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CONTRACT WAS ON COST PLUS USUAL SYSTEM

L. W. Patmore Explains Misunderstanding in Regard to the Building of New School.

In connection with the contract let to Colonel McMordie for erecting the new school building, L. W. Patmore this morning explained that Colonel McMordie had taken the contract on a "cost plus" basis, but instead of being given the usual ten per cent such as was tendered on by Morgan & Co., he was getting only four per cent on $70,000.

While supervising was undoubtedly part of the work, yet it was not by any means all. The contractor had to do his own financing, had to make the contracts with the sub-contractors and do everything which usually falls to the lot of a contractor. The only difference between this and the usual cost plus contract was that in this case the city was saved six per cent on $70,000.

Mr. Patmore said there had been some criticism of the action of the board in letting the contract as they did, but he felt sure that when the people understood the position they would realize that it was a good deal.

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 for same 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 Olsondin, which Certificates are dated 29th March, 1913, and 29th May, 1915, and numbered 3432-I and 19996-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 QUADRA, 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, Recording 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 25 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 lights to 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 Dolly Varden 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.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT VERY HIGH

Railwaymen's Strike Makes Produce From South Jump Skywards.

Owing to the railwaymen's strike vegetables and fruit are jumping in price, it being very difficult to get supplies. A shipment of cucumbers, cauliflower and celery has arrived in the city but the prices are very high.

Potatoes are still on the jump and local dealers are selling in many cases at practically wholesale rates owing to the stock being on hand before the raise. They are retailing here at from $8 a sack but they are worth that wholesale.

The following are the prices today:—

Meats.

Sirloin steak	55c
Beef, pot roast, lb., 30c to	35c
Beef, chuck roast, lb.	30c
Beef, rib roast, lb.,	45c
Beef, boiling, lb. 25c to	30c
Hamburger, per lb.	30c
Stewing beef, per lb.	25c
Corned beef, per lb.,	25c
Lamb, leg, per lb.,	55c
Lamb, loin,	55c
Mutton, stewing	25c
Mutton, shoulder roast 32c to	35c
Veal shoulder roast	35c
Veal shoulder roast	22c
Leg of veal 30c and	40c
Pork sausages, per lb.	45c
Tomato sausages	30c
Pork, leg, 45c to	50c
Pork chops	60c
Pork, shoulder,	45c
Bacon, piece, per lb.	67c
Bacon, sliced, per lb.	70c
Ham, sliced,	65c
Ham, smoked,	60c
Salt backs	45c
Chicken, per lb.,	50c
Fowl, per lb.,	45c
Pickled pork, per lb.	45c
Cooked ham, sliced, per lb.,	75c
Spare ribs, per lb.,	30c
Roast ham	80c
Bologna, per lb.,	35c
Jellied tongue 50c to	60c
Broilers	60c
Rabbits, each.	75c
Calves liver, lb.,	35c
Cooked beef tongue,	75c
Lamb hearts	25c

Dairy Produce.

Butter	80c
Butter (cooking)	75c
Cheese, per lb.,	45c
Limberger cheese, per lb.	60c
Eggs (case)	50c
B. C. fresh eggs	65c
Strictly new-laid eggs	80c
Margarine	45c
Comb honey	50c
Sugar, per lb.,	22c
Bread, per loaf,	15c
Flour (hard white) 50-lb sk	$3.75
Milk, per case ... $6.50 to	$7.7.

Fish.

Cod, 2 lbs.	35c
Cod fillets, smoked,	20c
Fresh black cod per lb.	15c
Finnan haddie	25c
Halibut, per lb.	25c
Herring, kippered, per lb.	15c
Salt Herring, each,	10c
Flounder Fillets, lb.,	20c
Salt Acadia Cod, 2-lb. boxes	55c
Oysters, per dozen,	50c
Shrimps, per lb.,	30c
Skate, per lb.,	10c
Brills 3 for	25c
Herring 4 lbs for	25c
Salt oolachans, lb.,	10c
Spring salmon, per lb.	30c
White salmon	20c
Crabs	25c

Vegetables

Onions, dry, per lb.,	15c
Carrots, per lb.,	5c
Turnips, per lb.,	8c
Celery, per bunch,	30c
Cabbage, per lb.,	15c
Cauliflower	50c
Head lettuce	17½c
Brussels sprouts	35c
Potatoes, per sack,	$8.00
Rhubarb, per bundle	20c
Green onions	15c
Cucumbers, each, ... 50c to	60c

Fruit.

Bananas	75c
Grapefruit (California) 3 for	25c
Lemons	40c
Dates (drom)	35c
Bulk Dates, per lb.	60c
Navel oranges 30c to	$1.00
Apples Yellow Newtons No. 1	$4.50
Jonathan apples No. 1	$4.00
Cooking apples	$2.75
Canned Italian prunes	40c
Raisins, per lb.,	35c
Currants, per lb	35c
Peel, per lb.,	60c
Mixed nuts, per lb.	35c
Table Figs, per pkg.,	15c
Mince Meat	20c

Evaporated Fruits.

Black Figs	30c
White Figs	30c
Apricots	45c
Peaches	35c
Apples	35c
Seedless Raisins	35c
Prunes	20c-30c

Local News Notes

A. J. Lancaster went south last night.

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Mrs. C. H. Elkins and child sailed for Vancouver last night.

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George McAfee of Georgetown is registered at the Hotel Prince Rupert.

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School Inspector Paterson left for Ocean Falls on last night's steamer.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Lee of Inverness arrived in town yesterday afternoon.

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Best Household Lump Coal. $13.50 delivered. Phone Black 85. —Terminal Coal Co.

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E. W. C. McPhail, manager of the Anyox baseball team, arrived in the city last night.

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Anita Stewart in "In Old Kentucky." A picture of daring deeds, beautiful women and fast horses.

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E. J. Taylor, of the Taylor Engineering Co. at Alice Arm, arrived in the city last night and continued his journey south.

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A building permit has been issued to R. Parks for an $800 extension to his residence on Taylor Street. The work will be done by W. J. Greer.

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It is a long time since such a large crowd gathered at an outgoing steamer as did at the Prince Rupert last night when she pulled out for the south. The friends of the two bridal parties thronged to No. 2 shed to bid the newlyweds farewell.

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E. C. McFeely, who has been traveling through the Cariboo district buying furs, returned to Vancouver last night after having spent a few days in the city. Mr. McFeely is a son of E. J. McFeely of the well known hardware firm, McLennan & McFeely, Vancouver.

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Miss Hudson, deaconess of the Methodist Church, left last night for Vancouver where she will attend a branch meeting of the Women's Missionary Society. Miss Hudson will remain in the south for the church conference and Rev. T. H. Nuttall will go south on Sunday night to be present also. Before the conference Rev. Nuttall will attend a district meeting.

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There have been a few washouts up the line which have been giving the railway company trouble. The same thing occurs every year on every railway that goes through the mountains. As a result the trains have been late. Yesterday's train is expected tonight at midnight and Superintendent McCall states that by four o'clock today he expects the line to be clear all the way through.

POLICE SEIZE STRONG BEER

Seven Cases in Court This Morning Charged With Being Over Limit.

In the police court this morning seven men connected with local bars were charged with having intoxicating liquor in places other than in private dwelling houses. The liquor in question is beer recently seized by the police running over the specified two and a half per cent spirits, allowed by the B. C. Prohibition Act. From the evidence adduced in court it would appear that many brands come over the limit.

V. D. Casley, of the Empress, R. Caruso, of the Royal Pool Room, and E. W. Childs were found guilty and were fined $50.50 each.

D. Zarelli, of the Royal Hotel, Robertson and McMillan, of the Savoy, Olson and Black, of the Windsor, and Olier Besnier, of the Knox, all represented by L. W. Patmore were granted adjournment until May 8 so that samples may be submitted to the breweries for test.

You actually feel the sensation of real track life in "In Old Kentucky" tonight and Saturday, and Saturday matinee. 103

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WANTED—Any one of following rifles: 303 British 1895 model, sporting Lee-Enfield, 280 or 303 Ross, 30 U. S. 1906, or sporting Springfield same cal. Best price paid. Apply P. O. box 955, City. 99

WANTED — Representative on a commission for Vancouver fruit and produce house. Apply stating lines already carried. Box 64 News office. 00

WANTED—Young lady for office, experience not necessary, one with high school education and knowledge of stenography preferred. Apply box 66 News office. tf

WANTED—Ward Maid for General Hospital. For particulars apply to matron. Wages $40 per month with board and room. tf

WANTED — Furnished or partly furnished suite of 3 or 4 rooms —Apply P. O. box 800 or phone 234. tf

WANTED—Housekeeper for general hospital. For particulars apply Matron. tf

WANTED — Women for kitchen help at Inlander, 830 Second avenue. 04

WANTED — Experienced housemaid. Hotel Prince Rupert. tf

WANTED—Good boy to work in shop, Daily News. tf

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.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—P. R. T. No. 1, boat for towing or packing salmon. Is 57.2 feet long, 14.3 wide, 7.9 deep. Gross tonnage 39.96, registered tonnage 27.18—50 h. p. Wolverine. Heavy steel plates tanks, capacity 2,000 gallons. Iron sheeted bottom. Apply Theo Collart, Westholme Theatre Block. 114

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FOR SALE—Splendid lot on Atlin Avenue, Section Two, close in, $400.00. M. M. Stephens. tf

FOR SALE—Peterboro canoe—Apply E. J. Davis, Canadian Express office. Phone 300.

FOR SALE—Dining room suite, reasonable. Apply suite 10 Summit Apartments. ft

FOR SALE—New Sunset Sewing machine, $45.00. Barrie's Furniture Store. tf

FOR SALE — Boxes for window boxes at $1 each, Daily News Office. tf

FOR SALE—Davenport bed, $60.00, Barrie's Furniture Store.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—House, 7 rooms, bath —Block 3, Section 7, Cash $2,000.00 — J. Rank, 86 Hays Cove Circle. 03

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FOR SALE—Lot 16, Block 7, and Lot 10, Block 12, May 905, Sixth Street, Stewart, $500 each —M. M. Stephens. tf

FOR SALE—Lots 3 and 4, Block 32, Section 8, Eleventh Avenue, near drydock. $150.00 cash—M. M. Stephens. tf

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FOR SALE—Lot 8, Block 10, Section 7, Fifth Avenue, near Seal Cove. $175.00 cash. M. M. Stephens. tf

FOR SALE—Lot 3, block 6, Section 5, City, Fourth Avenue on hill. Mail offers box 231, Anyox. tf

FOR SALE—Lot 15, Block 5, Section 7, Fifth Avenue, near Seal Cove. $175.00. M. M. Stephens.

STEWART LOTS

FOR SALE—Lot 2, Block 10, Map 905, Stewart Townsite. Price, $1,000. This lot adjoins business section on Sixth Street. Apply Daily News office. tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Newly completed and decorated hall above the Candy Store de Luxe, on Third Ave. Hall is a hundred feet long and specially suitable for dances and other social events. For terms, apply to Jim Killas. tf

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LOST Gold earring, knot style, ball drop, between Wnallace's and Ormes'. Finder phone 261.

LOST—Bunch of keys tied together with string. Finder please return to Daily News office. tf

LOST—A pocket book with sum of money. Reward for return. McCaffery, Gibbons & Doyle, Limited. 97

LOST—on Fulton Street, small black purse, card inside "Mme. L. Blain." Return to News office. 99

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