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MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Rivermouth Fractional mineral claim, situated in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located:—At the head of Alice Arm, adjoining the Rivermouth and Cariboo mineral claims.

TAKE NOTICE that I, G. R. Naden, Free Miners' Certificate No. 94,096B, acting as agent for Carrie Pratt, Free Miners' Certificate No. 93,917B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 23rd day of December, A. D. 1915. Apr. 2. Inserted December 29th, 1915.

LAND NOTICE.

SKENA LAND DISTRICT DISTRICT OF COAST

TAKE NOTICE that Andrew Jackson and Claus Peterson, of Porcher Island, B. C., occupation ranchers, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the mouth of Humpback Creek, on its east side, thence 30 chains in a northwesterly direction, following high water mark; thence 1 chain, more or less, in a southwesterly direction to low water mark; thence 30 chains, more or less, in a southeasterly direction, following low water mark; thence 1 chain in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement, and containing 3 acres, more or less.

ANDREW JACKSON & CLAUD PETERSON, October 18th, 1915.

ALLIES IN WAR AND CO-WORKERS IN PEACE

Brussels, Jan. 3.—It is characteristic that Belgium, even in this her period of unhappiness and distress, should look ahead into the brighter season to follow the war. Belgium is an industrial nation and before the war one of the wealthiest, per capita, in the world, and already the people are looking forward to the real rehabilitation of the country. Already tentative plans are being formulated for the reconstruction of railroads, the rebuilding of cities and other immense works that have been laid waste by German artillery.

"Where will we look for the men and the loans necessary to this work," said a prominent Belgian, discussing the matter. "Why, to our allies, of course. They are our allies in war and will continue to be in peace. We have shared sorrows and we will share the pleasures of rebuilding."

"To Canada we are forced to look for assistance now in these dark days of destitution. Our children are crying and our women pleading for the flour that Canada has to give. We will never forget what Canada is doing for us—for our women and children, many of them bereaved by our common cause—and when the rehabilitation begins Canada will profit industrially."

"To many today Canada is represented by the Belgian Relief Committee of Montreal, but when peace is declared Canada will be known here and will know Belgium as never before."

I still have quite a few pairs of felt and wool slippers left which must be closed out. Extra special reductions. Peck the Shoeman.



"WILSON'S ARMY"—Cartoon from London Bystander.

CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session on behalf of the City of Prince Rupert for an Act containing provisions which are shortly stated as follows:—

(1) To authorize the changing debentures issuable under the bylaw in this clause mentioned, from the Sinking Fund plan to Annuity Instalment or Serial Bonds and the terms of years as herein stated:

No.	Bylaw and Object	Amount	pres.	pro.	Term of years.
97	Local Improvement Section 1	\$600,000	50	30	
59	Hydro Electric	550,000	50	30	
63	Government Debt	115,000	50	30	
11	Telephone Plant	40,000	20	10	
29	Electric Light Plant	66,000	15	10	

and authorising the collection of instalments under such bonds with power to sell such bonds at a discount, and to use the Sinking Funds already collected towards reducing the debt; and power to raise any deficiency on sale of bonds by the issue of further bonds. Such changes to be made without submission to the ratepayers.

(2) Validating Bylaw No. 243 of said City; being "a bylaw for the purpose of authorising the renewal of certain treasury certificates and for issuing an additional amount of such certificates," and authorising the issue of bonds on the said Annuity Instalment or Serial plan for the \$100,000 mentioned in Bylaw 243 for not more than 30 years and also to ratify Bylaw 245, relating to such debentures; both without submission to the ratepayers.

(3) To provide for temporarily financing all said bonds by authorising the issue, renewal or reissue of temporary notes for not more than five (5) years from the date of such issue, renewal or reissue, pending the sale of the bonds heretofore mentioned and making provision for the payment of any loss which may be made on the sale of such temporary notes, renewals or reissue thereof;

(4) To provide for collecting instalments both for principal and interest before bonds have actually been sold. Such instalments so far as principal is concerned to be applied to reduce amount of treasury certificates or temporary notes then outstanding or to be issued.

(5) To provide for similar changes with regard to the following Bylaws, the debentures authorised by which have been hypothecated to the Bank of Montreal; but only with the consent of such Bank.

Bylaw.	Object	Amount	pres.	pro.	Term of years.
158	Section One Improvement	\$140,000.00	49	30	
140	Change of Grade 2nd Ave.	7,437	50	20	
148	Grading Lanes	29,000.00	50	20	
156	Grading 8th Avenue	25,000.00	50	20	

(6) To provide that securities to be issued under the following bylaws, under none of which any securities have as yet been issued, Annuity Instalment or Serial bonds may be issued and such bonds to be for the term here set forth, namely:

Bylaw.	Object	Amount	pres.	pro.	Term of years.
180	Morse Creek Bridge	\$ 35,000	50	30	
181	General Sewer System	350,000	50	30	
182	Grading Fulton Street	12,000	40	20	
183	Grading City Property, 2nd Ave.	46,000	40	30	
207	Electric Pole Line Extensions	45,000	20	15	
209	Telephone System Extension	60,000	20	15	

with power to use the sinking funds heretofore accumulated to reduce the debt when incurred, and further, to cease collecting further sinking fund, and to provide for the collection of full instalments for total principal on each said bylaw from the commencement of the work authorised. The application of such instalments to reduce the amount of bonds required to be issued.

(7) To provide that no further sinking fund shall be collected under Bylaw No. 208; being "The Water Main Extension Bylaw" except sufficient to pay off \$20,000 of debentures already sold thereunder, and providing for the issue of Annuity instalment, or Serial bonds, term twenty (20) years, for the balance of the debt, namely; \$130,000, and for the use of the sinking fund already collected under said bylaw, except the part applicable to the \$20,000 already issued; to reduce the said amount of \$130,000 bonds when issued.

(8) As to Bylaws Nos. 144 and 241 relating to Market Place grading: Power to change the debentures authorised thereby from Sinking fund plan to Annuity Instalment, or Serial bonds at thirty (30) years, and to use the sinking fund already collected to purchase bonds to be issued thereunder, and to cease collection of further sinking fund;

(9) To provide for raising a reserve fund to ensure prompt payment of annual instalments to the amount of \$50,000 for present authorised indebtedness, and \$20,000 for every additional \$1,000,000.

(10) Providing that it shall not be necessary to submit to the ratepayers any bylaw making the change from sinking fund debentures to Annuity instalment, or Serial bonds or changing the term of years, or the issue of new bonds to meet loss on sale of bonds or temporary notes.

DATED AT PRINCE RUPERT this 30th day of November, A. D. 1915. FREDERICK PETERS, Solicitor for the City of Prince Rupert, B. C.

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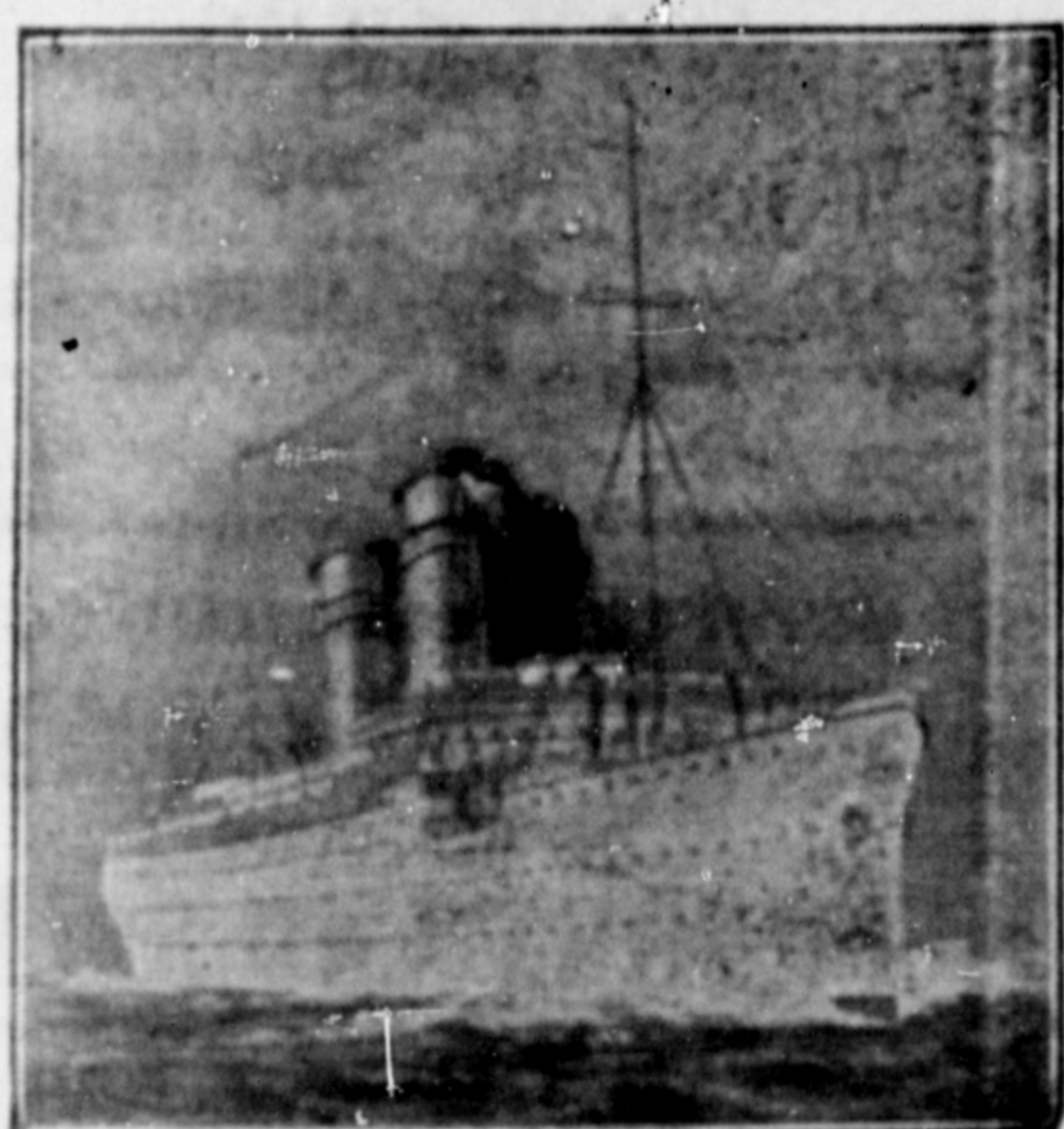
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QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

- 1.—How long am I to serve? Until the end of the war and six months after if required.
- 2.—What pay shall I receive? Your pay as a private will be \$1.00 per day and 10 cents field allowance. Besides this you will be clothed, equipped and subsisted by the Government.
- 3.—What will my wife receive during my absence? Every month there will be paid her a separation allowance of \$20 (also part of your pay) and if this be not enough to comfortably maintain your family, the Canadian Patriotic Fund will further assist them.
- 4.—What will happen if I am wounded or sick? You will be cared for by the Government and your pay continued until you are discharged. If you are permanently disabled an allowance will be paid you, varying according to the extent of your injury or disability.
- 5.—What will be done for my wife and children if I die while on Active Service? The Government will provide an adequate pension, that will enable the family to live comfortably until the children are old enough to look after themselves. The widowed mother of a single man, if the son be her sole support, is treated in the same way as a wife.

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