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PROPHECY COMES TRUE

Four years ago there appeared in The News a short sob story in verse which had been received by Walter Claxton of this city and answered by him in a series of verses which constituted a prophecy. This prophecy has already partly come true and on that account is very interesting:

THE PESSIMIST.

It hardly pays to be in Prince Rupert. For there's nothing much to see. In Prince Rupert. She's a dead one all day long. No one sings the latest song. Everyone has got in wrong. In Prince Rupert.

THE PROPHECY.

I've a hunch that you'd come back. To Prince Rupert. Asking pardon for your crack. At Prince Rupert. When you meet the mighty throng. You'll confess that you did wrong. Sending south your nasty song. To Prince Rupert. After the war you'll meet big men. In Prince Rupert. They will build the depot then. In Prince Rupert. Stretch the yards along the shore. With a hundred tracks or more. Finance confidence restore. In Prince Rupert.

ALL ITS WONDERS REALIZE.

All its wonders realize. For Prince Rupert. Scrapers cleaving to the skies. In Prince Rupert. Hear the trip-hammers ringing loud. Where the elevators crowd. Oh! we'll still grow very proud. Of Prince Rupert.

STOPPED THE FUN.

To the Editor.—Did you know that this city issues licenses to peddlers, who carry envelopes containing coupons representing value in currency. The unsuspecting customers' being asked to draw one of these envelopes, are surprised to find they have won the sum of forty dollars and are thus able to buy a fifty dollar article for the modest sum of only ten dollars,

and soon find their names attached to contract, guaranteeing payment of same (which cannot be cancelled). Yet one of our most honored societies, the Daughters of the Empire, are estopped from running a simple ten cent game of chance at our fair, where value is rewarded in fun, if not in goods. Yours for square dealing, F. W. CHANDLER.

Henri Defontaine and John Burzi arrived last evening from Terrace with a list of exhibits for the fair.

THE WONDERFUL FRUIT MEDICINE

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Gum Boots, Rubbers, Shoes, Overalls, Gloves, Shirts, Waterproof Duck Clothing, Canvas, Tents, Sails, Suit Cases, Trunks, Handbags, Harness and Saddlery. CALL AND SEE THEM J. F. MAGUIRE 722 Second Ave., Prince Rupert

PRINCE RUPERT TIDES

Wednesday, September 22. High, 9:50 a.m., 15.9 feet. 21:37 p.m., 16.6 feet. Low, 3:16 a.m., 7.5 feet. 15:40 p.m., 10.2 feet. Thursday, September 23. High, 10:12 a.m., 16.7 feet. 22:35 p.m., 17.3 feet. Low, 4:18 a.m., 7 feet. 16:46 p.m., 9.2 feet.

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian West. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The table given is for Port Simpson but the time for Prince Rupert varies only a few minutes on some days and on others is the same. The range of the tide may be computed as 5 per cent greater at Prince Rupert than at Port Simpson both at springs and neaps. Therefore the rise in the Prince Rupert harbor is slightly greater than Port Simpson. The height is in feet and tenths of feet above the average level of lower low water.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

His Application No. 11710-1. File 6322. TAKE NOTICE that application was made to register Olof Hanson of Prince Rupert, B. C., as owner in fee under a Tax Sale Deed from the City of Prince Rupert, bearing date the 28th day of November, 1917, of ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel of tract of land and premises situate, being in the City of Prince Rupert, more particularly known and described as Lot 474, Block Thirty-one (31) Section Eight (8), Map Nine Hundred and Twenty-three (923). You are required to contest the claim of the purchaser within 35 days from the date of the service of this notice (which may be effected by publication in the Daily News, Prince Rupert, and your attention is called to section 36 of the "Land Registry Act" with amendments, and to the following extract therefrom:— "and in default of a caveat or certificate of his pending title filed before the registration of the title of the person entitled under such tax sale, all persons so served with notice, and those claiming through or under them, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of this Act, shall be forever estopped and barred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes, and the Registrar shall thereupon issue a certificate under such tax sale as owner of the land so sold for taxes." AND WHEREAS application has been made for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above-mentioned lands, in the name of Olof Hanson. AND WHEREAS on investigating the title it appears that prior to the 13th day of October, 1916 (the date on which the said lands were sold for overdue taxes), you were the assessed owner thereof, or otherwise as stated opposite your respective names: FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the same time I shall effect registration in pursuance of such application and issue a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the said lands in the name of Olof Hanson unless you take and prosecute the proper proceedings to establish your claim, if any, to the said lands, or to prevent such proposed action on my part. DATED at the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., this 24th day of August, A. D. 1920. H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar of Titles. To W. H. Evans Crown Grantee. John Dahl & Jake Dahl, assessed owners.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land. In Queen Charlotte-Islands Land District, recording district of Skeena, and situate along the westerly boundary of Block 53, in District Lot 746, on Skeena Inlet. Take notice that the GHAMHAN ISLAND SPRUCE & CEDAR CO., LTD., of Port Clements, occupation lumber merchants, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Block 53; thence north 46 deg. 37 min. west 29.9 feet; thence north 76 deg. 05 min. west 510 feet; thence south 33 deg. west 468 feet; thence south 236.3 feet; thence east 474 feet more or less to a post planted at the southwest corner of said Block 53; thence north-easterly following the high-water mark along the westerly boundary of Block 53 to the point of commencement, containing 7.5 acres more or less. GHAMHAN ISLAND SPRUCE & CEDAR CO., LIMITED. Dated August 26th, 1920.

BLACK MAGIC BY MASKELYNE

Famous Magician Makes Escape in Ten Seconds from Tank in Thames.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—For an hour last Friday afternoon the stretch of the Thames between Blackfriars Bridge and Waterloo Bridge became an adjunct of St. George's Hall, and hundreds of Londoners were provided with visible proof that the powers of magic are not limited within the four walls of the building in Langham Place. The occasion was really a duel of wits between the Sea Scouts and Mr. Maskelyne and his assistants, and it must be admitted that on this occasion the Scouts had the worse of the argument.

At Jamboree

The duel between the parties really began during the recent Jamboree at Olympia. On that occasion the Sea Scouts challenged Val Walker, who makes a hobby of escaping from anything that is barred and bolted, to find a way out of a safe of their building. He did so, and was promptly challenged to a far more strenuous test.

"Come to our training ship, the Northampton," said the Sea Scouts, "and release yourself from a prison of which you shall know nothing before you step on board," and again the challenge was accepted. Accordingly, Captain Malzard and Nevil Maskelyne held a reception in the Northampton during the afternoon, and Mr. Walker was shown the forbidding task that awaited him.

In a Steel Tank

The Sea Scouts had prepared a steel watertank capable of holding about 60 gallons of water, with a lid firmly secured by two bolts. In the upper half of the walls air-holes had been driven, and Mr. Walker was informed that after he had been securely imprisoned by the captain of the Northampton he would be lowered into the waters of the Thames, the interior of the tank would be inevitably flooded, and he could then make his escape the best way he could. Mr. Walker promised to do his best, and to the great delight of all the small boys who could find an inch of room on the embankment the preparations began. Mr. Walker estimated that he could release himself from his steel prison in 20 seconds, and time after time the tank was lowered into the river for that period, to make certain that all the Sea Scouts knew which ropes to pull at the critical moment.

Made Escape

When he was satisfied on this point, he stepped into the tank, the captain of the Northampton screwed home the bolts, and made assurance doubly sure with a spanner. The tank was swung out on a davit and unceremoniously dropped into the Thames. Certain it is that Mr. Walker was inside the tank when it was put into the water; equally certain it is that within 10 seconds he had made his escape, and within a minute the tank was being hauled on board again with the bolts still securely in position. The Sea Scouts marvelled greatly; Mr. Maskelyne and his friends smiled grimly, and the spectators on shore and on the Northampton cheered lustily.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

September 22, 1910. W. H. McLeod, the new Baptist minister, preached his first sermon yesterday. He is a preacher of power and personality. D. C. Yates, a workman employed on the new Bank of Montreal building, fell off the roof this morning, sustaining serious injuries. Captain Klaus Larsen made the first passage through the whirlpool rapids of Niagara Falls yesterday afternoon. The fire department equipment, under Chief McGinnis, now consists of a hose wagon and 1,500 feet of hose. Ernest Woods' fine new bungalow at the corner of Borden and Taylor Street, costing \$4,000 is rapidly nearing completion.

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DENTISTRY. QUALITY. Dr. Bayne. OFFICE HOURS—Morning, 9 to 12, Afternoon, 1:30 to 5:30, Saturdays, 1 to 5. Every Evening from 7:30 to 9. Dental Nurse in attendance. Phone 109 for appointment. Rooms 4, 5, 6, Helgeson Bldg., Cor. 3rd and 4th. Best Equipped Office in Northern B.C.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. B.C. Coast Steamship Service. S. S. PRINCESS ALICE. For Ketchikan, Juneau, Skagway, Alaska, from Prince Rupert, September 17 and 27. For Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle from Prince Rupert, September 21 and October 1. S. S. PRINCESS BEATRICE. From Prince Rupert for Swanson Bay, Ocean Falls, Hazelton, Beaver Cove, Powell River, Vancouver and Victoria. Every Saturday, 6 p.m. For rates, reservations and sailings, apply to W. O. ORCHARD, General Agent. Prince Rupert. Cor 3rd Avenue and 4th Street.

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