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DAILY EDITION.

Wednesday, May 19, 1920.

Watch Carefully Fisheries Convention.

It is very important that Prince Rupert should be well represented at the fisheries convention in Vancouver next month. The despatcher yesterday announced that the proposal would be made to form a local fisheries board to handle the fisheries on this coast instead of referring everything to Ottawa.

On the face of it this proposal looks innocent enough. Local administration should be better than administration at a distance. An attempt will undoubtedly be made, however, to centre the control in Vancouver and to many people that would be worse than Ottawa. If there is to be a local control it should be in Prince Rupert, the centre of the industry in this province.

Encourage Industry Much as Possible.

The other proposal that will come before the convention to the effect that the Fisheries Department of the Dominion should protect the salmon in the small streams as well as the larger ones and should try to increase the production in those streams is one worthy of every consideration. Anything that will benefit the fishing industry should benefit us. In order that we may voice approval of those things we wish to support and protest against anything that would tend to injure us, we should have a good live representation at the convention.

Parliament or The Cabinet?

There have been complaints from time to time that the Dominion cabinet was taking on itself too much power and leaving little for Parliament. The same complaint has been made at various times in local legislatures.

When it was announced that the Government would appoint an ambassador to Washington, Hon. W. S. Fielding took exception, not to making the appointment, but to the method of doing it without consulting Parliament. He moved a resolution asking that it come before Parliament before the vote was taken, and the Government was sustained by a majority of only five, showing that even Government supporters did not like the way things were going.

Doubtless the Government will take note of the feeling of the House and there will be no repetition of that sort of thing. The members of Parliament represent the people and on any large question they should be consulted.

Do We Always Get Real Thing.

When we read our Hansard, do we always get the real speech that the ministers or members of the House make? It is claimed that often the reports are revised, even to the extent of substituting a written speech for the one that was delivered. The Toronto Globe, which has a representative in the Press Gallery of the House, says editorially:

"The practise which allows members to revise the stenographic translation of their addresses and the first printed draft may occasionally save a final report from containing obvious blunders. It too often enables a man to entirely delete words which came straight from the heart, whether ill or well advised, or substitute therefor milder phrases. These changes may sometimes be the result of cool reflection on the possible effect of the original words, or they may follow prompt and sharp criticism that gives their user a new view of the meaning the public will take from them."

"The habit of changing the reports to the extent of giving a different viewpoint to and impression of the language used is one that should be discouraged. The better and the manlier way would be for members to exercise self-control to the limit of their ability, and to apologize frankly and unequivocally, if in the heat of passion or in swift desire to say something smart, they used words that are an unmerited reflection on others, or a perversion of the truth."

DENTISTRY

Dr. Jos. Maguire

Rooms: 7 & 8 Smith Block

No Better Equipped Office in Prince Rupert

This equipment, with my experience, will
give you the results you desire

Phone 575

Lady Assistant Open Evenings
Sunday by Appointment

Office Hours:
9-12; 1-6; 7-9.

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P. H. Mc HUGH.

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At all dealers or sent postpaid by

Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

TRY TO KILL HIGH PRICES

New York Despatch Says Women's Clothes May Be Cheaper in Autumn

New York, May 19.—Women

will be able to buy their coats, suits, dresses and waists cheaper next fall than they have been this spring, if plans upon which manufacturers and retailers are now working mature. Two elements, outside of any reduction in labor or raw material costs, that may ensue between now and July, when the fall manufacturing season will begin, are of prime importance in the plan. These

are overhead expense and profits. Many manufacturers are preparing to cut down both of these elements and several larger ones have broached the subject to prominent retailers who are in accord with them.

Apparel manufacturers admit that during the last three or four years of unprecedented prosperity in the business many items of overhead expense have been needlessly added. Elaborate showrooms, more office help that is necessary and frequent introduction of new models are a few of the many incidentals that have been tacked on to the cost of doing business, according to the manufacturers. Large cuts are now being made in these expenditures by several manufacturing establishments.

High Prices Kill Trade

Concerning the slicing of profits, a prominent manufacturer of dresses declared that while in the past he has figured his prices to yield a five per cent. net return on his total volume of business, during the coming fall season he will content himself with a return of three per cent. "That will be sufficient," he said, "to keep me going until conditions change. If the majority of manufacturers are to weather the storm through which we are now passing a general decline is necessary."

The majority of women, according to garment manufacturers, have not yet begun purchasing spring clothes and yet retailers have made radical price cuts. The weather has been an important contributing factor in this movement and sunshine and a warmer temperature undoubtedly will bring forth a greater demand, the manufacturers believe. However, they admit the season has progressed to a point where a last minute rush of business will not make up for what has already been lost. Resistance to high prices also is growing stronger, say some of the garment producers, and retailers lost much early business that might have been gained had they not marked their merchandise so high. They assert that many retailers have signified their intention of reducing the margin of difference between wholesale and retail prices at the outset of the fall season.

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.

MINERAL ACT.

(Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

"Wolf" Mineral Claim, situated in the Nass River Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located:—Near the head of Alice Creek.

Take notice that J. E. Stark, Free Diner's Certificate No. 20386 C, intend

to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining title to the "Wolf" claim.

And further take notice that the section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1920.

J. E. STARK.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In Probate:

In the matter of the "Administration

Act"; And in the matter of the Estate

of Frank Harry Mobley, deceased.

TAKEN NOTICE that on the 28th day of April, 1920, probate will be granted in the case of Frank H. Mobley, deceased, and administration of his estate, effects and credits was granted to David Gordon Stewart and Alexander Finnie of Prince Rupert, B.C., executors named in the said will and all parties having claim against the said estate are hereby required to furnish accounts properly verified to, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said David Gordon Stewart and Alexander Finnie on or before the 1st day of June, 1920.

Dated this 1st day of May, A.D. 1920.

WILLIAMS & MASON,
Solicitors for Executors.

ESTATE OF CARL RICHARD CARLSON.

TENDEES will be received by the under-

signed up to noon Tuesday, May 19th,

1920, for the purchase of Lot Three (3), Block Fifteen (15), Town of Stewart (Map 818), satisfactory proof

of ownership being shown.

Title having been produced, notice is

hereby given that it is my intention to

issue after the expiration of one month

from the first publication hereof, a fresh

Certificate of title to the above men-

tioned lands in the name of Victoria A. G.

Elliott, whose Certificate is dated 24th

October, 1910, and is numbered 269-L.

Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B.C.

30th day of March, 1920.

H. F. MACLEOD,
Official Administrator.

Skeena Cannery arrivals last night included Carl Grafstrom,

Carlsle; Mrs. A. H. Hume and

Mrs. G. Simpson, of Cassiar.

Smithers arrivals on last night's train included A. E. Phillips, G. E. S. Gow, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Mon- ton, and J. A. McDonald.

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For the East.

Mondays, Wednesdays and Sat-

urdays at 10:30 a.m.

From the East.

Sundays, Tuesdays and Thurs-

days at 7 p.m.

For Vancouver and South.

Tuesdays 7 p.m.

Thursdays 11 p.m.

Saturdays 2 p.m.

Sundays 11 p.m.

May 4, 14 and 25

From Vancouver and South.

Sundays 10 p.m.

Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.

Sundays 10:30 a.m.

Fridays 4 p.m.

April 30, May 10, 21 and 31

For Anyox and Alice Arm.

Sundays 11 p.m.

Wednesdays 11 p.m.

From Anyox and Alice Arm.

Tuesdays p.m.

Thursdays p.m.

For Port Simpson, Arrandale, Mill Bay, Wales Island and Naas River.

Sundays 11 p.m.

Fridays 5 p.m.

From Pt. Simpson, Arrandale, Mill Bay, Wales Island and Naas River.

Tuesdays p.m.

Saturdays noon

From Skidegate, Queen Charlotte City and Lower Island points.

May 1, 15 and 29

From Skidegate, Queen Charlotte City and Lower Island points.

May 4, 18 and June 1

For Skagway and the Yukon.

April 30