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DAILY EDITION.

Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1919.

Government Ownership Is Being Discussed.

One of the subjects under discussion at the present time is the government ownership of railways. It is a big subject, so big that it is difficult for the average peanut vender to grasp, and yet it is this same peanut vender who is usually so sure that nothing but government ownership is the right thing.

The great difficulty is that the government is likely to appoint this same peanut vender to run the railroad and the result is collapse. The question is being discussed in the United States, in Europe and in Canada. The story has been told recently of how the government tried to run the Union Pacific and then, having failed, sold it by auction and it was bought by the late E. H. Harriman, the price paid being \$12.50 a share.

Not being able to resell, Mr. Harriman decided that he would have to spend some money on it. New track was laid with the best rails obtainable for which the highest price was paid. Curves were straightened, wooden bridges replaced by steel, new rolling stock bought, and nearly \$300,000,000 new capital was spent.

The story of how the railway began to pay under the management of a strong man is a matter of history. The net earnings for the year 1917 was \$42,941,000 and at the same time the line was giving the best of service at reasonable rates.

Contrast with this the history of government ownership. There is no case on record of success having been achieved except where individual effort first paved the way.

It must not be assumed from this that The News is averse in a general way to the system of government ownership. In principle it seems all right, but there is a lot of experimenting to be done in that direction and in the meantime the Government has enough to do with the railways it already controls. Let the Dominion make a success of the Canadian Northern and up will go both our hands for the addition of the G. T. P. to the system. This is, however, the growing time of the road and under government control and operation it would become just a branch line of the C. N. R. and Prince Rupert would be sidetracked in favor of Vancouver.

Council Votes Down Two Resolutions.

The proposal of Alderman Casey to extend the work of the city market to make it a direct competitor with the grocery stores was voted down by the City Council last night. Also the proposal of Alderman Perry to give the committees of the Council some say in the hiring and dismissing of employees was voted down, even the seconder of the motion voting against it. In refusing to entertain these proposals the Council showed that it was anxious to avoid future difficulties. It took the safe way and it is to be congratulated on its foresight.

Wilson Returns From Historic Visit.

President Wilson has returned from overseas and he is being acclaimed as a hero. When he was on the other side he was feted and dined and treated as the representative of a great nation by the heads of the other great nations. Now that he has returned the home people recognize that he has brought honor on their country and are treating him accordingly.

When the time comes that the history of the war is written by those who look at it in perspective, it will be recognized that President Wilson is one of the great presidents of the United States, and there have not been many democrats who have towered above their fellows.

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MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE

"Red Point Extension" mineral claim, situate in the Naas River Mining Division of Cassiar District.
Where located:—On the Kitsault River, near the big Canyon.
TAKE NOTICE that Lewis W. Patmore, Free Miner's Certificate No. 20,407-C, acting as agent for Ole Evindsen, Free Miner's Certificate No. 14,155-C, intends, 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 5th day of February, A. D. 1919.

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE

"Black Bear" Mineral Claim, situate in the Naas River Mining Division of Cassiar District.
Where located:—On the Kitsault River, near the big Canyon.
TAKE NOTICE that John H. McMullin, Official Administrator of the Estate of Charles Swanson, deceased, intestate, Free Miner's Certificate No. 3,522-C, intends, 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 5th day of February, A. D. 1919.

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements. NOTICE

"Red Point No. 1" Mineral Claim situate in the Naas River Mining Division of Cassiar District.
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And further take notice that action, under Section 85, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.
DATED this 5th day of February, A. D. 1919.

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT

R. S. C. Chapter 115.
The Northern B. C. Fisheries Limited hereby gives notice that they have, 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 Land Registry District of Prince Rupert, at Prince Rupert, B. C., a description of the site and the plans for storage, docking and mooring of canners and fishermen's boats as proposed on a portion of Port Essington harbour at Port Essington in front of Lots 3 and 4, Block 3, Essington Township, being a sub-division of Lot 45, Range 5, Coast District.
And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of the said notice, the Northern B. C. Fisheries Limited will under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for approval of the said site and plans and for leave to use the said shore for the storage, docking and mooring of canners and fishermen's boats.
DATED at Vancouver, B. C., this 23rd day of January, 1919.

NORTHERN B. C. FISHERIES LIMITED.
C. A. Crosbie, Secretary. F28

WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE.
TAKE NOTICE that Thos. J. Kirkpatrick, whose address is Terrace, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use 1 cubic foot per second of water out of Thornhill Creek which flows north and drains into Skeena River about 100 feet west of Ferry Landing.
The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 1500 feet south-east of the Skeena River, and will be used for power purpose upon the land described as Lot 839, Range 5, Coast District.
This notice was posted on the ground on the 9th day of January, 1919. 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.
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.
THOS. J. KIRKPATRICK, Applicant.
The date of the first publication of this notice is January 28, 1919.

MAIL SCHEDULE

For the East.
Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 9:30 a.m.

From the East.
Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 5:45 p.m.

For Vancouver:
Tuesdays 5 p.m.
Thursdays 10 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 1 and 15, 7 a.m.

From Vancouver
Sundays 10 p.m.
Wednesdays 10:30 a.m.
Monday, Jan. 27; Feb. 8 and 22, at 9 a.m.

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Wednesdays 10 p.m.

From Anyox:
Tuesdays a.m.
Thursdays p.m.

For Port Simpson and Naas River points:
Sundays 10 p.m.

From Port Simpson and Naas River Points:
Tuesdays p.m.

Queen Charlotte Islands:
For Massett, Port Clements and Upper Island points:
For Skidegate, Queen Charlotte City and Lower Island points: anuary 23, Feb. 6, 20; March 6, 20th, at 7 p.m.

From Massett, Port Clements and Upper Island points:
From Skidegate, Queen Charlotte City and Lower Island points: anuary 28; Feb. 11 and 25; Mar. 11 and 25th, a.m.

For Skagway and the Yukon.
anuary 27, Feb. 8 and 22 9 a.m.

From Skagway and the Yukon.
February 1 and 15 a.m.

Stewart, Maple Bay and Swamp Point.
Jose—Jan 31; Feb. 14, 28, 10 pm
Arrive—Feb. 3, 17; March 3rd.

TIMBER SALE X 1465.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 20th day of March, 1919, for the purchase of Licence X 1465, to cut 2,200,000 feet, B.M., of Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam on an area situated on Big Lake, Eilerslie Bay, Range 3, Coast District.
Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.
Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B. C.

N THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

TAKE NOTICE that Alexander W. Dow, of the City of Vancouver in the Province of British Columbia did on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1919, issue a Writ of Summons out of the above Court herein, claiming as against you specific performance of an Agreement for the sale of Lot 19, Block 21, Section 6, City of Prince Rupert, and payment of the balance of the purchase monies, and interest due under said Agreement and an accounting, and a declaration that he is entitled to a Vendor's Lien upon the lot aforementioned in respect of the purchase monies, interest, taxes and costs and the enforcement of the said Lien by sale of your interest under the said Agreement and an Order cancelling the registration of the said Agreement in the Land Registry Office and costs.
DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 25th day of January, A. D. 1919.
To
WILLIAM FRASER.

N THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

N THE MATTER OF THE ADMINISTRATION ACT — and —
N THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PETER LYSKY, DECEASED.
TAKE NOTICE that in order of His Honour F. McB. Young, made the 28th day of January, A. D. 1919, I was appointed administrator to the estate of Peter Lysky, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me, on or before the 3rd day of March, 1919, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.
JOHN H. MULLIN, Official Administrator.
DATED this 31st day of January, 1919.

In the matter of an application for the issue of a fresh Certificate of Infeasible Title to Lots 38 and 39, in Block 7, Section 1, City of Prince Rupert, May 23.
Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue, after the expiration of thirty days from the first publication hereof, of a fresh Certificate of Title to the above mentioned lots, in the name of The North Western Loan and Investment Company. Which certificate is dated 18th March, 1912, and was registered on application received the 22nd February, 1912, and is No. 1186-L.
Land Registry Office Prince Rupert, B. C., January 22nd, 1919.
H. F. MacLEOD, District Registrar of Titles.

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