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Col. McMillan, of Cassiar Packing Co., Says Not Directly Interested in Salmon.

Speaking of the persistence of the Prince Rupert people in having the new fishery regulations strictly enforced, Col. McMillan, of the Cassiar Packing Co., owners of the Cassiar Cannery on the Skeena, remarked recently that it was difficult to understand the stand of Prince Rupert people who are in favor of the open fishing regulations inaugurated this year. "There is nobody in that city directly interested in the cannery business," he said, "and in addition the most of the fishermen hail from the Fraser River or Vancouver. The equipment is bought outside of the city, the nets coming from Ireland and Scotland, and the manila rope and twine from Massachussetts."

Col. McMillan also voiced the wail of the cannery people regarding the feared invasion of the salmon fisheries of B. C. by Americans. He also said that of 30 or more canneries on the Fraser River only two would operate this year.

On the recommendation of the Board of Works and the City Engineer, 36 feet of sewer pipe is to be supplied to C. R. Anderson Co., Eighth St., so that he may connect up with the city sewer.

STENOGRAPHERS.

An Examination for junior and senior stenographers will be held on Saturday, May 29, 1920, in Vancouver, Victoria, New Westminster and such other points as there may be five or more candidates.

Candidates must be British subjects, residents of Canada for at least one year, of full age of seventeen years, and not more than thirty-five years of age.

Applications to write will be received up to noon, Friday, May 21st, 1920. Application forms and full particulars may be obtained from the undersigned or from any Government Agent.

W. H. MACINNES,
Civil Service Commissioner.
Victoria, B. C.,
April 19th, 1920.

NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF an application for the issue of fresh Certificates of Title for Lot Fifteen (15), of Lot Three hundred and sixty-two (362), Range Five (5), Coast District (Map 967), and the North Westerly One hundred and twenty (120) acres, more or less, of Lot Fourteen hundred and twenty-three (1423), Range Five (5), Coast District.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention to issue, after the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, fresh certificates of title to the above mentioned lands, in the name of Alexander Chisholm, which Certificates are dated 29th March, 1913, and 29th May, 1918, and numbered 3432-I and 10896-I respectively.

Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., 9th day of April, 1920.

H. F. MACLEOD,
District Registrar of Titles.

LAND ACT

VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE III.

TAKE NOTICE that J. C. Clausen of Ocean Falls, B. C., occupation superintendent of logging, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted 2½ miles in a northerly direction from the northwest corner of Lot 897 on the west coast of Calvert Island; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to point of commencement and containing 160 acres, more or less.

J. C. CLAUSEN.
Date January 21st, 1920.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In Queen Charlotte Islands Land District, Cumshewa District of Skeena, and situate in Naden Harbor.

Take notice that Hume B. Babington of Prince Rupert, occupation master mariner, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains southeast of George Pt., thence north 10 chains; thence west about 20 chains more or less to shore; thence southeasterly along shore to post and containing 15 acres, more or less.

H. B. BABINGTON.

WATER NOTICE
USE AND STORAGE

Take notice that the Taylor Mining Co., Ltd., whose address is 607 Credit Foncier Building, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use 50 second feet and to store 2500 acre feet of water out of Clearwater Creek, tributary to Kitsault River, which flows westerly and drains into Kitsault River about 23 miles north of Alice Arm, B. C.

The storage dam will be located at outlet of Clearwater Lake. The capacity of the reservoir to be created is about 2500 acre feet, and it will flood about 200 acres of land. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point close to lake outlet and will be used for power purposes upon the mine described as Wolf Mineral Claim, and this in Alice Arm District.

This notice was posted on the ground on the seventh day of April, 1920.

A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert, B. C.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder, or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

The powers of this undertaking are to be exercised for power and lighting within the territory embracing all the Wolf mineral claims, the Polly Warden mineral claims, and all of this Company's railroad and properties and buildings, or any properties and buildings of others in and adjacent to the Alice Arm district.

The petition for the approval of the undertaking will be heard in the office of the Board at a date to be fixed by the Comptroller, and that any interested person may file an objection thereto in the office of the Comptroller, or of the Water Recorder of the district.

TAYLOR MINING CO., LTD.
Applicant.
by C. B. North, Agent.

The date of the first publication of this notice is April 17, 1920.

Salmon Canning is Very Important Industry with 28 Plants in Operation

Six Thousand People to be Employed and Should Support Population of 20,000 in vicinity of Prince Rupert

Now that the salmon canning season is about to commence a resume of the industry in the district tributary to Prince Rupert will not be out of place. Few people realize the large extent of the business tributary to the city in the canning of salmon in the Skeena, Naas and Queen Charlotte districts. Last year a total of 1,017,491 cases were packed in these districts with a value that reached nearly $10,000,000. The industry is the means of employment of 6,000 persons which would support a population of at least 20,000. This season there will be 28 canneries operating in the immediate vicinity of Prince Rupert.

Closest to the city, with the exception of the Prince Rupert Cannery, owned by the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., are the Skeena River canneries. The Skeena River district is the largest of all. In it there are no less than 14 canneries operating. The employees total 1400 persons. The largest is the Balmoral cannery at the mouth of the Ecstall River on the east side. This plant is owned by the B.C. Packers of Vancouver. The other canneries are smaller and their outputs are about the same size.

Location of Canneries

Following the line of the G.T.P. out of Prince Rupert the first cannery is the Port Edward owned by the Northern B.C. Fish Co. of Vancouver, in which George Frizzell and R. V. Winsh are largely interested. Next comes the Inverness Cannery, owned by J. H. Todd & Co., which is being rebuilt after the recent fire. Across the Slough from Inverness is the Dominion Cannery owned by the B.C. Packers. In sight of Inverness and on the river come Sunnyside, Gosse-Millerd Co. and North Pacific, owned by the A.B.C. Packers. Past this is the Cassiar Cannery owned by the Cassiar Packing Co. At Haysport a new cannery will be operated this year, owned by the Maritime Fisheries. This is the last cannery on the north side of the Skeena with the exception of the old Aberdeen Cannery which was destroyed by fire years ago.

Almost directly across from the old Aberdeen is the Ecstall River and the Balmoral Cannery. At Port Essington there are three canneries, the British American, owned by the A.B.C. Packers, the Skeena Commercial, the Northern B.C. Packers and Cunningham Cannery, the property of the B.C. Packers. West of Essington and at the gap of the Skeena River is the Carlisle Cannery owned by the Kildala Packing Co. Across from this on Smith Island is the Oceanic Cannery belonging to the B.C. Canning Co. of Victoria. At Claxton is the cannery of the Wallace Fisheries. This list comprises all the canneries of the Skeena except the B.C. Packers' Alexander Cannery, near Balmoral, which is not operating this year.

Down the coast from the Skeena River and in Grenville Channel are the Butedale Cannery, belonging to the Western Packers, and the Love Inlet Cannery of the B.C. Packers Co.

Queen Charlottes

On the Queen Charlotte Islands are five plants which are not so extensive as the ones on the mainland and pack more intermittently. These are the Lockeport Cannery, owned by the Lockeport Canning Co; the Alford Bay Cannery, by the Maritime Fisheries; the Cumshewa Cannery, by J. M. McMillan; the Masset Inlet Cannery, by the Wallace Fisheries; and the Langara Cannery, belonging to Captain Babington and associates. The last mentioned is the only cannery that has ever operated during the winter in this district, when it was busy canning crabs. The mild curing station at Langara, owned last year by C. P. Riel, may not operate this season.

Naas River

In the Naas River district there will be six canneries in operation this season. On Wales Island is the cannery belonging to the M. Rubysay Co. At the mouth of the Naas the Portland Canal is the well known Streamlet plant belonging to the A. B. C. Packing Co. Just up from the mouth are Mill Bay, owned by the N. B. C. Fisheries, and Naas Harbor, by the B. C. Packers. On Somerville Island is the cannery of that name owned by the Western Salmon Packers and close by the Kumeon Cannery, belonging to the Northern B. C. Fisheries. One cannery, the Port Nelson, owned by the A. B. C. Packing Co., will not operate this season.

The Seasons.

None of the canneries can commence operations to any extent before May 1 when the licenses are granted. The first fish to be taken ad cnanned are the springs which run from May 1 to July 15. On or before June 20, the sockeye, the greatest of commercial fish, commences to run and the canning season commences in earnest. They continue till the end of August. When the humpbacks start about July 15, the canneries are working their hardest with the various varieties coming in. The cohoes and chums commence to run about August 1 and continue till September 30 when the season is practically over.

At the present time all the canneries are busy preparing for the season's work, organizing staffs and getting in supplies for the villages of Japs and Indians, as well as whites that will gather about each one. The majority do not start canning until June 20 although the Balmoral starts putting up mild cured springs about May 1. Until May 1 the only fish that can be taken at the plants are those brought in by trolling boats.

STEWART.

After having used the jail quarters in the court house for school purposes for some years, the school has again opened in the regular large schoolhouse with Miss Dorothy Thompson in charge.

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Last Saturday night the Stewart Athletic Association met and made plans for a baseball team this season. Stewart possesses a number of strong players and it is expected will make a good showing in inter-town matches.

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At an election held in the court house on Friday morning last, James Stewart, William Fraser and Martin Smith were elected fire wardens for the year. A strict campaign for fire protection is to be followed this year. Tents will be prohibited in the business section and stovepipes and chimneys are to be examined.

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Last Saturday night a large crowd attended the opening of the F. . . St. Cabaret. Two per cent and music quickly whiled the time away. Another cabaret, the Ocean View, is opening shortly.

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There is still a good deal of snow in the hills but the operating camps are working satisfactorily and recent indications would promise that the snow will disappear quickly once it gets started.

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F. M. Haltenbury, head of the Haltenbury Lands Co., appeared on the streets of Victoria a few days ago incognito. His idea he says is to beat the H. C. of L. and he expects others to follow his lead.

TIMBER SALE X 2217.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, but later than noon on the 27th day of May, 1920, for the purchase of Licence X 2217, to cut 4,000,000 feet of Spruce, Balsam, Cedar and Hemlock on all area situated on Deer Lake, Prince Rupert Island, Range 4, Coast District.

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Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B. C.

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AUCTION SALE.

AUCTION SALE—Wednesday next April 28th, at 2:30 p.m. sharp, 6th Avenue at Hart Apartments between Fulton St. and Methodist Church; of dining and bedroom suites, also kitchen furniture. Geo. Leek, Auctioneer.

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