

On Monday evening in Christ Church school room, Bishop Perrin presided over a meeting held for the purpose of considering the forming of a Girls' Friendly Society, introducing Miss Bolton, the general secretary of the Girls' Friendly Society in Canada. The latter gave an informal talk touching on the three great cardinal principles of the society, purity, friendship and prayer, and appealed to all present to uphold these objects for their own sakes and those of others. Members joining the society must pledge themselves to strive after personal purity in thought, word and deed, and endeavor in relations of life to guard the name and uphold the character of the society.

In closing, Miss Bolton gave a brief account of the work along missionary lines, and of the work of the society in different organizations throughout Canada. On Monday evening, October 4th, a meeting will be held at Bishop's Close by the courtesy of Bishop and Mrs. Perrin for the purpose of further discussing the subject, and if it be thought advisable forming a branch society in Victoria.

The body of Henry Rogers, who lost his life in Nitinat river under somewhat mysterious circumstances, was found last week. He was her brother. According to information received by Superintendent Hussey, of the provincial police, J. Nutting, a rancher living near Clo-ose, who was Rogers' companion as they were going along the trail in the trip from Banfield, was the only eye-witness of the drowning of the young man. Nutting went to a near-by creek to get a drink of water,

BANK CLEARINGS STEADILY INCREASE

Good Record for Present Year as Compared With Last.

Eloquent evidence of the growth and progress of the city is contained in the figures for local bank clearings for the eight months of the present year, indicating as they do an increase of \$7,056,814 over the corresponding period last year.

For the period mentioned the aggregate clearings were \$42,657,378, as compared with \$35,600,564 for the same period last year and \$36,449,883 for the same months in 1907. For the month of August the clearings were \$5,718,680. This is a decided increase over August of 1908, when the clearings were \$4,259,231 and for 1907 when they were \$5,062,571. The comparative record for the past two years is as follows:

Month.	1908.	1907.
January	\$ 4,235,476	\$ 4,391,096
February	4,331,329	4,271,712
March	4,940,289	4,260,735
April	5,529,870	4,634,079
May	5,407,586	4,856,269
June	4,482,135	4,880,812
July	6,051,853	4,940,811
August	5,718,680	4,259,231
Eight months	\$42,657,378	\$35,600,564

DOLAURO GOING TO NORTHERN WATERS

Bear Hunting to Occupy Time of Party at Gardner's Canal.

Lieutenant-Governor Dunsmuir has arranged for a trip to the North to recuperate. The Dolaura is being commissioned to carry the party as far north as Gardner's Canal and other waters thereabout, where it is expected that some bear will be shot.

Usually this trip is taken in the month of May when the pelts are at their best. In the autumn, however, it is easier to get the game, as they are down on the river feeding on the stranded salmon.

FIFTH REGIMENT MAY VISIT SEATTLE

Formal Permission Given Local Militia to Land in United States.

The formal permission of the United States government has been given allowing the Fifth Regiment C. G. A. of this city to take part in the Seattle Day celebration at the A.-Y.-P. Exposition. Formal permission had to be given to allow these foreign troops to land. A special dispatch from Seattle to-day says:

United States Senator Piles to-day received notice by wire from Acting Secretary of State Ade at Washington that permission had been granted for the Fifth Regiment Canadian artillery to land at Seattle under arms on September 4th. The Canadian troops sail (2), on the high seas, at the exposition on Japan day, September 4th, and on Seattle day, September 6th.

FIND GOLD IN THE HOPPER OF DREDGE

Employees on Fruhling Spend Evenings Working Sand Taken From Fraser.

New Westminster, Sept. 1.—A mild form of gold fever has smitten the crew of the Fruhling dredge and even evening they may be found with pans obtaining gold from the residue in the hoppers of the dredge.

One of the men got the idea in his head that the small quantity of sand left at the bottom of the hoppers after the day's work should contain gold if any existed in the river. Accordingly one evening the experiment was tried and there, sure enough, were a few colors. Now the men are preparing to exercise themselves in earnest and endeavor to add a little more to their daily wages by panning gold.

"Of course," said one of the men, "it would not pay to depend on it for a living, but there is little to do in the evenings and it all helps." But there are other things besides gold that find their way into the hoppers of the big dredge. It makes a pretty good fish trap and many are the varieties that are taken from the thick mass of sand and water. Salmon during the run were plentiful and dogfish and even flounders have been drawn up. A boulder of rock weighing 300 pounds was drawn part way into the big pipe, but stuck in an elbow, stopping the dredge until removed.

The Fruhling has returned to the Sandheads after taking aboard coal and supplies, and from now on the work of cutting the new channel will go ahead in earnest.

HIS EXCELLENCY PRAISES GAME LAWS

He Expresses Delight When Act is Strictly Enforced.

The provincial game warden, Mr. Bryan-Williams, is in the city to-day. His mission is in connection with a violation of the game laws by a member of the party of the Governor-General while the latter was on his trip up North.

Mr. Bryan-Williams when seen with respect to the matter, said: "It is quite true that a member of the Governor-General's party, who had taken out a rifle in the hope of killing a bear or a wolf, shot a goat at the top of a high mountain at Jervis Inlet and has been fined." "On his Excellency being informed he expressed great delight at the illustration of the strict enforcement of the law protecting game. It appears that his Excellency was ignorant that there was a close season for goats. As he is strongly in favor of the strictest preservation of the game and fish supplies of the province, he expressed great pleasure at hearing goats were protected as well as deer."

The temporary walk which is being constructed by the city over the E. & N. railway bridge to afford access for pedestrians to the Indian reserve and Victoria West has not yet been completed, and it is anticipated that the job which was a larger one than expected, will not be finished before the end of the week.

Rapid progress is being made in the work of paving Wharf street with vitrified brick. Forty men are employed and the grading gangs are now at work on the last block, that from Courtenay street around the rear of the postoffice to Government street. The curbing is nearly all in. Some faulty brick have been discovered in the shipments being forwarded by the Denny-Renton Company of Seattle, but the expert of the company, who is now in the city, says this will be made good, as none but the best brick will be used. The company being desirous that a good job should be made of Wharf street.

August was a busy month with the local police force. The patrol wagon had no less than 98 runs and there were 78 arrests. The record reads: Assault, 4; infractions against the auto speed regulations, 10; creating a disturbance, 2; infractions of city by-laws, 8; drunks, 65; fraud, 1; fighting, 2; frequenting a bawdy house, 2; gross indecency, 2; infraction of the Esquimalt Water Act, 1; obtaining money under false pretences, being in possession of intoxicants by Indians, 2; stealing, 4; supplying intoxicants to Indians, 2; sent to the asylum, 3; in for safe keeping, 48; vagrancy, 2. During the month the patrol wagon had 68 runs.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that I intend applying to the Water Commissioner for license to use the water of the Sooke River, C. Beddis, Lake Outlet, Aug. 30th, 1909.

WANTED—Ladies to do plain and light sewing at home, whole or spare time. Good pay. Write to J. A. B. at 1001-1003, St. James street, Montreal.

LAND ACT. NEW WESTMINSTER LAND DISTRICT.

Take notice that I, Clarence Patrick Miller, prospector, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described foreshore: Commencing at a post bearing about 100 feet west of Lot Nineteen (29), south side Texada Island, thence following the shore line for eighty (80) chains, bearing all the foreshore in front of said application to purchase.

C. P. MILLER.

LAND ACT. TEXADA LAND DISTRICT. DISTRICT OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Take notice that I, C. P. Miller, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, prospector, intend, sixty (60) days after date, to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the beach about 30 miles west of Lot Nineteen (29), south side Texada Island, thence north eighty (80) chains, thence west twenty (20) chains, thence south about twenty (20) chains more or less to beach, thence east eighty (80) chains, bearing all the foreshore in front of said application to purchase.

CLARENCE PATRICK MILLER.

FORM NO. 11. LAND ACT. TEXADA LAND DISTRICT. DISTRICT OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

I, Barclay Bonthron, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the beach about one mile west from the southwest corner Lot 23, Texada Island, thence north 100 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 30 chains more or less to the north boundary line of Lot 23, thence following the north and west boundary lines of Lot 23 to the beach, thence northwesterly along the beach to the point of commencement, together with the foreshore in front of this application.

BARCLAY BONTHRON.

LAND ACT. VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT—Coast District.

Take notice that Murray Clarke Potts, of Minster Island, B. C., occupation, prospector, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about two miles distant and in a southerly direction from the head of Call Creek, thence following shore line about one mile more or less to a northeasterly direction, thence at right angles seaward about one mile, thence following shore line following at a distance of about half a mile from shore line to a point opposite point of commencement, thence to point of commencement.

MURRAY CLARKE POTTS.

LAND ACT. FORM OF NOTICE. VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT—Coast District.

Take notice that the MIBBANK Co., of Victoria, occupation, lumber manufacturer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Dundas Inlet, Horsfall Island, a little to the E. of Relay Point, thence running S. 20° E. line, thence following shore line to point of commencement.

CHARLES G. SMYTH, Agent for the MIBBANK Co. May 23rd, 1909.

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