

PRINCE RUPERT WATERFRONT LEASES.

Sealed tenders for the purchase of leases of lots One (1), Two (2) and Five (5), Block F, in the City of Prince Rupert, will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, B. C., up to 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, August 27th, 1917.

Tenders may cover one or more lots. Terms of lease, 20 years. Certified cheque covering six months' rental must accompany each tender, cheque of unsuccessful tenderer to be returned immediately.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenderers must state what business they are engaged in and must designate clearly just what use they intend to make of the lot or lots applied for; how much they intend to expend in improvements, in what manner and in what time.

The following, amongst other, conditions will be imposed under the leases:—

(a) The front line of any wharf erected on any of these lots must conform to plans to be seen at the office of the Government Agent at Prince Rupert or in the Department of Lands at Victoria, B. C.

(b) Rent shall be payable in quarterly instalments in advance.

G. R. NADEN, Deputy Minister of Lands.

COAL NOTICES

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Hugh McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted near the junction of the Cedar and Little Cedar rivers, on the north side of the Little Cedar river; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as H. McLean's No. 1 claim. Located May 20th, 1917.

HUGH McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Hugh McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the southwest corner of N. McLean's No. 1 claim, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as H. McLean's No. 2 claim. Located May 21st, 1917.

HUGH McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Hugh McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the southwest corner of N. McLean's No. 1 claim, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as H. McLean's No. 3 claim. Located May 21st, 1917.

HUGH McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Norman McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted near the junction of the Cedar and Little Cedar rivers, on the north side of the Little Cedar river; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as N. McLean's No. 1 claim. Located May 20th, 1917.

NORMAN McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

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NORMAN McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

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NORMAN McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Norman McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted one mile south of the southwest corner of N. McLean's No. 1 claim, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as N. McLean's No. 4 claim. Located May 21st, 1917.

NORMAN McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Norman McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of N. McLean's No. 1 claim, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as N. McLean's No. 5 claim. Located May 21st, 1917.

NORMAN McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Hugh McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of N. McLean's No. 1 claim, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as H. McLean's No. 11 claim. Located May 21st, 1917.

HUGH McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

DISTRICT OF COAST, Range 5.

Take notice that I, Hugh McLean, intend to apply for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of N. McLean's No. 1 claim, and about one and a half miles north of the Beaver river; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, to be known as H. McLean's No. 12 claim. Located May 23rd, 1917.

HUGH McLEAN, per Philip Chesley, Agent.

GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF THE FOOD SITUATION

In his report on his investigation into the high cost of living, which was presented to the government last month, and which caused such acrimonious denials from one of the men chiefly interested, Mr. O'Connor, in different parts of his lengthy return, hints at some probable control being exercised over the food situation by the government. Mr. O'Connor, in view of the appointment of a food controller, however, is very careful to refrain from suggesting in what direction action might be taken, or otherwise infringing upon the duties of Mr. Hanna. The "amelioration of conditions" is left strictly to the food controller.

Part of Mr. O'Connor's report reads: "The fact that the food sold from cold storage for export is in the hands of a very few companies is sufficiently evident. This situation it may be possible to turn to use. In the event of necessity of national control of exports, export prices or export buying, the concentration of the major part of the trade in foodstuffs in the hands of a few companies will greatly facilitate such control."

Again he says: "In view of any possible effort on the part of the



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State to control export trade of export prices, it might be well to note that because such a large proportion of these commodities passes through only two or three warehouses, government control or supervision would not be difficult to bring into effect. It might seem as if Mr. O'Connor expected that the Government of Canada would be taking some action as the result of his report.

Regarding profiteering Mr. O'Connor says: "Individual instances of profiteering occurred during the year 1916. These I have already identified. If they had occurred during the present year, since the provision of the order-in-council under which I am acting, I would consider it my duty to recommend that the facts be laid before the proper attorney general for his consideration as to their criminality."

"A tendency has become apparent during this present year on the part of a few companies, to exact seemingly excessive margins upon beef and butter. Whether these margins are in fact excessive, only a criminal prosecution, or a declaration on the part of the food controller as to what shall be a fair price or a fair margin can be determined."

Meantime, the public consider many prices excessive, but there has been no criminal prosecution nor any declaration from the food controller.

STARVING GERMANS RAID THE CROPS

The Hague, August 8.—There are reports of increasing danger of robbery of fields and crops in the gardens of Germans. Notices have already appeared in the German press forbidding work in the fields and gardens between 10 in the evening and 6 in the morning on account of persistent robbery. A corps of voluntary help has been organized in country districts as a protection against this menace, but conditions are now getting so serious that farmers have been provided with rifles, bayonets and munitions by the State, with orders to place themselves under the military for practice in firing. These veterans are then to form armed bands and scour the country by night for culprits hiding behind hedges, in ditches, lanes, and firing at any suspicious characters. The report adds that anyone firing short will be sent to the front as a punishment, from which may be gathered that some stealing is evidently done with the connivance of owners. Mounted patrols already have been used in the Province of Brandenburg, but this is the first report of armed patrols.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing over a small island in the harbor of Prince Rupert, known as Lot 2466, Range 5, Coast District, by reason of a notice appearing in the British Columbia Gazette of the 21st April, 1910, and dated 19th April, 1910, is cancelled for the purpose of making a sale of the said Lot to the Grand Trunk Pacific Development Company, Limited. G. R. NADEN, Deputy Minister of Lands, Department of Lands, Victoria, B. C., 18th August, 1917.

WATER NOTICE

USE AND STORAGE

TAKE NOTICE that The Empire Fur & Paper Mills, Ltd., whose address is Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use all the water and to store 10,000 acre feet of water out of unnamed lake, also known as Whalen Lake, which flows and drains into Whale Channel about one mile north from Rivers Bight.

The storage dam will be located at west end of Lake at outlet of lake. The capacity of reservoir to be created is about 10,000 acre feet and it will flood about 2,000 acres of land. The water will be taken from the stream at a point about... Diver by tunnel from east end of Lake three miles northerly direction from Lot 25, Butedale, on Fraser Reach and will be used for power purposes upon the land described as in application to lease at east end of Lake on Fraser Reach.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 5th day of June, 1917. 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 date of the first publication of this notice is July 10th, 1917.



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