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Deposit with Government of a Note-Circulation .. .. .	245,822
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Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Block 35 of the subdivision of Lot 746, thence N. 50 deg., 15 min. E. 650 feet, thence N. 30 deg. 9 min. W. 956.4 feet, thence S. 50 deg. 15 min. W. 650 feet to the northwest corner of Lot 10, Block 36 of said subdivision, thence southeasterly and following the high water mark of Stewart Bay 1200 feet more or less to the point of commencement and containing 12.8 acres more or less.

MASSEY INLET LUMBER CO., LTD.  
Per Fred. Nash, B. C. L. S., Agent.  
dated August 10th, 1918. 019

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT  
R. S. C. Cap. 115.

The Georgetown Saw Mill Company, Limited, hereby gives notice that it has under section 7 of the said Act deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and in the office of the District Registrar of the Prince Rupert Land Registry District a description of the site and a plan of wharf proposed to be built on Lot 5 of Block "F" Prince Rupert Townsite, as shown on Plan 923 filed in the Land Registry Office.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice The Georgetown Saw Mill Company, Limited, will under section 7 of the said Act apply to the Minister of Public Works, at his office in the city of Ottawa, for approval of the said site and plan and for leave to construct the said wharf.

Dated at Prince Rupert this 19th day of September, 1918.

THE GEORGETOWN SAW MILL COMPANY, LIMITED. 019

**SYNOPSIS OF  
LAND ACT AMENDMENT**

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 parties of not 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 a pre-emptor in occupation not less than 5 years, 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 \$300 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements in condition same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained on these claims in less than 5 years, with improvements of \$10 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years.

Pre-emptor holding Crown Grant may record another pre-emption, if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesteads; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

For grazing and industrial purposes, areas exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company.

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

**TOWNSITE PROPERTY ALLOTMENT ACT.**

Provision is made for the grant to persons holding uncompleted Agreements to Purchase from the Crown of such proportion of the land, if divisible, as the payments already made will cover in proportion to the sale price of the whole parcel. Two or more persons holding such Agreements may group their interests and apply for a proportionate allotment jointly. If it is not considered advisable to divide the land covered by an application for a proportionate allotment, an allotment of land of equal value selected from available Crown lands in the locality may be made. These allotments are conditional upon payment of all taxes due the Crown or to any municipality. The rights of persons to whom the purchase price from the Crown has been paid are also protected. The decision of the Minister of Lands in respect to the adjustment of a proportionate allotment is final. The time for making application for these allotments is limited to the 1st day of May, 1919. Any application made after this date will not be considered. These allotments apply to town lots and lands of the Crown sold at public auction.

For information apply to any Provincial Government Agent or to  
G. R. NADEAU,  
Deputy Minister of Lands,  
Victoria, B. C.

**ENFORCEMENT  
OF PROHIBITION  
ACT DISCUSSED**

**Police Commissioners Deny That Town is Wide Open—Price Said to Be \$16 a Bottle.**

At the regular monthly meeting of the Prince Rupert Police Commission yesterday afternoon the matter of preventing the importation of liquor was discussed at some length. There was some criticism of the delays which had occurred in securing search warrants, and the mayor stated that any time the stipendiary magistrate could not give a warrant at once he would do so.

**Not Wide Open.**

Commissioner Macdonald said that it had been stated the town was wide open. This he wished to deny. It was difficult to get convictions in some cases but what they did was to minimize the sale of liquor as much as possible. He thought there had been too much politics in regard to the working of the Prohibition Act, but he could assure them that there was no politics in connection with that board.

The Prohibition Act also came in for some criticism and in connection with this Commissioner Macdonald said that lawyers drew up the laws in such a way that they could be beaten. If the laws were properly drawn half the profession would not have a meal ticket. This was in answer to the secretary of the Commission who stated that there were holes in the Prohibition Act a mile wide.

**Plenty Being Sold.**

Commissioner Hill said that no doubt there was all kinds of stuff being sold. It was coming in on boat after boat and train after train. It must be scarce, however, or it would not sell for \$15 a bottle which he understood was the present prevailing price of liquor here.

The mayor expressed a wish to see the law enforced and it was agreed that steps should be taken to have the illicit sale of liquor prevented as far as possible.

The question of dealing with idlers was mentioned and specific cases mentioned.

The secretary in his report said that there had been 27 cases in August and the total fines aggregated \$402.50.

There was a wise Spear-woman lived in a shoe  
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**LAND REGISTRY ACT.**  
(Sections 36 and 134.)

Re Application No. 9768-I & 9771-I.

TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register Nathan Louis Lando and Dora Scheinman as owners in fee under two Tax Sale Deeds from the Collector of the City of Prince Rupert, bearing date the 24th day of November, 1917, of ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Municipality of the City of Prince Rupert, more particularly known and described as Lot eleven (11), Block twenty-five (25), Section seven (7), and Lot thirteen (13), Block thirty-five (35), Section eight (8), Map 923. You are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within 35 days from the date of the service of this notice (which may be effected by publication in the Daily News, and your attention is called to section 36 of the "Land Registry Act" with amendments, and to the following extract therefrom:

"and in default of a caveat or certificate of his pendens being filed before the registration as owner of the person entitled under such tax sale, all persons so served with notice, and those claiming through or under them, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the land by descent whose title is not registered under the provisions of this Act, shall be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the land so sold for taxes, and the Registrar shall register the person entitled under such tax sale as owner of the land so sold for taxes."

AND WHEREAS application has been made for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above-mentioned lands, in the name of Nathan Louis Lando and Dora Scheinman.

AND WHEREAS on investigating the title it appears that prior to the 12th day of October, 1916 (the date on which the said lands were sold for overdue taxes), you were the registered owner thereof.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that if the same time I shall effect registration in pursuance of such application and issue a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the said lands in the names of Nathan Louis Lando and Dora Scheinman unless you take and prosecute the proper proceedings to establish your claim, if any, to the said lands, or to prevent such proposed action on my part.

DATED at the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., this 22nd day of August, 1918.

H. F. MACLEOD,  
District Registrar of Titles.  
To Robert Hildebrandt, Prince Rupert, B. C.,  
Michael Byrne, Butte, Montana,  
Francis Galve, Prince Rupert, B. C.

**PRINCE GEORGE**

Mayor Perry has returned from Penticton where he attended the annual gathering of the Union of Municipalities. He introduced a resolution in regard to the taxation of Government property within municipalities which received the hearty endorsement of the union.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McKeen.

George E. McLaughlin of this city has been appointed a member of the Good Roads Association.

Mrs. S. F. Campbell of Fraser Lake, who is a daughter of Sheriff Peters, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. R. Selden of Fort George.

Cadet Duncan of the Royal Air Service had a fall from a height of about 1500 feet at Toronto recently. His machine was wrecked but he escaped with only a few bruises. He was formerly a member of the staff of the Bank of B. N. A. in this city.

Martin Zadelovich who was charged with using seditious language was dismissed on the understanding that he contribute \$50 to the Red Cross. Peter Pavich who was the witness against him also donated \$25 at the same time.

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**WATER NOTICE**

TAKE NOTICE that R. K. Neill, whose address is Stewart, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use seven cubic feet of water per second out of the North Fork of Cascade Creek, which flows southerly and drains into Salmon River. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 15,000 feet from Cascade Creek. This notice was posted on the ground on the sixth day of August, 1918. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto 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, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice. The date of first publication of this notice is August 12th, 1918.

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