ATTRACTIONS OF COAST NEAR CITY

POINTS OF INTEREST ON A SHORT CRUISE

The Pilot Launch Colby Took Party Yesterday to Many Historic Spots.

Many points of interest on the coast between this city and Sooke harbor, where now is located one of the traps on the southern part of this Island, were viewed Thursday from the cosy cabins of the launch Colby by a party who were the guests of Pilots Cox, Babington, Thompson and Bucknam on an excursion replete with scenic and historic attractions.

The Colby left the inner harbor about 9 o'clock, and was back shortly before 6. A jovial company were aboard, and no dull moment passed from the hour of departure until the time of arrival. To none is the coast line more familiar than to those veterans of the sea. Theirs is an experience which in one or two instances dates back to the period when the Beaver enjoyed the distinction of being among the very few steam craft on this coast.

Captain Thompson was a pilot in '79. There are two others of his time still living, namely, Capt. Heathershanks, of Vancouver, and Capt. Christensen. In early days they had no comfortable launch in which to meet the incoming ships, and the pilotage districts, as they are now known, were all one. Competition was keen, and the risks and hardships many and great. Creeping down the straits the pilot sloops would anchor in some little cove and not infrequently, one navigator thinking he could steal a march on the other, would leave his vessel early in the morning before the daylight revealed the shoreline, and pulling down the straits in an open boat would meet the first inbound ship and take her to Victoria or Vancouver. Capt. Thompson was six years in this kind of life before the districts were divided as they are now. He has seen times when for six days he never took off his clothes.

It is not surprising that such men as Captains Thompson, Bucknam, Babington and Cox are thoroughly conversant with the history of the coast. An interesting book might be compiled out of all that was pointed out on the voyage of the Colby. Places visited on Sunday's excursion in the same craft were omitted from the boat's itinerary. Instead the launch was headed direct for Sooke. Light fleecy clouds which hung ominously in the sky overhead betokened plenty of wind later in the day, and the intention was to land at Sooke and view the traps and other surroundings before weather conditions changed. But there was a strong tide to contend against, and not all the plan could be carried out. Quite a choppy sea arose, and the sea was gradually gaining in strength, so that the expected landing did not take place. The salmon trap, however, was inspected as well as possible from a cruise around.

It is a simple looking device. A long row of piles stretch seaward like the posts of a fence with the top board showing only. On closer examination the net is seen like so much wire fencing hanging from the aforesaid top board into the sea. Sinkers keep it in its place, and the netting forms a wall which the salmon cannot pass. They come along with the drift of the current, and striking the netting start seaward. Thus they are caught. The outer end of the trap is quadrangular in shape, and into the meshes surrounding this the salmon, following the netting for an avenue of escape through several passages, land finally in captivity.

Just before Sooke harbor was reached the famous Frank Richards copper property was pointed out. It belonged to the Irondale Smelter Company, of which the late Mr. McSwaney, who was drowned on the Clallam, was a promoter. On it are some buildings which had been erected for the miners to live in, and a big hole in the rocks, probably 40 feet deep, cut to test the value of the copper ore there found. But though the mine once promised a great deal, it has now been abandoned, at least temporarily.

An hour's run from Sooke harbor brought the steamer to Beecher bay, a sheltered water a short distance beyond the Race, probably two miles long and a good mile wide, with splendid anchorage and many picturesque little coves, which, for camping purposes, could not be surpassed. More than passing interest attaches to Beecher bay, for here it is that railroad promoters have from time to time projected terminal facilities for car ferries connecting Vancouver Island with Port Crescent or Port Angeles. Port Crescent is but 11 miles across the strait, and can be readily seen with the naked eye. Whatever the merits of such propositions, there is no disputing the fact that Beecher bay possesses an excellent harbor. The bay in places appears land locked. There are islands at its entrance which break the rough sea outside and offer a splendid protection to ships within. Mr. Dunsmuir and other Victorians are said to have owned a townsite on the northern side of the bay at one time, but whether they still retain an interest in the place was not learned. The Indian reservation is located on the rocks at the very entrance.

After leaving Beecher Bay probably the next most interesting place was Church Hill, a spot revered by all Indians, who usually bow their heads as they pass. Formerly it was their burying ground. Many totems stood as sentinels over the dead. As the native's body was laid at rest all his belongings were taken to the grave, including his clothing, sometimes his canoe, fishing tackle, tools, &c. Of late the place has been somewhat deserted, although the place is still regarded superstitiously by the natives. On Church Hill a prospector worked all last winter on a copper lead, but with what success has never been related.

Pedder Bay was the next water entered. Here is an inlet about seven miles from Victoria for which the pilots have often to run on a dark stormy night, such as at times are experienced, when the land can hardly be seen, and when the pilots have to wait for the sound of the falling water from the hillsides to assure them that they are in proper anchorage. The bay extends inland for about two miles and a half and possesses the proportions of a river. It is extremely pretty and is a favorite watering place for Indians. In one little cove all that is necessary to secure a good fresh water supply is to dig a small hole in the sand and wait until the spring above fills it. Farms run down to the water's edge. On the headlands just where the inlet ends are some fine homes overlooking the water and situated on the main Sooke road.

Of the little island just off Albert Head which the pilots call Goat Island, an amusing story is told. One day as the pilot sloop was passing a goat was sighted. It was evidently a stranger, and the pilots concluded that it could not subsist long there. Accordingly one put off to the island in a small boat with a view to extending some small act of kindness. He no sooner attempted to go ashore, however, than the goat tackled him in a ferocious manner. The animal refused to let him ashore. Mr. Goat was monarch that time of all he surveyed, and the pilot who would have befriended him was simply driven from the island. Some time afterwards it was learned that the animal had been placed there for safe keeping.

No fewer than four places where wrecks have occurred were pointed out to the Times representative on yesterday's voyage. The remains of the old iron barque Swordfish lie off an island just beyond the Race. She was wrecked over twenty years ago. Beneath the surface of the waters off Cape Calvert the hull of the Chilian barque Twenty-Fourth of May can yet be found, while near the entrance to Pedder bay may be seen the rocks where the schooners C. H. Tupper and Ariel came to grief.

When the Colby was running down the Straits yesterday morning she met the Vancouver steamers Rustler and Queen of the Pacific, which were making for shelter in Beecher bay. They are the steamers employed by the B. C. Salmon Packers' Association in the purse seining enterprises. Both carry large complements of men. An American tug was also seen bound for the American side with a big boom of logs from Vancouver Island, some of which were huge sticks which if on exhibition at the St. Louis fair would attract the admiration of thousands of people.

Fish were jumping in a lively manner around the Race, but the day proved too rough for small boats to be out. The Colby had a lively wind astern returning. With sail set she travelled for part of the way in a very speedy manner.

WEDDING BELLS IN SAANICH.

Mr. Chas. Bradbury, of Chemainus, and Miss Muench Married.

Rev. T. H. Wright, of Sidney, performed the ceremony on Wednesday afternoon which united Miss Julia Jesse Muench, of Victoria, and Mr. Charles Alfred Bradbury, of Chemainus, B. C., in holy wedlock. A splendid dinner was served in the afternoon at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. Christopher Moses, North Saanich, where the event took place.

The bride entered leaning on the arm of her brother-in-law, Mr. Moses, by whom she was given away. Miss Margaret Jones, of Victoria, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Henry William Muench, brother of the bride, attended the groom.

Many were the congratulations given Mr. and Mrs. Bradbury by their friends and well-wishers. The bride wore a dainty dress of cream silk, trimmed with orange blossoms. The happy couple left amid showers of rice, en route for Victoria and other points, to spend their honeymoon, and intend making their future home in Chemainus.

LADYSMITH NEWS.

(Special Correspondence of the Times.)

A cigar factory is about to be opened here very shortly. There is no doubt it will be a success and add to the other industries of the city.

The telephone connections are now nearly completed, and the usual "hullo" flashes along the wire.

The prospects of a busy season in the mines are brightening every day, and the miners feel jubilant, as a few weeks ago it was feared the season would be dull.

The Tyee Smelter is working full time, and ore coming in from all quarters.

WHEN SICKNESS COMES

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Should Be Used to Bring Back Health.

Sickness comes sooner or later in the life of everyone. Many who for years have enjoyed the best of health are suddenly seized with some one of the numerous ills of life. Most of the ills result from an impoverished condition of the blood; thus if the blood is enriched the trouble will disappear. That is why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have had a greater success than any other medicine in the world in curing sick and ailing people. These pills actually make new, rich, red blood, strengthen every nerve in the body and in this way make people well and strong. Mr. Alphonse Lacoussiere, a well known young farmer of St. Leon, Que., proves the truth of these statements. He says: "About a year ago my blood gradually became impoverished. I was weak, nervous, and generally run down. Then suddenly my trouble was aggravated by pains in my kidneys and bladder, and day by day I grew so much worse that finally I was unable to rise without aid. I consulted doctors, but any relief I obtained from their medicine was only temporary and I began to despair of ever being well again. One day I read an article in a newspaper praising Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to try them. I got six boxes, and before they were all gone my condition was so greatly improved that I knew I had at last found a medicine to cure me. I continued the use of the pills for a while longer, and every symptom of my trouble was gone, and I have since enjoyed the best of health. I think so much of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that I am never without them in the house."

It is because Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make new blood that they cure such diseases as anaemia, rheumatism, kidney and liver troubles, neuralgia, indigestion and all other ailments due to poor blood. But you must get the genuine bearing the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around every box. Sold by medicine dealers everywhere or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

TOWN OF FERNIE BECOMES A CITY

HAS OUTGROWN THE CLOTHES OF INFANCY

Letters patent proclaiming the incorporation as a municipality the town of Fernie appear in this week's provincial Gazette. They set forth that the council shall consist of a mayor and six aldermen, and the whole number present at each meeting shall not be less than four.

The nomination for the first election of a mayor and aldermen shall be on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1904, at 12 o'clock, noon, and the polling (if any) shall be on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1904, and shall continue for one day only, and the poll shall be kept open between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., and James Alexander Rennie, Esquire, of Fernie aforesaid, shall be the returning officer thereat.

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The following government appointments are announced:

Frederick Soues, of Clinton, to be returning officer for the Lillooet electoral district.

William Hodson, alderman, and David Malcolm, of the city of Vancouver, to be members of the board of commissioners of police for the city of Vancouver for the year 1904, vice Messrs. Alexander Garrett, alderman, and Frederick Buscombe, resigned.

Sydney A. Roberts, E. B. McKay, J. H. McGregor, John McKenzie and Albert J. Hill, provincial land surveyors, to be members of the board of examiners under the provisions of the "Provincial Land Surveyors Act," for the twelve months ending 30th June, 1905.

Cuyler Armstrong Holland, J. P., Percival Thomas James and Henry Rivers, of the city of Victoria, to be members of the board of directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital for the twelve months ending the 30th of June, 1905.

George Gronningham, of Greenwood, to be registrar of voters for the Greenwood electoral district, vice Mr. William G. McMynn.

Charles Harrison, of Masset, Queen Charlotte Islands, S. M., to be a coroner within and for the province of British Columbia.

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Pursuant to sub-section (2) of section 3 of the "Sheriffs Act," the following is published:

The county of Victoria: Sheriff, Francis Gilbart Richards; post office address, Victoria.

The county of Nanaimo: Sheriff, Samuel Drake; post office address, Nanaimo.

The county of Vancouver: Sheriff, James Deacon Hall; post office address, Vancouver.

The county of Westminster: Sheriff, Thomas Joseph Armstrong; post office address, New Westminster.

The county of Yale: Sheriff, Oliver Johnson Vail; post office address, Vernon.

The county or Cariboo: Sheriff, John Stevenson; post office address, Barkerville.

The county of Kootenay: Sheriff of North Kootenay, Samuel E. Hambly; post office address, Golden.

Limits of Jurisdiction—All that portion of the county of Kootenay not embraced in the jurisdiction of the sheriff of South Kootenay.

Sheriff of South Kootenay, Samuel Parker Tuck; post office address, Nelson.

Limits of Jurisdiction—The Slocan and Nelson ridings of West Kootenay electoral district, that portion of the Rossland riding of West Kootenay electoral district within the county of Kootenay, and the south riding of East Kootenay electoral district, as defined by the "Redistribution Act, 1898."

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The following rules of the Supreme court long vacation are published:

During the vacation all applications which may require to be immediately or promptly heard are to be made to the vacation judge.

The Honorable Mr. Justice Martin, as vacation judge, will sit at the law courts, in Victoria, on Wednesday, at 10.30 a. m., and at the law courts, in Vancouver, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of hearing such applications of the above nature as are usually heard in vacation.

Application may be made, in any case of urgency, to the judge personally (if necessary), or by post, accompanied by office copies of the affidavits in support of the application, and also by a draft, on a separate sheet of paper, initialled by counsel, of the order he may consider the applicant entitled to.

On applications for injunctions, in addition to the above, a copy of the writ and a certificate of writ issued must also be sent.

The papers sent to the judge will be returned to the registrar.

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The following companies have been incorporated: Dundee Gold Mines, Ltd., capital, $625,000; Eva Gold Mines, Ltd., capital, $500,000; Georgia Rock Company, Ltd., capital, $10,000; Greer City Mining & Improvement Co., Ltd., capital, $100,000; Ross & Howard Ironworks Co., Ltd., capital, $250,000.

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The Thistle Club has been incorporated under the provisions of the "Benevolent Societies Act." The objects of the association are: "Social intercourse, mutual helpfulness, mental improvement, rational recreation and the promotion of good fellowship amongst the members. The names of the first trustees or managing directors are: Duncan McCuaig, Benj. Kelsall, S. Bradley, of Three Forks, B. C.

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The write for the Lillooet election is gazetted. The nominations will be held at Clinton.

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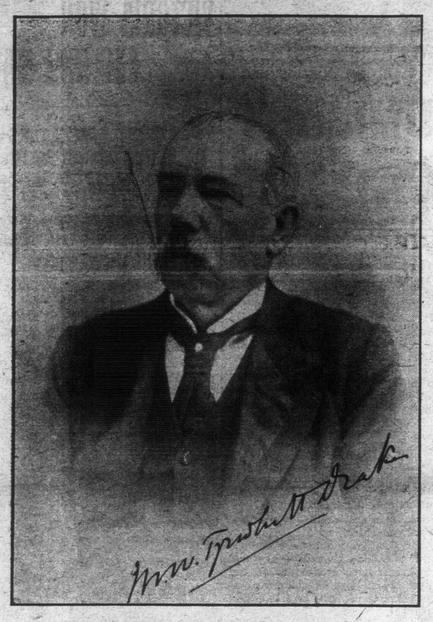
Daniel Davies, of Fernie, B. C., has been appointed attorney for the "Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, Ltd.," in place of William Blakemore.



HIS LORDSHIP MR. JUSTICE DRAKE,

Who Has Just Been Given Six Months' Leave of Absence.

Mr. Justice Drake, who is now enjoying a well-earned vacation, is one of the most highly esteemed judges that ever occupied a Supreme court bench in British Columbia. This regard is shared by all classes, who bear witness to the unfailing courtesy with which he has treated them not only since the time of his elevation to the bench, but in the days when he practiced his profession. He is descended from a very old English family, the Tyrwhitt Drakes, of Shardilves, Bucks. He was born at King's Walls, Hertfordshire, England, in 1830, and was educated at the Charterhouse school, one of the most noted institutions in the Old Country. He was admitted as a solicitor and attorney-at-law to the Superior courts in England in 1851. He came to British Columbia in 1863, and settled in Victoria. He took an active part in public affairs shortly after his arrival, was elected a member of the Legislative Council of British Columbia, as representative for Victoria in 1868, and sat in the House till 1870. He was a member of the Board of Education for British Columbia from 1872 to 1879. In 1877 he was elected Mayor of Victoria, and at the general election of 1882 he was returned to the Legislative Assembly to represent Victoria. He was president of the Executive Council from January 26th, 1883, to October, 1884. Mr. Drake was called to the bar of British Columbia in 1877, was appointed a Queen's Counsel on the 21st of September, 1883, and was elevated to the bench in 1889. He is a bencher of the British Columbia Law Society.

TRAMWAY TO CHILLIWACK.

Proposal Made to Connect That Place With New Westminster.

The Chilliwack council is considering a proposition which, if carried to a successful conclusion, will mean great things for the development of the garden of the Fraser as well as for the entire Lower Mainland, says the New Westminster Columbian. For several weeks the municipal council of Chilliwack has been considering the offer which is made by R. Burtt Morgan, formerly of Rossland, and now representing a syndicate of capitalists of Grand Forks, B. C.

In brief the proposition is as follows: To construct an electric light and power plant, using the Vedder creek as a supply for the necessary water power. This will include a tramway running from Chilliwack to New Westminster. The franchise is for 25 years, with the privilege of a renewal for another 25. It is to be exclusive for 20 years. The terms offered to the council are most liberal, and will probably result in the construction of the proposed works and tram line.

As was mentioned above, the matter has been under consideration of the Chilliwack council for some time, and upon it they have had the legal advice of R. L. Reid, of New Westminster, who has made several trips up the river in connection with the proposition. At last night's meeting of the municipal council the whole matter was shaped, and it will be subjected to the vote of the ratepayers for final decision on the 6th of August.

CURE THE MOST EXTREME CASES

STONE IN THE KIDNEYS CANNOT STAND BEFORE DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Mr. S. A. Cassidy, of Ottawa, Permanently Cured After Years of Suffering by the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Ottawa, Ont., July 29.—(Special.)—While all Canada knows that Dodd's Kidney Pills are the standard remedy for all Kidney Complaints it may surprise some people to know they cure such extreme cases as Stone in the Kidneys. Yet that is what they have done right here in Ottawa.

Mr. S. A. Cassidy, the man cured, is the well-known proprietor of the Bijou Hotel on Metcalf street, and in an interview he says: "My friends all know that I have been a martyr to Stone in the Kidneys for years. They know that besides consulting the best doctors in the city and trying every medicine I could think of I was unable to get better.

"Some time ago a friend told me Dodd's Kidney Pills would cure me. As a last resort I tried them and they have cured me.

"I could not imagine more severe suffering than one endures who has Stone in the Kidneys and I feel the greatest gratitude to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

If the disease is of the kidneys or from the kidneys Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure it.

Visitors to the ruins of St. Pierre have observed the following surprising effect of the eruption of May 8th. While some parts of the walls and other remains of masonry still stand nothing remains of metallic constructions but an impalpable powder.

MILITARY EXPERTS GIVE VIEWS ON WAR

Report Received by Militia Department From Capt. Thacker, Who is at Tokio.

Ottawa, July 29.—Capt. Thacker, R. C.A., who was sent by the Militia Department to the Japanese war to study it from an educational standpoint, is still in Tokio. At any rate he was there on June 29, when he wrote to the Department. Capt. Thacker gave a narrative of the war from March 1st to May. As to the effect of the Japanese artillery on the person, he says that of the prisoners taken at the Yalu and under treatment at the Japanese hospital at Matsynama, not a single wound is classified under the effects of artillery.

Referring to the Japanese dispositions on the Yalu river prior to the battle of April last, Japanese officers say that everyone wanted to get a look at the enemy, but the sentries were always concealed, and no one was allowed to mount high ground.

The advance guard had planted screens on the high ground south of Yalu, as many points were exposed to the view of the enemy, who could have seen the approach if this had not been done. On the other hand there were always plenty of the enemy watching. Attempts were made to draw the Japanese out, but this failed. It appears that the enemy did not even know that the Japanese had howitzer batteries on account of the ingenious way they were worked.

Capt. Thacker says that secrecy is the principal feature of all the proceedings in the Japanese system. Nothing is heard until the matter is accomplished. Entraining troops at Tokio took place in secret.

According to Gen. Ian Hamilton, if 2,000 Boers had held the line at the Yalu they would have inflicted upon the Japanese a considerably greater loss than the Japanese did suffer and would have then got away with the loss of a few wagons or at most 200 men. This is not to minimize the enterprise, courage, endurance and mobility of the Japanese troops, but rather to show that the Russians, though courageous, must have been slow, stupid and badly handled as well as probably over-confident.

Gen. Hamilton thinks the Russians' Liao position had some resemblance to that of the Boers. Russians did not seem to have any of the deceptions which were employed by the Japanese with great effect.

Gen. Sir William Nicholson says that the Japanese concur with the continental powers in believing that a closer formation than that adopted in South Africa is essential to proper coersion and due momentum at the time of impact. The losses may be heavier, but the result is likely to be more decisive.

Colds, Headache, Catarrh.

RELIEVED IN 10 MINUTES BY DR. AGNEW'S CATARRHAL POWDER.

Rev. W. H. Main, pastor of the Baptist-Emanuel Church, Buffalo, gives strong testimony for and is a firm believer in Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. He has tried many kinds of remedies without avail. "After using Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder I was benefited at once" are his words. It is a wonderful remedy and will relieve any form of head pain in ten minutes and eradicate catarrh.

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MINERAL ACT.
(Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Iron Knob, Olga, June, Helen and Amazon Mineral Claims, situate in the West Coast Mining Division of Rupert District. Where located: On the southeast arm of Quatsino Sound.

Take notice that I, J. Herrick McGregor, as agent for William Grant and Thos. S. Lippy, Free Miner's Certificate No. B89602, 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.

Dated this 20th day of June, 1904, A. D.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

In the Matter of Lot 1,615, Victoria City, and in the Matter of an Application on Behalf of Charles William Ringler Thomson for an Indefeasible Title to Same.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above land to Charles William Ringler Thomson on the 24th day of September, 1904, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person claiming an estate or interest therein, or in any part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, B. C., 21st June, 1904.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, to wit: Commencing at a post at the southwest corner of Margaret Keating's lot, thence in an easterly direction 20 chains, thence in a southerly direction 20 chains, thence westerly 20 chains to the Skeena River, thence in a northerly direction along the Skeena river to beginning, containing forty acres more or less, the said land being situated about five miles above Hazelton, B. C., and directly opposite the Indian village of Glen Vowell, Sic-e-dach Reserve, staked October, 1903.

BRUNO FRIEDRICH.

MINERAL ACT.

NOTICE.

Hampton Mineral Claim, situate in the Victoria Mining Division of Victoria District. Where located: On Mount Brenton.

Take notice that I, Chas. E. Clarke, Free Miner's Certificate No. B89,214, 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.

Dated this 6th day of June, A. D., 1904.

CHAS. E. CLARKE.

PERSONAL—If Alex. Addison, late of Victoria, will correspond with the undersigned he will hear something greatly to his advantage. "A. S. B.," Times Office.

Just fancy! It is a British Tory government that has recalled Dundonald. What will the men in Canada who are more royalist than the King and more loyal than Balfour say to that?

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

Lot I. Commencing at a stake planted about half a mile south from the entrance of Warner Bay, Seymour Inlet, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north to shore line, thence following shore line to place of commencement, containing in all about 640 acres.

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Lot II. Commencing at a stake planted at the northwest corner of Lot I., thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 160 chains more or less to shore, thence following shore line to place of commencement.

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Lot III. Commencing at the northeast corner of Lot I., thence east 60 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains more or less to shore of Warner Bay, thence following shore line to place of commencement.

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Lot IV. Commencing at a stake planted about one-half mile south of the head of Warner Bay on the west side, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Dated June 14th, 1904.

Lot V. Commencing at a stake planted about one and one-half miles west of Warner Bay, on the south side of Seymour Inlet, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east, following shore line to place of commencement.

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Dated June 16th, 1904.

Lot I. Commencing at a stake planted on the right bank of Weewattle River, about one mile from its mouth, at the head of Seymour Inlet, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Lot II. Commencing at a stake planted at the southwest corner of Lot I., thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 120 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Lot III. Commencing at a stake planted at the northeast corner of Lot I., thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to place of commencement.

WILLIAM M'NEILL.

Dated June 15th, 1904.

WANTED—Agents to sell for Canada's greatest nurseries. Bigger and better selection of varieties and specialties than ever. Liberal terms; pay weekly; exclusive territory; outfit free. Send 25 cents for our pocket microscope. Everyone should have one to examine plants and trees for insects. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED—We have continual inquiries for Vancouver Island farm lands. If your property is for sale write us at once, giving full particulars, and we will sell it for you if it can be sold. Helgerman & Co., Victoria, B. C.