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A PEAT INDUSTRY FOR CANADA.

Under the presidecny of Dr. Eugene Haanel, director of mines for the Dominion Government, there has been started at Ottawa a society known as the Canadian Peat Society, having for its object the advancement of the peat industry in Canada. This is an important work for two national reasons. First, we are very much dependent for fuel on American sources; and, secondly, it would mean another and very profitable industry for Canada.

Three thousand six hundred pounds of machine peat is equal in heat-producing value to a ton of anthracite coal, and costs only $1.40 a ton to produce.

In 1909, Canada imported coal from the United States to the amount of nearly 10,000,000 tons, valued at $26,831,859. The development of some of our extensive peat bogs will help to keep some of this money at home and to furnish additional employment to Canadians in Canada.

Canada has 37,000 square miles (23,680,000 acres) of known peat bogs, but these form probably but a small fraction of the total, constituting a potential national asset of enormous value.

Some idea of the possibilities may be gained from the estimate that 28 acres of peat 9 feet deep should yield 50,000 tons; enough to supply 100 families for 25 years, allowing 20 tons per family, or enough to furnish a power plant of 100 horsepower using steam engines with fuel for more than 25 years of 300 ten-hour day, allowing 12 pounds of fuel per horsepower hour developed. The fuel, if used in a suitable gas producer would last the same plant about 100 years.

Four bogs within a few miles of Ottawa, examined by Government experts, are estimated to contain over 25,000,000 tons of fuel.

To re-establish confidence in the value of peat as a domestic and industrial fuel, and to stimulate development of our peat resources, the Government has acquired 300 acres of peat bog at Alfred, Ont., for the purpose of manufacturing peat fuel on a commercial scale by a method which has proved successful in Europe.

The capacity of the plant is 30 tons per day, and during part of the past summer 1,600 tons of machine peat were produced. Allowing 140 days for a easson's operations, the cost of the fuel on the field is $1.40 per ton, under conditions existing a tthe government plant. By the use of larger plant and using mechanical excavators to replace hand labor this cost of production can be greatly reduced.

In their work of turning the barren wastes into profitable fields of labor, the Canadian Peat Society is doing a truly patriotic work.

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The following is a sample of a kind of letter The Daily News frequently receives. This one is from a man in Alberta

Dear Mr. Editor:

Me and some friends of mine would like to buy a few city lots in Prince Rupert, but we don't know anyone at present in Prince Rupert, so we have written to ask if you would be kind enough to send me on your daily paper, as I am told it advertises the most city lots and property for sale in Prince Rupert, for which I send you on some stamps. Hoping you will oblige us, and apologizing for the trouble.

Yours respectfully,

THE DAILY NEWS has the biggest circulation of any paper in the district. It is all bona fide circulation too. It enters the homes of real estate investors in every leading city in Canada as well as England and the United States.

Do You Catch the Hint?

A NEW ARRIVAL'S GOOD IMPRESSIONS UP-RIVER

MR. FREDERICK LONG, ON A BUSINESS TRIP FOR THE DAILY NEWS, IS SO STRUCK WITH THE DEVELOPMENT UP THE SKEENA THAT HE HAS WRITTEN HIS EXPERIENCES TO BOOST THE DISTRICT.

Mr. Frederick Long, whose lively presence as solicitor for The Daily News circulation and job printing departments has made itself felt in the city, recently took a trip up river in the interests of the paper and was so impressed by his experiences that he has written them in his own downright way "to boost along the Skeena Valley." Here is the story in Mr. Long's own words:

"I got on the train at Rupert with exchange sandhogs, bridgemen and railroaders. There are always three crews coming and going working up river. I passed through some of the most beautiful scenery it has ever been my luck to see—sun shining on trees and mountain tops everywhere. My first stop was made at Terrace, a thriving townsite rapidly becoming the distributing point of the Lakelse and Kitsumkalum valleys. Here is a fine store of George Little's and a model hotel of 30 rooms owned by J. K. Gordon of Klondyke. Everybody is enthusiastic about their reward for labor here resulting in strawberries, tomatoes and potatoes grown on their truck farms. A fine frame building is being constructed and leased by J. Hicky to Dr. Traynor, who finds that things are such that his practice must be removed to Terrace. I was asked if a deserving couple would start a laundry there. The support is absolutely guaranteed. Mr. Gordon gave a New Year's dinner here to the ranchers and their families and myself. I seem to smell the nifty chicken and mince pies yet.

"On Sunday night I walked to Kalum and saw Mrs. Ross and family and Mrs. Eby and Bruce, all looking very well and optimistic

I heard true stories of wonderful development in tomatoes and potatoes and was shown a photo of a vine of pease higher than Mrs. Ross, who appeared in the picture.

New Year's morning a shoot for chickens was held. In the evening a dance at the hotel. Many families from the valley came and had a good time. I may add that this is the tenth dance since November 1, 1911. That's going some, eh?

Walked back to Terrace and then across the ice to Copper Ciyt, where Mr. Skinner has a well-equipped store and Joe Creech an hotel. From there I recrossed and bunked at Newtown in the bunkhouse. The Indians here are all happy and well and good attenders at church. Service is conducted by Louis Edgar and William Deans, supported by the Methodist Church and the loyalty of the Indians.

I walked from Van Arsdol camp house, the present end of steel, through the tunnel and crossed the Skeena on a dogsleigh. Did you ever have such a thrilling ride across a sheet of ice? I got to Kitselas and found a small city there. The Big Canyon Hotel, pool rooms, rests, offices, etc., and an hospital for the care principally of railroad men, at the head of which is Dr. Traynor, an efficient, hard worker, who has crude conditions to contend with.

"All this enterprise exists because of the construction of the transcontinental railroad. I would say in conclusion that there is a movement among the ranchers and business men to form a publicity club to tell outsiders of the wonderful resources of the valleys of the upper Skeena, which this story just briefly touches on."

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LAND LEASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that we the undersigned, Alfred Christian Garde and Wm. M. Johnston of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation mining engineer and prospector, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted 1-4 mile east of the Tyee Station, G.T.P.Ry. Station and approximately 27 miles east of Prince Rupert, thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 25 40 chains, more or less to railway grade, thence westerly 25 chains more or less following said grade to point of commencement and containing 70 acres or less.

ALFRED CHRISTIAN GARDE
WILLIAM M. JOHNSON

Date Nov. 23, 1911
Pub. Dec. 5, 1911

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Arthur Tremaine, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner, being eighty chains south of the northwest corner of Lot 1555, Masset Inlet; thence west forty chains, thence north eighty chains, thence east forty chains, thence south eighty chains to the point of commencement, containing three hundred and twenty acres (320), more or less.

ARTHUR TREMAINE.
George Young, Agent.

Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Alfred McGregor, of Victoria, B. C., occupation broker, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about three-quarters of a mile southwest from the southwest corner of Lot 1548, Masset Inlet, thence east forty chains, thence south to the north boundary of Lot 1557, thence west one hundred chains, more or less, thence north ninety chains, thence east to the beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty acres (640), more or less.

ALFRED M'GREGOR.
George Young, Agent.

Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Malcolm Wright Young, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner, being about one mile east of the northwest corner of Lot 1551, thence north to the south boundary of Lot 1550, thence west to the east boundary of Lot 1550, thence south along the said boundary to the southeast corner of said Lot 1550, thence west along said boundary to the east boundary of Lot 1549, thence south along the said boundary to the north boundary of Lot 1552, thence east to the northeast corner of Lot 1552, thence north to the northwest corner of Lot 1551, thence east to the point of commencement, containing six hundred (600) acres, more or less.

MALCOLM WRIGHT YOUNG.
George Young, Agent.

Dated Nov. 16, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that William Moore, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 1548, Masset Inlet, thence east one hundred chains, thence south sixty-four chains, thence west to the beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty (640) acres, more or less.

WILLIAM MOORE.
George Young, Agent.

Dated Nov. 14, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICES.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that LeRoy F. Grant of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation civil engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 3 1-2 miles in a northerly direction from the northeast corner post of Lot 1362, Range 5, Coast District, thence east 30 chains, thence north 60 chains, thence west to bank of river, thence south following bank of river to point of commencement: containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated Sept. 9, 1911. LEROY F. GRANT
Pub. Oct. 10. Gordon C. Emmerson, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that Herbert McLennan of Vancouver, B. C., occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of Blackwater river with the Naas river about two miles south of the sixth Dominion Telegraph cabin. Post marked H. M. N. E. Corner, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated Sept. 23, 1911 HERBERT McLENNAN
Pub. Nov. 2.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that Thomas Arthur White of Vancouver, B. C., occupation carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of Blackwater river with Naas river, about two miles south of the sixth Dominion Telegraph cabin. Post marked T. A. W. S. E. Corner, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

THOMAS ARTHUR WHITE

Dated Sept. 23, 1911.
Pub Nov. 2.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that Charles William Ham of Vancouver, B. C., occupation inspector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of Blackwater river with the Naas river about two miles south from the sixth Dominion Telegraph cabin. Post marked C. W. H. S. W. Corner, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

CHARLES WILLIAM HAM

Dated September 23, 1911.
Pub. Nov. 2.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Louis Caleris, driver, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1729, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

LOUIS CALERIS.
Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.

Take notice that James Ewing Macrae, of Vancouver, occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about seven miles distant and in an easterly direction from the Naas River, and about eight miles north of Alyansh Indian village, thence north eighty chains, thence east eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence west eighty chains to point of commencement.

JAMES EWING MACRAE.
H. P. Rutter, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 14.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.

Take notice that Clarence Bowen, of Seattle, Wash., occupation woodsman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted four miles east of the Naas River and about five miles north of Alyansh, thence west eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence east eighty chains, thence north eighty chains to point of commencement.

CLARENCE BOWEN.
H. P. Rutter, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 14.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Benjamin Russel Rice of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation waiter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 65 chains south from the southeast corner of Lot 3060. Post marked B. R. R S. E. Corner, thence 70 chains west, thence 65 chains north, thence 70 chains east, thence 65 chains south to point of commencement, containing 455 acres more or less.

BENJAMIN RUSSEL RICE

Dated October 21, 1911
Pub. Nov. 2.

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.

Take notice that I, James T. Fullerton, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation engineering student, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 52 chains east of Naas River and 40 chains south of pre-emption No. 397 (SEC.), thence 40 chains north, thence 24 chains west, thence 40 chains south, following the Naas river; thence 52 chains east to point of commencement; containing 160 acres, more or less.

J. T. FULLERTON.
R. H. Stewart, Agent.

Dated Prince Rupert, Dec. 11, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 13.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Abraham H. Barber, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of a small island about twenty-five (25) chains north and two (2) chains east of the northwest corner of Lot 1323, Range 5, Coast District, Porcher Island, thence following the shore line in a northeasterly direction about twenty (20) chains to the north end of the island, thence in a southwesterly direction along the shore line about twenty (20) chains to the point of commencement, being an island containing about forty (40) acres, more or less.

ABRAHAM H. BARBER.

Dated Dec. 6th, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 13.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar

Take notice that Angus James McKenzie of Vancouver, B. C., occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of Blackwater river with Naas river, about two miles south from the sixth Dominion Telegraph cabin. Post marked A. J. M. N. W. Corner, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west to point of commmencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

ANGUS JAMES McKENZIE

Dated Sept. 23, 1911.
Pub. Nov. 2.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5

Take notice that Miss Mary Mulville of Clare, Ireland, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following desribed lands:

Commencing at a post planted one chains north of the southeast corner of Lot 532, thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement; containing eighty acres, more or less

Dated Oct. 11, 1911. MISS MARY MULVILLE
Pub. Nov. 11. John C. Mulville, Agent

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Dagobert Auriol, of Nanaimo, B. C., occupation miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 4484, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

DAGOBERT AURIOL,
Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

Date Nov. 10th, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Theodore Nichalis, driver, of Victoria, B. C., Can., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot No. 2257, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 480 acres, more or less.

THEODORE NICHALIS,
Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast,

Take notice that I, Paul Curtiss, clerk of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the east boundary and about five (5) chains from the southeast corner of Lot 4484, thence north 60 chains, thence east 30 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence west 30 chains to point of commencement, containing 180 acres, more or less.

PAUL CURTISS.
Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Michas Beganis, cook, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, where the Kitimat branch of the G. T. P. Ry. crosses Williams Creek, and about ten (10) chains from the creek shore, thence south 30 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 30 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 120 acres, more or less.

MICHAS BEGANIS.
Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Samuel Beltees, gardener, of Victoria, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north side of Williams Creek, about ten chains back from the creek bank, and about fifty chains southeast from where the Kitimat branch of the G. T. P. right-of-way crosses Williams Creek, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

SAMUEL BEILTEES.
Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that Ellen Marion Young, of Victoria, B. C., occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1552, thence west to the northeast corner of Lot 1553, thence south to beach, thence along beach to point of commencement, containing one hundred and four (104) acres, more or less.

ELLEN MARION YOUNG.
George Young, Agent.

Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Take notice that John Scott Young, of Saanich, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 1550, thence south to the north boundary of Lot 1551, thence east along the said boundary to the seashore, thence following along the shore to the point of commencement, containing three hundred and sixty-one (361) acres, more or less.

JOHN SCOTT YOUNG.
George Young, Agent.

Dated Nov. 15, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 15, 1911.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast, Range 5.

Take notice that I, John Argiraclis, carpenter, of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one and one-half miles northeast from the intake of Trout River, on the West side of Lakelse Lake, and about five (5) chains back from the waterfront, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

JOHN ARGIRACLIS.
Fred E. Cowell, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 9.

Skeena Land District—District of Cassiar.

Take notice that Frank Furey, of Seattle, Wash., occupation chainman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about six miles east of the Naas River and about seven miles north of Alyansh, thence north eighty chains, east eighty chains, south eighty chains, west eighty chains to point of commencement.

FRANK FUREY.
H. P. Rutter, Agent.

Dated Oct. 31, 1911.
Pub. Dec. 14.