TIMBER CUT ON PROVINCIAL LANDS

BY SPECIAL LICENSES CANNOT BE EXPORTED

Such Is the Meaning of Order-in-Council Just Passed by the Provincial Government.

A very important order-in-council has been passed by the provincial government which should beneficially affect the lumber industry of the province. It is to the effect that no timber cut on provincial lands under authority of licenses shall be exported. This was advocated strongly by a number of members during the last session of the legislature.

The notice which appears in last evening's Provincial Gazette follows:

"Notice is hereby given that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in council, in pursuance of the provisions of section 50 of the 'Land Act,' has been pleased to order that all timber cut from special licenses heretofore issued, or provincial lands, under authority of special licenses heretofore issued, or which may hereafter be issued, shall be manufactured within the confines of the province of British Columbia, otherwise the timber so cut may be seized and forfeited to the Crown and the license concelled."

The following companies have been incorporated: Butler Shingle & Manufacturing Co., Ltd., capital, $20,000; Chicago & B. C. Mining Co., Ltd., capital, $100,000; Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of British Columbia, head office in Vancouver. The American Benevolent Association has also been incorporated. Its objects are: "Mutual protection by means of contributions, subscriptions, donations and otherwise, with a view to forming a fund for providing relief and aid to members and their families and blood relations, fiancees and widows and orphans of deceased members, and without reference to religious creed or faith, or politics; to benefit and elevate the members of the association, morally and intellectually, by providing means for the assembing of honorable and upright white persons in local or subordinate assemblies, and to promote their interests by encouraging temperance in habit and uprightness and justice in practice."

The Hazelmere Mill Company, of Blaine, Washington, has been registered an extra-provincial company. The capital is $10,000. The head office of the company in the province is at Hazelmere, and Henry T. Thrift is attorney. The company is making application to the government for permission to improve Campbell creek, Westminster district, so that lumber can be driven down it. The rate of toll proposed to be charged to persons using the improvements is 25 cents per thousand feet for all timbers, saw logs, spars, fish trap piles, poles, ties or other material of like character, and five cents per cord for all shingle bolts or cordwood floated down or over or through the improvements, or any of them.

Hon. J. D. Prentice, minister of finance, has been deputed to execute marriage licenses, money warrants or commissions under any statute of the legislative assembly of British Columbia, during the absence of His Honor from the seat of government.

The Dominion government have granted certain lands in New Westminster district to the Vancouver Power Company and the corporation of New Westminster for proposed improvements to the former's power plant and the latter's water works system.

Messrs. Morley & Laing, stationers, of Nelson, have dissolved partnership. The Morley Company will continue the business.

There will be vacations in the County courts of Kootenay, Yale, Westminster and Vancouver from August 1st until October 1st.

MR. KILPATRICK'S FUNERAL.

Took Place in Nanaimo on Wednesday and Was Largely Attended.

"The esteem in which the late Robt. Kilpatrick was held was shown by the attendance at the funeral this afternoon, which took place from the residence of Mr. E. M. Yarwood," says Wednesday's Free Press. "The train from Victoria bearing on board the body of deceased was over three-quarters of an hour late, so that the funeral was delayed somewhat.

"On the train there arrived also many members of the I. O. O. F. Harmony lodge, No. 6, Wellington, of which deceased was a member, and from its ranks the pall-bearers were drawn. These were Bros. Andrew Robinson, Martin Dunsmuir, David Haggart, Albert Buckle, Thomas Cowan and Dan Nicholson. There were about 35 members of Harmony lodge present. A number of visiting brethren from other places also joined with them. The local lodges, I. O. O. F., Black Diamond and Centennial turned out in a body also. "Accompanying the corps were many rich floral offerings from Victoria, Ladysmith and other points on the E. & N. railway. These were supplemented in this city by many additional tributes, so that there was at the funeral a specially large collection of these evidences of love and esteem for the departed. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. Van Sickle of this city."

THE IRON INDUSTRY.

Minister of Mines' Reply to Communication From Voters' League.

The following is the text of the reply of the Minister of Mines to a recent communication from the Voters' League, particulars of which were published in the Times:

Department of Mines,
Victoria, July 19, 1902.

Sir:—I have the honor, by direction of the Honorable the Minister of Mines, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst., enclosing a series of resolutions adopted at a meeting of the Voters' League, with a view to the development and advertisement of the iron and steel resources of this province, and further enclosing an excerpt from the Mines Act of the province of Ontario, in connection with this subject.

The Minister of Mines directs me to say that the above will have his immediate attention.

I have the honor to be, sir,
Your obedient servant,
MALCOTT RICHARDSON,
Secretary.

A. J. Morley, Esq., Secretary Voters' League, Victoria, B. C.

English is studied by 93 per cent. of the students attending the higher schools in Egypt.

THE RETURN OF TROOPS.

Order in Which Soldiers Will Be Brought Home From South Africa.

The war office and the South African authorities, who during the past thirty-two months of war have been kept at high pressure, now find themselves confronted with an arduous task in the demobilization and distribution of the huge South African force.

It has been decided by Lord Kitchener that the order of homecoming shall be as follows: Imperial Yeomanry (1900 and 1901); volunteers; militia battalions; reservists; Foot Guards; Imperial Yeomanry, 1902, Force and regular force.

It is estimated that of the four first-mentioned there are eleven, eight, twenty-one, and forty thousand respectively, making a total of eighty thousand troops to be sent home before the time-serving regulars can be thought of.

With the extra transports that have been ordered the admiralty are in a position to bring these men home at the rate of three thousand five hundred a week, so it will take about five months for their transport. By that time the garrison of South Africa and troops for the colonies will be definitely chosen, and the regiments for home finally prepared for embarkation.

The colonial corps will in the meantime be transported by the admiralty to their respective homes, and certain of the batteries of horse, field, and garrison artillery, whose services can be at once dispensed with, will return to England.

The troops who are due to return to India will not leave South Africa until the late autumn in order to reach that country after the monsoon.

The demobilization of the forces at home is also to proceed shortly. On July 31st the general issue of the special war gratuity will be made at home and abroad.

Lord Kitchener is sending home all except perishable stores, but no horses that are public property will return. The commander-in-chief in South Africa has therefore the problem of the disposal of no less than 70,000 horses to solve.

To aid Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner in the settlement of South Africa a committee of representatives of the colonial office and the war office will shortly assemble to consider the transfer of authority from the military to the civil officials. They will also decide the question of transfer of railways, concentration camps, and kindred questions.

TO PREVENT FOREST AND PRAIRIE FIRES

Ottawa Will Enforce Provisions of Law in This Respect—What Precautions to Take.

A few evenings ago an interview with Forestry Superintendent E. Stewart appeared in these columns, showing the steps being taken by the Dominion government for the preservation of the timber resources of the country. In this connection the following notice issued from Ottawa will be of interest:

Public notice is hereby given that necessary arrangements have been made for the proper and prompt enforcement of the provisions of the law for the prevention of prairie and forest fires throughout Manitoba, the Northwest Territories, and within the railway belt in the province of British Columbia, and any persons violating in any way the said provisions will render themselves liable to the utmost penalty provided in that behalf.

Special attention is called to the necessity for the greatest caution being observed in the use of fire by settlers, campers and others during the dry summer months, and to the penalties imposed for violation of the provisions of the law in this regard.

These penalties vary from $5 to $200, besides any that may be imposed by civil action for damages caused by such fires.

The following rules should be observed:

1. In building a camp fire, choose a place that is sheltered from the wind, and clear away any moss or inflammable material surrounding it.

2. Be sure thoroughly to extinguish your camp fire before leaving it.

3. Be careful not to throw away a cigar stub or match on the prairie or in the woods before it is extinguished.

4. Settlers desiring to burn brush and log heaps in clearing their land, must do so at proper seasons of the year, and not allow the fire to escape from their premises.

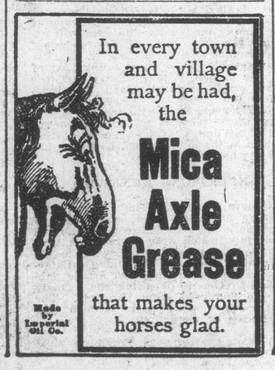
5. All employers of labor should see that their employees whose work is in the open air are furnished with copies of the act respecting prairie and forest fires, or other instructions in regard thereto, as such employers are responsible for any violation of the law caused by their servants.

As every person in the community is liable during the dry season to suffer more or less by prairie or forest fires, and as it is an undoubted fact that in most cases these are started through carelessness, it is hoped that these suggestions will be observed.

Settlers are therefore earnestly requested to co-operate in every way possible with the officers of the government with a view to the prevention of fires, and the strict enforcement of the law in that behalf.

WARRANT RESCINDED.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 25.—W. B. Wilson, secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers, received a communication to-day from his attorney at Parkersburg, W. Va., saying that the warrant for his arrest on a charge of having violated an injunction issued by Judge Jackson had been rescinded. Mr. Wilson said he believed this was done to avoid further exciting the miners.



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SHIPPING TO TWO SMELTER WORKS

LENORA SENDING TO TACOMA AND CROFTON

The Possibilities of the Last Named Point as an Industrial Centre for the Island.

The management of the Lenora mine on Mt. Sicker are now shipping ore not only to Osborne Bay but to Tacoma as well. About 60 tons daily are going out via Westholme, the E. & N. and Ladysmith to the latter place, and will continue to be shipped until the contract with that smelter is filled. Thereafter the ore will be sent to Crofton only.

A slight accident on the Lenora and Mt. Sicker railway last week has interfered somewhat with traffic, but in a few days the road will be restored, and Mr. Croft expects to have three instead of two engines on the line.

Regarding the possibilities of Crofton as an industrial centre, the Crofton Gazette says:

"The sampling works at the Crofton smelter have been opened, and the real work of ore reduction will commence in a week or two. This industry has been the making of Crofton, and will probably remain the mainstay of this new town. Not only that, but it will certainly be an impetus to mining development on the Island, and in the Mount Sicker district in particular. Vast strides have already been made with the mining industry on Mount Sicker and Mount Brenton and neighborhood, thanks to the energy of Mr. Henry Croft and a few others, but this is nothing compared to the possibilities that await further development. The untold wealth that lies hidden beneath our feet is a dream for the imagination and a problem for the future, but the products that lie ready to hand—the minerals, the timber and the natural products of this portion of the Island—are so vast and varied that surely here we may some day find a manufacturing and commercial centre. Here we have perhaps more of the raw material of which industries are built than is present in any other part of the coast. Few people think of Crofton as anything more than a mere smelter city, existing on a single industry. This the new town will certainly be, but with energy and enterprise there is every natural indication that the new town may become a great mining centre, and to mention but two more industries—a lumbering and fishing centre.

"With regard to lumber, we have in the interior enormous limits of admittedly excellent timber. From the Cowichan valley alone enormous amounts have been cut—more indeed than most people have any conception of, the Victoria Lumber Company alone having been utilizing during the past four years nearly 500,000 feet a day. And yet there are still thousands of acres, nay, millions of acres, which have as yet been untouched by the axeman. Some persons will doubt whether much of it is worth cutting, but compare even the worst of it with the timber that remains down in Eastern Canada and in Michigan and other states which once boasted magnificent forests. To-day they are sawing with profit logs that we in our luxury of nature's bounty would not use on our skid-roads. We waste our opportunities because we think if we cannot get rich quickly by investment of our capital, we had better keep what we have lying idle in the banks. Foreign capitalists come in and see further than us, and our opportunities are let slip. It is the same way with the fishing industry on the east coast here of the Island. Excepting salmon, this industry is almost non-existent. The cry is that there is no market. Let capital and enterprise find a market. There is no better locality on the coast than this for cod, Dogfish, too, which are invaluable to the mills and factories, for their oil, abound in these waters, and are hardly fished at all.

"Crofton as a lusty young town has every advantage of situation and nature for becoming a commercial centre. The town is built by the enterprise of Mr. Henry Croft and Messrs. Breen and Bellinger, and a few other similarly energetic and enterprising spirits might easily develop this small beginning into a populous industrial city."

GRAVEL CURED.

REMARKABLE CASE OF THIS PAINFUL DISEASE.

Reuben Draper, of Bristol, Que., Who Was a Victim, Finds Relief and a Permanent Cure—He Tells of His Sufferings and How He Left His Troubles Behind.

Bristol, Que., July 25.—(Special).—No disease can cause more severe and dreadful pain than Gravel. Reuben Draper, of this place, was taken ill with this awful trouble about five years ago. He was cured and so many have asked him how it was done that he has decided to give the whole story for publication.

"About five years ago I was taken ill with the Gravel. I suffered great pain, so I sent for a doctor. He gave me some medicine and came to see me twice afterwards, but my disease was not gone, and in a short time I had another very bad attack.

"This time I sent for another doctor with about the same results, only I was getting weaker all the time.

"Then a man advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, for he said they had cured his mother. I thought I would try them and bought a box.

"Just one week after I began the treatment I passed a stone as large as a small bean, and four days later another about the size of a grain of barley—this gave me great relief, and I commenced to feel better and to gain strength right away.

"That was five years ago and I have not had any trouble in that way since. I have the stones in a small bottle and anyone can see them who wishes. Dodd's Kidney Pills certainly saved my life."

The story of Mr. Draper will be good news to many sufferers who may not have known that Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure Gravel and Stone in the Bladder.

What has cured this gentleman and hundreds of other very bad cases should cure any one, and those who may be afflicted as Mr. Draper was should try Dodd's Kidney Pills.

WINNER OF THE KING'S PRIZE.

London, July 26.—The winner of the King's prize at the National Rifle Association meeting at Bisley was Lieut. Ed. Johnson, of the London Rifle Brigade. His score was 307.

TWO LIVES LOST.

Details Regarding the Drowning Accidents in the Fraser River on Thursday Night.

The News-Advertiser gives the following particulars of the drowning of two men in the Fraser river on Thursday, brief mention of which was made in last night's Times:

"Two Indians canoeing down the Middle Arm of the Fraser on Thursday evening, discerned an upturned fishing boat, with a man clinging to its side, floating down the centre of the stream. Hastening to the rescue they found the man partially supporting himself on the floats of his fish net, which was lying in a tangled heap in the water, as if the boat had evidently capsized. The Indians succeeded in getting the man into their canoe, and paddling quickly ashore did their utmost to bring him round. The unfortunate fellow was, however, in such a state of exhaustion that he was unable to speak articulately, and his efforts to make himself understood were unintelligible. Despite all efforts to revive him, he died shortly after being rescued from the water. The body was brought into the city shortly after midnight. At that time his identity was unknown, but Policeman D. D. McIntosh and Detective Jackson, who chanced to view the corpse, recognized it as that of Fritz Fablen, a ship carpenter, who for some years has lived in the east end, near the marine railway.

"Like many others, he has been accustomed to devote part of his time to fishing on the Fraser, and it is supposed that he was preparing to make a start when the accident happened. Whether Fritz had a boat-puller with him, and if so, what his fate has been, was not known. The Indians did not see any signs of another body, nor could they elicit any information from the exhausted man."

"Charles Christian, engineer of the steamer Olive, was accidentally drowned in the Fraser river, about four miles from New Westminster, on Thursday night. The full details of the sad occurrence were not obtainable on Thursday night, but the unfortunate man is supposed to have tripped and fallen overboard, the strong current of the Fraser sweeping him away before assistance could be extended. It was about eight o'clock when the accident happened, and although parties started immediately afterward to drag the river, the body had not been recovered up to a late hour. The drowned man was a resident of Vancouver, and lived at 112 Westminster avenue. Frank Christian, a brother, is captain of a river boat, which harbors at Steveston, and he has two other brothers, one at Kamloops and another in Atlin. A wife and two children survive him."

A PRELIMINARY CANTER.

Col. Prior Departs On a Missionary Tour—Hon. Mr. Prentice is the "Whole Thing."

Col. Prior, minister of mines, left on Thursday night for the interior on his long projected missionary tour to the mineral regions. This is to be the Colonel's "preliminary canter" for the mantle of leadership, which the Premier is expected to shed on his return from London. It is stated that the miners of the Boundary and Kootenay country are preparing a very warm reception for the mine minister.

Hon. Mr. Wells is in the Kootenays and expected to reach Rossland to-day. Hon. Mr. Eberts is in London deeply engrossed in the Tomey Homa case. It is regarded as unfortunate that his visit to the world's metropolis is timed to fall at a time which is regarded as the "silly season" there. The Tomey Homa case was concluded, so far as argument was concerned, on July 4th. Mr. Eberts left on June 21st, so it was quite impossible for him to reach the Old Land in time to be of any service in arguing the case.

Hon. Mr. Prentice, in addition to the grave responsibilities of administering all the departments of the government, is also burged with some of the scalded functions of the Lieut.-Governor, in whose absence he has been empowered to execute marriage licenses, money orders, or commissions. The Governor will be absent about two months, Col. Prior about a month and the chief commissioner will possibly be away the same length of time. As for the attorney-general—why if there isn't the Tomey Homa case, there is certainly the coronation to see. The Premier, it is said, will tour the continent after the coronation celebration.

ESCAPED FROM QUARANTINE.

How Seattle Men Got Away From Enforced Imprisonment at Harrison Hot Springs.

Yesterday's Seattle Times says: "Several Seattle men are at home to-day after a brief imprisonment at Harrison Hot Springs, British Columbia. They are not here from any act of international comity on the part of the British Columbia authorities, but rather through the cleverness exercised by themselves and the good graces of a British Columbia fisherman.

"The men were quarantined last Sunday when the smallpox scare was started there. The officials refused to listen to argument of any kind. The men were promised sixteen days' detention, with a probable additional three weeks. They say there was no smallpox there. Several of the men had business here that could by no means be neglected. They therefore conceived the idea of escape, and suiting the action to the word, did so. Three of them entered a rowboat for a brief row on the lake. The others managed to get out of a boat house window unobserved and joined the rowboat down the lake shore. Then began the race for freedom. They rowed out of the lake into Harris river, thence into the Fraser river, and from a point on that river travelled across country to the town of Sumas on this side, where they boarded an American railroad train for home. The distance travelled by boat is about seventy miles, and the men made it in twelve hours.

"The men are W. G. Potts, manager of the Diller; Arnold and Fred. Zbunden, of the Lobby and Warwick saloons; and one or two others, all business men."

NELSON NEWS.

Charles Lamoine, one of the contractors on the post office building, had a narrow escape from death on Monday. Lamoine was walking over the wall of the end of the building, the top of which is about 30 feet from the ground. There is to be a stone coping along the top of the wall, but it is as yet incomplete. Lamoine had travelled up and down the wall, and without paying proper attention to what he was doing, stepped upon the last stone which had been set. He set his foot too far over the centre, and in an instant the stone came out of the wall and the contractor went with it over the side. As he fell, Lamoine made a grab for the course of stones which forms the base for the transom over the window. He caught it, and maintained himself for a few seconds, but his hold was slender and he fell again. Out from the wall a short distance there was a rough sort of scaffolding, and in order to break his fall Lamoine threw himself out from the wall sufficiently to strike it. This, no doubt, saved his life, as after striking the scaffolding his body bounded from this on to a pile of debris on the ground. His injuries consisted of a broken wrist, a broken nose and a number of cuts about the face.

BURNING OF MONASTERY.

Rome, July 25.—The Pope was distressed to-day when informed of the destruction by fire of the famous monastery of the Trappists Fathers at Oka, forty miles from Montreal. He said that he would participate in repairing the losses sustained.

SOME OF SPECIAL PRIZES FOR THE FAIR

Large Number Already Received—Fifty Dollars Offered for Best Home-Made Bread.

Secretary Boggs, of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, and his assistant are becoming busier every day as the date for the fall exhibition draws nearer. Already applications for space are beginning to come to hand in large numbers, and those who intend exhibiting and have a particular spot they would like to obtain for the purpose had better send in their applications immediately. The allotment of space is being handled the same as last year. Exhibitors who sell goods at the fair are charged a reasonable sum for their space, those who exhibit foreign manufactured goods are charged a lesser rate, while those who exhibit local manufactured ware are charged a merely nominal fee.

The prize list in complete form will be issued in a few days, the printers having almost finished their work.

The secretary is able to announce that the special prizes are coming in in large numbers. The following list has already been received:

B. C. Pottery Co., goods to the value of $7; Barber Bros., goods to the value of $5; Powell & Co., goods to the value of $2.50; T. N. Hibben & Co., goods to the value of $15; Hickman Tye Hardware Co., goods to the value of $8.75; Hamilton Powder Co., to the extent of $12; C. C. Russell, goods to the value of $5; Westcott Bros., goods to the value of $5; Mr. Bazett (Sutton's agent), cash, $5 for exhibit of roots grown from Sutton's seeds; Victoria Farmers' Institute, cash, $35; Mrs. F. J. Bradley-Dyne, cash, $3, for pair of best dressed fowls; R. Layritz, one dozen rose plants, value $4, for best collection of cut blossoms; one dozen fruit trees for best five plates of apples grown on trees originally from Layritz nursery; G. E. Wilkerson, $10 for the best dozen and $5 for the best half dozen blooms of cactus dahlias from plant secured from G. E. Wilkerson.

In this connection special mention might be made of a prize presented by the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, of Keewatin. The secretary received a letter from that company announcing that they had decided to offer a single prize of $50 for the best home made bread made from their flour. Mr. Boggs is of the opinion that a special judge will have to be engaged for this class, and probably increased accommodation arranged for the large number of entries likely to follow the above announcement.

The American Oxford Down Record Association, with whom the secretary communicated, has also dealt very liberally towards the Victoria exhibition, as will be seen by the following: $30 in special prizes in the Oxford Down class, the money to be divided as follows: Best yearling ram, first prize $8; second $4; best yearling ewe, first prize $6, second $4; best pen of four lambs, of either sex, first prize $6, second $4. All stock competing for these prizes to be bred and owned by the exhibitor in the province of British Columbia.

INTERESTING EXCURSION

Arranged By Hudson's Bay Company and the C. P. N. for the North.

The Hudson's Bay Company have arranged what promises to be a very interesting excursion in connection with the C. P. N. Company. The excursionists will leave here on the Princess Louise on Thursday, the 31st inst., and proceed to Port Essington, where the new river steamer Mount Royal will be awaiting them to carry them up the Skeena. The return journey will be made on the Princess May, which should reach Victoria early on the 12th prox.

The excursionists will have a good opportunity of seeing the canneries along the coast in full operation, and if they so desire they will have a stop at Trout river, where the trout fishing is splendid, and also at the Kitsalas canyon—a beautiful district in which there are some rich mining properties. The attractive settlement at Ninschkinisch, Hazelton and other points will be visited.

The scenery along the Skeena river is in itself worth the trip, while being under the auspices of the Hudson's Bay Company and the C. P. N. is sure to be managed in the most satisfactory way. The fare for the round trip will be $50.

KILLED BY FALLING TREE.

Walla Walla, July 24.—Early Wednesday morning at Fletcher's sawmill, in the mountains, fifty miles from this city, a falling tree struck Abdre Yarbraugh on the head, crushing it so badly that a portion of the brain oozed out. He was brought to this city over rough mountain roads, reaching here to-day. He died 15 minutes after reaching medical aid, having lived for 27 hours after the accident.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

(Form F.)
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Thistle, Rose, Pansy, Primrose and Jumbo Mineral Claims, situate in the Albernl Mining Division of Alberni District. Where located: On south side of Douglas Mountain, Alberni.

Take notice that I, Geo. A. Smith, F. M. C. No. 61281, acting as agent for John M. Wright, Free Miner's Certificate No. B66544, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

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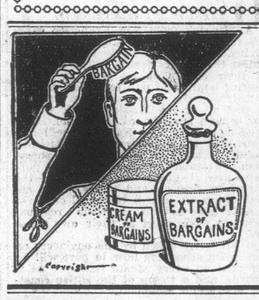

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MINERAL ACT.

(Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Rambler, Thorn, Rose, Jen, Puffing Billy and Pig Iron mineral claims, situate in the Victoria Mining Division of Renfrew District.

Where located: Gordon River, Port San Juan.

Take notice that I, H. B. Newton, F. M. C. No. B72436, and as agent for C. J. Newton, F. M. C. No. B72437, R. A. Newton, F. M. C. No. B72438, R. T. Godman, F. M. C. No. B72435, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this thirteenth day of June, A.D., 1902.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend making application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land in Sayward District, viz.: Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 117, thence east 20 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, more or less, thence southerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Vancouver, B. C., 21st July, 1902.
ALFRED LYE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of thirty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore, including territorial rights, commencing at a stake marked "C. B.'s N. Corner," placed on the foreshore at the intersection of Sections 57 and 58, Metchosin District, and extending along the shore line in a southeasterly direction for a distance of 36 chains more or less.

Metchosin, B. C., 10th July, 1902.
CHARLES BALL.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of thirty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore, including territorial rights, commencing at a stake placed at the S. W. corner of Section 53, Metchosin District, and marked "R. F. T.'s N. W. Corner," and extending along the shore line one mile more or less in an easterly and northerly direction to Cape Calver.

Victoria, B. C., 10th July, 1902.
R. F. TOLMIE.

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 on San Juan Harbor, Renfrew District, viz.: The southeast quarter of Section 3, Township 11, containing approximately 80 acres more or less.

JOHN DEVEREUX.

July 3rd, 1902.

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REPRESENTATION O
MARITIME

Meeting of Premiers Wi
September—Young M
While Shunting C

Montreal, July 28.—H
Peters, premier of Prince
and, was in the city to-da
home from attending the
and made public the interes
tion that the Maritime p
miers would hold a meeti
in September to discuss a
ant amendment to the
America Act. The Marit
object to losing any of thei
the next redistribution bil
to the unit fixed by the pro
bec, each of the Maritime
lose one member. Manitob
Columbia had been taken
understanding that their r
should not be reduced, and
provinces' premiers want
applied to them. Premier
that Hon. Mr. Fielding sym
them and will do all he can

The Canadian Nort

Winnipeg July 28.—W
kenzie, president of the Ca
ern railway, before leaving
yesterday said he could n
definite date on which regu
service to Port Arthur
augurated, but stated that
little remaining to be don
line would be ready.

Died in Hospita

As the result of injuries
being knocked down by
McKinnon, an elderly g
Mahinak, Man., died at th
General hospital yesterday.

Pioneer Dead.

Richard Beamish, a pion
ota, is dead. Deceased w
of age, and said to be the o
man in Canada.

Drowned.

Toronto, July 28.—Norm
years old, was drowned in
yesterday afternoon while s

Decapitated.

St. Johns, July 28.—Fre
22 years old, had his hea
cut off in the intercolonial
this morning while shuntin
belonged to Moncton.

BOTHA AND DELA

Demonstrations at Capetow
—Generals Carried to
Carriage.

Capetown, July 28.—Gen
proved that he could evad
easily as he did foes by a
unexpectedly this afternoon
ting all the elaborate plans
his reception. He strolled
streets, casually speaking
quaintances and occasionall
er opponent. Arrangements
ly made by the Afrikanders
the famous leader to-night a
vate dinner, tickets to wh
stand at five guineas.

A striking contrast to De
was on Sunday, when Gen
and Delarey attended chu
building was packed, mainly
and the service was scarce
when the Capetown admir
the pew in which the general
difficulty they retreated to
The congregation followed, a
Botha and Delarey were l
vestry table. The pastor of
warmly remonstrated, w
number of those present sei
erals and carried them to the
where another demonstratio

TENDERS FOR SE

Several Companies Have N
For Proposed Fast A
Lines.

Montreal, July 28.—The St
cable says: "The Allan an
Dempster steamship compan
and also the Furness line
others, have tendered for t
fast Atlantic service betwe
and Great Britain. The Ca
cific railway's offer would en
lay of $20,000,000, each
steamer costing $4,000,000
freight vessels would cost an
$900,000 each.

"Insurance circles regard t
to make Quebec a summer
mistake, owing to the dang
tered in navigating the St.
river. They think that a
Halifax service would h
chance of success.

"A high C. P. R. official in
that should the government
higher speed than 20 knots a
St. Lawrence route would
doned."

CHOLERA AND CYC

Sixty Cases at Manila—Mo
During Storm.

Manila, July 28.—An anal
city water shows that it is
inated. There were 61 cases
here to-day.

A cyclone at Camp Vicars
day last caused much loss t
Moro villages were destro
number of Moros killed.