

LOATING ISLANDS.

are several floating islands and in fiction, but there are also which really exist. England possible at least one floating island—the wentwater. It appears and distributed in the most erratic manner, and we for several weeks last summer, after having been missing for the wears.

some well known instances in can lakes. Some of them are can lakes. Some of them are can lakes. Some of them are can lakes. Some of the winds. er at the mercy of the winds, er simply tongues of land commendermined by the water, and to the mainland by strips of the water, and to the mainland by strips of the water, which allow the islands to the most uncanny manner. out in the most uncanny manner. islands in the Mexican lakes are islands in the Mexican lakes are tural and partly artificial. Massas do vegetation collect in the water do when these masses are strong he Mexicans lay soil upon them, in fresh vegetation takes root in the little islet begins to collect tis own account, and in course of levelops into a good sized island, e matives cultivate in the ordinary

COLOF PLAY. red and blue and green, ave you these color's seen? roses," answered Ted, seen the color red, sunset you may learn the sky begins to burn."

heavens," answered Prue,
cocean there is blue.
shadows long and still,
ng downward from the hill." and summer bring us green, ed smiling Josephine; meadows, on the trees, shaded nook of bees." red and blue and green, nd Prue and Josephine. RANDOLPH COOPER LEWIS.

ke a willow whistle, cut a green stick about five inches long and as shown in figure 3. Pound it



nd the bark will become loose for you to slip it off. Then cut a be of the wood from the notch A to B, after which you slip back the



ve out very shrill sounds, and with



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be supplied by meter. The ordinary fine for each and every inout this provision shall in no way preju dice any proceedings for enforcing the by-law, viz., on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, a fine not exceeding \$100, or a term of imprisonment with or without hard labor not exceeding

JAS. L. RAYMUR, Water Commissioner. City Hall, 5th May, 1906.

NOTICE—City of Victoria. Municipal Clauses Act, Section 50.

WHEREAS, upon an inquiry held by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on Monday, the 14th day of May, 1906, upon the complaint of the Said corporation, into the state and condition of a certain wooden structure or wharf, appurtenant to Lot 4, in Block 70, within the Municipal limits of the City of Victoria, upon hearing the evidence in support of the said complaint and the Solicitor for Mrs. Joan Dunsmuir, the mortgagee in possession and owner, the Council found the said wooden structure a nuisance and dangerous to the public safety, and it is desirable that the same forthwith pulled down and removed.

THEREFORE be it resolved by the Municipal Council of Corporation of the City of Victoria, upon hearing the evidence in support of the said wooden structure a nuisance and dangerous to the public safety, and it is desirable that the same forthwith pulled down and removed.

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Victoria, B. C., City Clerk's Office, May 22, 1906.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at its next sittings, for a transfer from myself to Charles Nesbitt Johnson of the license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors on lot 185, Victoria City, on the premises known as the St. Francis Hotel, situate on the corner of Yates Street and Oriental Alley, Victoria, B. C.
Dated this 11th day of May, A. D. 1906. my12

JOHN CLAUS VOSS.

TAKE NOTICE that the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Western Power Company, Limited, will be held at the office of Bodwell & Lawson, No. 34½ Government Street, Victoria, B.C., on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1906, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon. DATED this 18th day of May, A. D. 1906.

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