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Form No. 11.

LAND ACT.

FORM OF NOTICE.

Range 1, Coast Land District.

Take notice that Gilbert Oswald Smith,
of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, real
estate agent, intends to apply for per-
mission to lease the following described
lands: Commencing at a post planted on
the north shore of Cal Creek, about 3
miles westerly from the head of said
Creek, thence following shore line easterly
150 chains, thence southerly 20 chains,
thence following shore line westerly to
point of commencement.
Located Nov. 28th, 1909.
GILBERT OSWALD SMITH.

December 20th, 1909.

FAVORS WOMEN

ON POLICE FORCE

San Francisco Woman Says

They Could Do Effective

Work.

Los Angeles, Jan. 6.—The declaration
of Mrs. Frances N. Noel, of the League
of Justice, in her speech before the
Reciprocity Club, to the effect that
women were needed on the police force
is the inspiration for many comments
and discussions among the local club
women here.

She stated that in her opinion woman
could do effective police duty with re-
course to clubs and that in her estimation
there are many more important
things for a policeman or policewoman
to do than to promenade up and down
a "beat."

"Women could accomplish much
good," said Mrs. Noel, "as members of
police boards and it would seem but
logical that they be employed in cases
where the arrest of other women, no
matter how bad or unfortunate, is nec-
essary. Already there are policewomen
in certain places and I learn their work
is effective. Their appointment is par-
ticularly necessary for the protection
of children and the child labor problem
would be easier of solution with such
officers. Oh, yes, I certainly think we
should have a woman on the police
force."

ASSISTANCE
TO THE ORPHANSWOMEN'S COMMITTEE
ELECTS OFFICERS

Reports Received Covering
Donations Received During
Holiday Season.

The ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home met for their first meeting in 1910 at the city hall Monday afternoon. The following ladies were present: Mesdames McColough, Higgins, Huckle, Andrews, Toller, W. Munslie, J. Lankey, E. F. Few, W. Scowcroft, T. Fell, Sherwood, R. Croft, Miss J. Tolmie, Mrs. D. Miller. The meeting opened with prayer.

Officers for the year were elected as follows: Mrs. McColough, president; Mrs. McColough, vice-president; Mrs. Toller, secretary; Mrs. W. R. Higgins, treasurer.

The excellent Christmas dinner so generously donated by Mr. Britton of Seattle, was reported as having passed off most successfully, the presidents of both committees being present, also several members of the same, who testified to the thorough enjoyment of the children. A hearty vote of thanks being passed to the kind donor. The Christmas tree entertainment was greatly enjoyed by the children and visitors, the former receiving presents in abundance from kind friends from far and near, who, whilst rejoicing themselves, did not forget the napskins of the fifty little inmates of the home. The members of the Duncan Christian Aid, through Mrs. Whidden, presented a very generous and acceptable donation of clothing, fruit and vegetables, this kind aid being greatly appreciated. A vote of condolence with Mrs. Sprague (a member of the committee) and her family, passed expressing sympathy with them in their deep sorrow and bereavement. Bills were paid amounting to \$246.36. Mrs. McColough and Mrs. J. Langley were appointed visitors for the month. The resignation of Mrs. T. Fell was received with regret.

The following report from the visiting committee was read:
Madam President and Ladies of the Committee: We paid our first visit to the home this month in the morning, and found that the water pipe in the kitchen range had burst, while a large batch of bread was in the oven. However, the plumber soon arrived, and the children's dinner was ready as usual.

The night before a child of eleven or twelve had been sent in to the home, and we both thought she looked very ill, but on our next visit a week later she looked like a different child and was trying to write a letter with the help of two other girls. The children had a great treat given by a friend from Seattle. Fifty-one sat down to dinner and the tables were decorated with small Christmas trees trimmed with tinsel. To eat they had turkey, tongue, ham, plum pudding, etc., plenty for every one, and each child had Christmas stockings and bonbons. In the evening, thanks to their Victoria friends and fairy godfather, they each had another stocking and a merry time.

Wednesday, the 29th, was the day of the Christmas tree, and it was a beauty, well laden with a large package of toys for each child. A number of visitors were present and they all helped the children to enjoy what we think was one of the best Christmas treats the children have had for some years. A long string of very pretty lanterns stretched across the room with Merry Christmas printed on them and presented by Mr. Tony Salvin, was quite an addition to the room. We often wish the givers of all good things could be at the home to see how much they are appreciated.

Mrs. Kaye drew our attention to the bed of new bluffs throughout the building, and as we have been told that the ones now up have been there since the home was built, we think they have worn very well. They are in such poor condition that they are almost useless.

Three new little boys arrived the day before Christmas. This makes fifty-one children to start our new year with.

LOUISE TODD.

CATHERINE MUNSLIE.

The donations for December were reported as follows: Mr. Britton of Seattle, Christmas dinner; Tony Salvin, 12 lbs. butter, 48 Christmas stockings, 19 Jap lanterns; Division No. 10, 6 E. R. R. Employees, per Mr. King, secretary, 48 sacks containing oranges, bananas, figs and dates; Mr. Rutland Johnson, street, 18 boy's caps, Mrs. Stevenson, Burdette avenue, quilt coats; Mrs. Munslie, 2 sacks peas; H. H. Evans, Cadboro Bay, 2 boxes apples; Mrs. Anderson, clothing and books; A. Friend, 32 worth of Jap and Jap oranges; Miss Hynds, 1 pair gray blankets; Frank Brundridge, Girl's Own, 20 boxes Annual for one year; Aid, McKown, 2 sacks clothing; Mrs. Andrew Gray, 20 lbs. jam, box of figs, books; Mrs. W. G. H. Wines, box of figs; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wines, 1 lb. sugar, 1 box Jap oranges; Mrs. McKay, Christmas tree ornaments; Mrs. A. M. Vigor, 1 sack peas, 5 lbs. nuts, candy; Mrs. Peters, 1 sack harracks, 1 ham; Mrs. A. Ohlson, 20 lbs. butter; Mrs. Robert Croft, 2 lbs. figs, 2 the arrow; Mrs. F. W. Dickerman, 10 jars of jam, sack of meal; Mrs. Painter, 1 load of wood; Master Jack, Robertson, box of toys; Alex. Black, 1 sack currants, 1 side bacon, 2 lbs. harracks, 2 lbs. candy, 1 box bonbons; Mrs. Fred Landsberg, 20 lbs. sugar, 10 lbs. marmalade, 1 tin maple syrup, cake boxes; Chief and Mrs. M. Langley, 1 box Jap oranges, 6 jelly powders, 1 box fancy biscuits; Mrs. G. A. McTavish, large box macaroni; Miss K. Jackson, girl's coat; Mrs. Fairful, clothing; P. Burns & Co., 1 turkey; Mrs. F. Davey, 3 jars jam, 2 dozen oranges, 2 lbs. candy; Mrs. Demarest, box Jap oranges; Mrs. Green, Gordon Head, clothing; Mrs. Andrews, Pine street, box Jap oranges; Villa and Howard McLean, 7 boxes fruit and candy; Mr. and Mrs. Glover, books and popcorn; Mrs. Clemens, Spencer's Bridge, handkerchiefs and hair ribbons; John Bros., 1 sack potatoes, 2 lbs. coffee, 3 lbs. tea, 6 tins tomatoes, 6 peas, 6 corn, 6 beans; The Misses Galletty, nuts, oranges, figs, raisins; Miss E. Carroll, 5 boxes Jap oranges, 1 pack candy, 5 lbs. peanuts, 5 lbs. mixed nuts, 1 box gum, 6 cocoanuts, 3 sacks sugar; Mrs. W. R. Higgins, cash, \$2; Mrs. D. H. Dale, Stadacona avenue, cash, \$25; Mrs. J. H. Todd, cash, \$5; Mrs. Peter Wilson, Los Angeles, Cal., \$2; M. W. Waitt & Co., 2 autoharp, 40 mouth argans; D. Spencer & Co., 2 fancy boxes, 2 boxes C. F. Todd, 3 fancy plus, toys and tree ornaments; Mrs. McCullough, handkerchiefs; Mrs. Thos. Shotbolt, 3 scarfs, 5 boxes kerchiefs, necklace, purse and other goods; Mrs. Thornton, 1 scarf and books; Mrs. J. A. Langley, 1 box books, games and kerchiefs; Miss Glendenning, 2 boxes peas; A. Friend, Cedar Hill, 5 pieces underclothing; Mrs. Alex. Lee, 1 large fruit cake; Mr. J. Tolmie, 5 boxes Jap oranges; J. J. Akerman, Salt Spring Island, 2 boxes peas and apples; Centennial Methodist church, \$5 worth of groceries; Dr. Holden, box Jap oranges; Mrs. Gilligan, candy; Mrs. Phillips, candy and nuts; Mrs. McGregor, Christmas tree ornaments; First Presbyterian church Sunday school, 10 lbs. candy; St. Barnabas, per Rev. E. G. Miller, milk, bread, sandwiches, candy, oranges and apples; Christian Aid Society, Duncan, per Mrs. Whidden, 1 sack potatoes, 1 box celery, 1 box apples, 2 skirts, 29 quarts bottled fruit, 2 tins honey, 10 pairs drawers, 15 hannelette petticoats, 10 pairs coats, 2 short coats, 1 sailor suit, 1 cap, 1 fur box, 2 suits underclothing by the following donors: Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Storey, Mrs. Tinesdale, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Ventress, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Pitt, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Weismann, Mrs. Grassie, Mrs. Todd, Mrs. Castley, Mrs. Gidley, Mrs. Walldin; Thelma Jeeves, 1 box Jap oranges; Mrs. K. Huckle, nuts, candy, raisins; Mrs. Mostard, picture post cards; Miss McIntosh and Miss Andrews, 3 dressed dolls, 3 scrap books; Ladies of the committee, cake; Times and Colonist, daily papers; Mrs. Fuller, Elford street, \$2; Miss Finlayson, \$10; Mrs. Munslie, \$5; Mrs. J. E. G. Miller, \$5; Mrs. Carrie, \$5; Mrs. Mrs. Hobson, \$5; Mrs. Dickson, \$1; Mrs. Peter Wilson, \$2; Miss Mona Miller, \$1.50; Mrs. Glover, cake; a donation from a friend, Cobble Hill.

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It is hoped by having the representatives together that all clashing of dates can be avoided and in this way good judges supplied for all shows. Following this meeting the Central Farmers' Institute will hold its convention on February 1st and 2nd. February 3rd will be given over to the 1909 m.-Bovine Diseases and Post-Mortem, Dr. A. Knight. 3.00 p. m.—Directors' meeting. 10.00 a. m.—President's address; directors' report; secretary-treasurer's report; address of welcome, Mayor; business. 1.30 p. m.—Bovine Diseases and Post-Mortem, Dr. A. Knight. 3.00 p. m.—Dr. Hadwin. 4.45 p. m.—Practical Dairy Feeding, W. J. Langdon, Sumner, Wash. 5.00 p. m.—Milk machine in operation. 6.00 p. m.—Babesiosis, Dr. Hadwin. 8.30 p. m.—C. Marker, Calgary, Alta. 9.30 p. m.—Dairying on the Coast and Raising of the 100 Cow, E. T. Judd. On the next day, February 4th, the B. C. Stock Breeders will hold their annual meeting. The programme will be as follows: 9.30 a. m.—Directors' meeting. 10.00 a. m.—President's address; secretary-treasurer's report; address of welcome, Mayor; report of committees, horses (light), horses (heavy), cattle, sheep, swine; J. A. Roy, manager Vancouver Fair Association. 2.00 p. m.—Sleep Raising, Aitken. 3.15 p. m.—Poultry for Profit, M. A. Jull. 4.00 p. m.—Bovine Diseases, Dr. Hadwin. Health of Animals, Branch, Ottawa. 5.00 p. m.—Milk machine in operation. 6.00 p. m.—Banquet. 8.30 p. m.—The Heavy Horse, etc., E. T. Judd. 9.15 p. m.—The Hog Industry, H. Webb.

FINED FOR WANTON

CRUELTY TO HORSE

Magistrate Threatened Defend-

ant With Imprisonment if

Brought Up Again.

Vancouver, Jan. 3.—A case of cruelty to a horse resulted in a fine of \$25 and costs being imposed on Martin Daiber, of this city, by Magistrate Alexander. The case was brought by the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Joseph Pengelly, inspector for the S. P. C. A., declared that he had found the animal in a cage on Lulu Island, where the ground was frozen hard and there were only a few tufts of grass to eat and nothing to drink. One leg was swollen and paralyzed, and covered with sores and matter, and the other was infected with glanders. Swinerton also testified that he had gone out and examined the horse. He found the hind leg had been swollen to the size of about half a bushel above the fetlock, and the matter was oozing from three abscesses. The respiration and temperature of the horse was very low and there were indications that it was in a dying condition. Acting under the powers given in the Act, he had ordered the horse to be shot.

Daiber said he had had the horse under treatment in transfer stables in the city. It seemed to be improving, and he was advised to take it out to pasture. He secured a place for it at Lulu Island and took it out, but it became tired, and he had to turn it into the field in question. He told the owners about it and they said it was all right. He denied that the horse was in such a condition as witnesses for the prosecution had alleged.

Magistrate Alexander characterized it as a case of wanton torture, and threatened the defendant with imprisonment should he come before him on such a charge again.

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ner that the tones are enriched and

strengthened.



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and feverish. Give him a Stead-

man's Powder and he will soon

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Revelstoke, Jan. 3.—At a meeting of the executive and transportation committees of the board of trade, it was resolved, on motion of J. P. McLenman, second by J. A. Macdonald:

"Whereas a railway through the Columbia valley north of Revelstoke and connecting with this city is necessary, and whereas the provincial government has adopted a policy advocating the giving of financial assistance to railways, and as we believe the best and easiest route for a railway is from the Yellowstone Pass, down the valleys of the Canoe and Columbia rivers, thence southeast via Three Valley, Mabel lake, White valley and Okanagan lake, and thence to Vancouver, we think it advisable in the interests of our city and district to appoint a committee of our citizens to act either individually or collectively in the capacity of representatives of this board in the placing before the legislature of the province the advantages of this route, and to collect such data as would aid in the pressing of our claims.

"Therefore the following gentlemen have appointed a committee to act in this matter: Messrs. A. McRae, (convenor), A. H. Allan, J. M. Kelle, A. B. McClellan, Dr. Sutherland, C. F. Lindmark, A. E. Bradley, G. S. McClellan, G. B. Nagle, J. D. Sibbald, F. B. Wells, W. Cowan, W. E. Pratt, W. I. Briggs, F. Fraser, C. R. Macdonald, A. J. Macdonald, E. A. Hagen, R. Gordon.

"And in the event of any of this committee being unable to visit any of the railway officials of any of the companies likely to be interested in this route, that said person or persons be given credentials from this board for this purpose."

THIEVES BUSY IN

SUBURBAN HOUSES

Money and Jewelry Stolen,

But No Trace of

Robbers.

During the New Year holidays, while

many persons left their homes unat-

tended, the petty thief was busy and

three cases of robbery from houses

were reported, but the police have been

unable to trace any of the thieves.

The home of E. A. Lewis, Heywood

avenue, was entered by a thief who

gained entrance by smashing a pane

of glass in the front door and then

unfastened the lock. The thief took

a number of articles, including four

rings, a bracelet, a Spade, guinea and

a five-dollar bill, the whole valued at

about \$70.

About \$60 worth of jewelry was

taken from the home of Mr. Rogers,

Sumas avenue, while the occupants

were absent. The matter has been

reported to the police, but no trace of

the robber or the goods has been

found.

A man named J. Youden reported to

the police that while leaving the Em-

press hotel grounds he was held up by

Humboldt street and the bar en-

trance and relieved of the contents of

his vest pocket. He was unable to give

an accurate description of the men.

BIG TRUST COMPANIES

HAVE BEEN MERGED

Levi P. Morton is Chairman of

the Board of New

Concern.

New York, Jan. 4.—J. Pierpont Mor-

gan, Thomas F. Ryan and Levi P. Mor-

ton linked hands in New York yester-

day in a trust company merger with

united resources of \$100,000,000. It is a

triple combination, bringing the

Guaranty Trust, the Morton Trust Co.

and the Fifth Avenue Trust Co., all

of this city, under one head, with the

title of Guaranty Trust Co.

The merger is, perhaps, the largest

of its kind in the United States. Direc-

tors of all three companies met yester-

day and informally approved the

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A letter from J. E. Burn in regard to a drain on Foul Bay road was referred to the engineer for report.