

PRESENT LAND POLICY A MENACE TO PROVINCE

Through the Action of the McBride Government Lands are Being Held by Speculators.

There is no greater menace to the prosperity of British Columbia at the present time than the wholesale acquisition of fine mining lands and other districts in the interior by foreign and home capitalists...

Completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific would bring these people in hundreds through the interior of the province...

The provincial government is thus allowing, either wilfully or negligently, the capitalists to obtain a strong foothold in the interior districts...

BOARD OF TRADE COUNCIL MEETS

PARCEL POST WITH ORIENT DISCUSSED

Desire Canada Coasting Act to Be Again Enforced--Routine Business Transacted.

At a meeting of the council of the board of trade held this morning, Vice-President F. A. Pauline was in the chair in the absence of the president...

The following letter from the George Carter Company, Ltd., next came under consideration:

We beg to call the attention of the Board of Trade to a matter which we think is well worthy of their attention...

As Oriental merchants, we find ourselves handicapped on account of the parcel post by the fact that the parcels are taken to Vancouver for distribution...

DEATH OF REV. DR. RAINY.

ALBERNI GOING LIBERALS

H. BREWSTER ASSURED OF SUCCESS THERE

Vancouver Conservative Machine Turns Down Stalwarts Like Cowan and Seymour.

As the campaign begins to liven up in Alberni, the constituency indicates that the electors in that part of Vancouver Island are heartily tired of Conservative administration...

CRIME HAS DECREASED DURING PAST YEAR

Police Returns Show a Most Satisfactory State of Affairs in This City.

The police returns for the year 1906 became available Friday, and in comparison with those of the preceding year, show a most satisfactory state of affairs in the department...

THE GOLDEN ISLAND.

Gifted Writer Draws a Glowing Picture of Vancouver in an American Magazine.

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