

Local News Notes

Ask for Atkins' Sausage. A. R. Macdonald of Hazelton was among the arrivals by last evening's train.

W. B. Steele of Manson Creek was an arrival in the city yesterday from the interior.

Among the southbound passengers last night were Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Stewart and family.

Bert Mantrop, steam boat inspector from Victoria, was on the Princess Alice this morning.

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Arrivals from Smithers by the train yesterday evening included C. Richardson, L. B. Murray and Miss M. R. Allen.

Mrs. P. V. Fallon of Burns Lake was a passenger for this city by last evening's train and will be visiting here for a short time.

Among the arrivals from up-river yesterday were Thomas Dawe and P. W. Mackinrot of Port Essington, and R. W. Sinclair of Inverness.

The Tillamook is on the ways at the Prince Rupert drydock. She is having her annual inspection and cleaning and painting. The New England is receiving propeller repairs.

J. D. McAuley arrived home last night from an official visit to Winnipeg. He says that on the prairies the crops are not looking any too well, as they are so late. What they want now is sunshine.

A. W. Carter, manager of the Oceanic Cannery, who arrived in the city last evening, reported that fishing this year was just about the same as last year. There were not quite so many boats out.

Many Prince Rupert residents have been receiving invitations during the past two weeks to spend their holidays at Hazelton with their friends where they can see the aeroplanes on the way to Nome, Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanophen of Brussels, Belgium, Arctic passengers for Stewart by Saturday's Grand Trunk boat. They returned to Prince Rupert yesterday evening and will remain here for a few days before continuing their journey to the east.

The Princess Alice arrived from the south at 8:30 this morning and sailed for the north at noon. Besides carrying a large number of passengers she brought forty tons of freight for this city. Included in the shipment are 300 barrels of beer, 200 of which are billed through to Hazelton.

The Princess Mary arrived from the north on Saturday afternoon and left for Vancouver with a large passenger list of tourists who had just completed the round trip to Skagway. A number of United States soldiers were also on board, returning home from outpost duty.

The scene on the government wharf on Saturday afternoon would have reminded one of conditions during the general strike of last year. Prominent merchants were there with shirt sleeves rolled up and doing yeoman service. At first it was hard to get the necessary handlers, but in the latter part of the afternoon there were many to spare. Between shifting loads a few minutes were given over to nipping the perspiration from their foreheads and enjoying a few puffs from the fragrant weed.

Miss Edith Fraser who returned to Prince Rupert from the south on Saturday's boat, sailed for Ansox last evening where she will visit with her parents for a few weeks. Since graduating from the General Hospital here, Miss Fraser has been nursing in Seattle where she did remarkably well in her profession. A short time ago Miss Fraser was seriously ill and the holidays have been welcomed so that she will get a chance to fully recuperate. Her sister, Miss F. Fraser, is at home on holidays from the local hospital.

Jack Sutherland went out on this morning's train for Smithers where he will spend the summer vacation with friends.

At the fire hall this morning the testing of the alarm system was being carried on by Chief Macdonald and the firemen.

A. C. Hearnik returned to Vancouver last evening. He will be greatly missed in baseball circles during his absence as he was a very competent umpire.

Mrs. Fred Wesch and family and Miss May Martin were passengers aboard today's train for Terrace where they will holiday during the summer months.

G. McAfee of Georgetown was among those leaving for the south on the Grand Trunk steamer last evening. He will be away for a short time on a business trip.

The case of Rex vs. Richard Leahy which opened at the Assizes at 10:30 this morning was adjourned until 2:30 this afternoon upon agreement by both counsel. The petit jurors were excused until that time.

Up to one o'clock today no reply had been received by Mayor McClymont in regard to the wire which he sent regarding the local strike situation to the Minister of Labor at Ottawa. Advice is expected some time this afternoon as to what possible action may be taken to relieve the situation.

School Inspector Patterson accompanied by Mrs. Patterson and children left for the south by the boat last evening where they will spend the summer vacation. During the past year Inspector Patterson has been in charge in the north. Many new schools have been opened in a number of out of the way places. Next year it is likely that one or two High Schools will be opened between here and Prince George to accommodate the many children of the interior.

Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

Minimum price of first-class land raised to \$1 an acre, second-class to \$2.50 an acre.

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land.

Partnership pre-emptions abolished, but more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions with joint residence, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and make improvements to value of \$10 per acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown Grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 1 year, and has made proportionate improvements, he may, because of ill-health, or other cause, be granted intermediate certificate of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvements to extent of \$500 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture of the claim.

Where pre-emptor holding Crown grant may record and obtain a mortgage of less than 5 years, and improvements of \$10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

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Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditional upon construction of a road to them. Rebate of one-half of cost of road, not exceeding half of purchase price.

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT. The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving in His Majesty's Forces. The time within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for the land under this Act is extended from one year from the date of death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also made retroactive.

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers whose pre-emptions recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years.

Provision for return of moneys accrued, due and been paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions.

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS. Provision made for issuance of Crown grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment of conditions of purchase, interest and taxes. Where sub-purchaser does not claim whole and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING. Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provided for granting of rights of range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock-owners may form Associations for range management. Free or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers, up to ten head.

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MUCH WOOL IS HELD BY THE GOVERNMENT

Great Britain Still Has Million Bales—And Another Million is Available.

LONDON, June 19.—The Australian wool trade is at the parting of the ways. In June the contract under which the Imperial Government bought the whole wool clip of Australia at a fixed price will expire and much discussion is now going on as to the procedure that is to be followed to bring the trade back to pre-war conditions. It would be impossible to jump back at a sudden bound to a free marketing of wool in London. To begin with, when the contract runs out, there will still be in Australia 1,000,000 bales of wool which has been both bought and paid for by the Imperial Government, and about another 1,000,000 bales in transit and unsold to England. Practically all this wool will have to be sold in Great Britain for civilian purposes and the interest of the Australian growers in it has not ceased although it has been paid for at the flat rate by the British Government. It was one of the terms of the last contract made with the Imperial Government that on all the wool not required for war purposes the growers should receive half the profit, if any, which the British Government makes on the resale of the wool for civilian use. At present prices this is a huge thing, for the whole world is crying out for Australian merino wool, and the result has been that at the sales in England during the last few months wool has fetched enormous prices—prices far in excess of the flat rate at which it was bought by the Imperial Government.

But while values are now unprecedentedly high, there would be small likelihood of their continuance if the London market was swamped by 2,000,000 bales of "contract" wool within a few months, to be followed immediately by the 1920-21 clip, which will be ready for sale at the end of the year.

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MINERAL ACT. (Form F.) CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS. "Wharf" Mineral Claim, situated in the Cass River Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located:—Near the head of Alice Arm. Take notice that I, J. E. Stark, Free Miner's Certificate No. 20386 C, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements is. Dated this 3rd day of April, 1920. J. E. STARK

LAND ACT. Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land. In Coast Land District, Recording District of Skeena, Range 5. Take notice that I, David C. Mawhinney, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation cook, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted at the southwesterly end of an island, and about 20 chains northerly from location post of Lot 370, the most northerly part of the said island, thence in a westerly and southerly direction following the sinuosities of the shore line to point of commencement and containing eighty (80) acres, more or less. D. C. MAWHINNEY. April 14, 1920.

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