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DAILY EDITION.

Thursday, March 10, 1921.

Will Mr. Reid
Weather the Storm?

Will Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of railways, weather the storm of protest which is being aroused at the immense expenditures on the Canadian National Railways? He has been very much on trial during the past year, and the opinion is prevalent in the west that the job is too big for him. It is the biggest job there is in Canada and Mr. Reid is not by any means the biggest man. He is said to be too much of a politician to be given charge of so important a department.

It is possible that the Meighen Government may not survive the railway admissions. The deficit is colossal. Just at a time when the country was expecting reduced taxation owing to the curtailment of reconstruction expenses, there comes an additional load placed on the shoulders of the people with absolutely no hope for any immediate relief. Whatever Government is in power, the debts will have to be paid, and the people will have to foot the bill. There is no getting away from it.

When the returned soldiers asked for some help they were told there was no money. Yet the Government announces that the money has been spent on one of its departments, and the only result, so far as Prince Rupert can see, has been to provide for the people a poorer service than formerly.

The discussion on the railway estimates will prove interesting. Mr. Reid is trying to lay the blame for the present condition of affairs on McAdoo, an American, but the people of Canada will scarcely swallow that. Mr. Reid has failed in his conduct of the Railways Department, and, if Mr. Meighen expects to retain the confidence of the few supporters he has left, he should make haste to see that a better man is placed in charge.

Lumber Situation
Is Discussed.

The following is a short editorial article appearing in the current number of the Pacific Coast Lumberman under the heading "Prince Rupert's Urgent Need."

"Of all the hardships under which the Northern British Columbia lumbermen at present labor none is more apparent than the need of a lumber assembly wharf at Prince Rupert with craneage and all facilities for the speedy and efficient loading of deep sea vessels. There is a demand all over the world for the products of this district but there is no machinery that enables the small millmen and the big ship owners to take advantage of the situation.

"The exorbitant railway freight rates now in operation have put an end to the shipment by land of any but the highest grades of northern timber at anything approaching a profit, but the loss to the mills might be offset to a considerable degree if advantage could be taken of the falling water rates to ship the lumber of the north, not only to its established markets, but to new ones where its unique qualities would gain it a steady sale."

"At present it no more pays a big vessel to loiter around picking up portions of a lumber cargo here and there than it compensates the small manufacturer to pile it in places accessible for shipment by water. The key to the whole situation is the abolition of delay and the heavy cost of handling and rehandling. So vital does the question seem to the establishment of a market for Northern B. C. lumber anything like commensurate with its possibilities, that is incredible that no action has been taken in the matter before this."

"Pending the arrangement for first class facilities surely some shift can be made to meet the present emergency."

Dr. JOS. MAGUIRE
DENTIST.

Rooms 7 and 8 Smith Block

Lady Assistant
Office Hours:
9:12; 1:6; 7:9.Open Evenings
Sunday by
Appointment

Phone 575

G. H. Arnold - Notary Public

FOR SALE.

Fine 7-roomed house on a 38-foot lot, furnace heat. On Fifth Avenue, Section 6. \$6,800.00. Terms to be arranged. A nice bungalow on Fifth Avenue, Section 6, with one lot, 4 rooms and bath. \$2,200.00 on terms. An excellent dwelling site on Dunsmuir Street between 4th and 5th Avenue, on Graft Hill, 50x50. \$1,000.00.

H. G. HELGERSON, LTD.

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Bonds

Rentals

THE TORTURES
OF RHEUMATISMHappily Stopped When He
Began To Take "Fruit-a-tives"

8 OTTAWA ST., HULL, P. Q.

"For a year, I suffered with *Rheumatism*, being forced to stay in bed for five months. I tried all kinds of medicine without relief and thought I would never be able to walk again. One day while lying in bed, I read about "Fruit-a-tives" the great fruit medicine; and it seemed just what I needed, so I decided to try it.

The first box helped me, and I took the tablets regularly until every trace of the Rheumatism left me." LORENZO LEDUC.

50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

The Man in the Moon
SAYS:-

LUKE remarks that a bad reputation sticks to a man when a good reputation won't. That's right, Luke, it would be difficult to have both at the same time.

A WOMAN'S will is something that it is difficult to break, but a woman's won't, there you have the record of determination.

WE English are proud of England because she produced such noble sons. Conceived? No, sir. We simply have the ability to recognize facts.

AFTER watching three men emerge at intervals from a club each rather unsteady about the pegs, the constable stepped inside and inquired what was going on. Just a little game of poker, pleeshman, an' everybody got a full house," was the answer from another unsteady celebrant.

IT was one of the country newspapers, of course, that published "Mrs. B. Careless was opening tomatoes when the can opener slipped cutting her in the pantry."

KNOCKING an enemy makes him feel good to think that you have taken notice of him.

A WINNIPEG rhymester makes this verse:

She pads her ears and other parts

Where pads ne'er ought to be

And leaves her chest and calves exposed

For poor mere man to see.

WHY call the place Cow Bay? I suggest it be called Devil's Creek or Dirty Ditch.

REID is trying to show that the failure of the Canadian National is due to the McAdoo award. Possibly he is right, but there may be other reasons.

WHEN Mr. Reid talks about railways he speaks as glibly about millions as most of us do about nickels.

SUPPOSE we take the Liquor Bill and German reparations and the Bolshevik Soviet and smother them all in the Cow Bay mud.

Ten Years Ago
in Prince Rupert

March 10, 1911

Claiming that injuries sustained in an accident have unfitted him for further ring engagements, Tommy Burns, former boxing champion, is suing the Puget Sound Electric Railway Co., of Seattle, for \$50,000 damages.

The first white baby on Porcher Island was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Sim this week. The little girl will be named Ellen Ann.

The town of Douglas, Alaska, is in flames with 800 men fighting the blaze.

Frank Mobley has been appointed at Ottawa to be census taker for Gomox Atlin for the 1911 census.

Captain C. H. Nicholson, manager of the G.T.P. steamers, announces the purchase of the steamer Prince John for local service out of Prince Rupert. The vessel is at present in Glasgow.

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.

GRANBY CONS. MINING, SMELTING & POWER CO. LTD., Applicant.

By William Young, agent.

The date of the first publication of this notice is the 26th day of February, 1921.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.

In Skeena Land District, Recording District of Coast, Range 5, and situate at head of Union Bay, adjoining lot 199.

Take notice that Norman R. Brodhurst, of Prince Rupert, occupation master mason, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south line of lot 199, thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 20 chains to shore; thence along shore to port and containing forty acres, more or less.

NORMAN R. BRODHURST.

Dated January 26, 1921.

LAND ACT.

FORM OF NOTICE.

CASSIAR LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF

TAKES notice that J. Webster Scott Simpson, of Telegraph Creek, B. C., occupation Indian Agent, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a point planted on the northwest corner of the Telegraph Creek townsite, marked Initial Post, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres, more or less.

WEBSTER SCOTT SIMPSON.

Date, December 16th, 1920.

Advertising is often expensive,

but it is nothing like as expensive

as an empty store and idle clerks.

MACDONALD'S Cut Brier

More Tobacco for the Money

"The Tobacco with a heart"

Canada's best buy—the ECONOMY Package

1/2 lb. 85¢

FOR BREAKFAST

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A Nourishing and Delicious Breakfast Food

TO COOK: Place in frying pan with a little fat and cook for ten minutes.

Sold by all Restaurants, Retail Grocers & Butchers

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Prince Rupert, B.C.

Canadian National Railways

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S.S. PRINCE ALBERT

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Agency All Ocean Steamship Lines

For information and reservations apply to

CITY TICKET OFFICE, 120 Third Avenue, Phone 260.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

B.C. Coast Steamship Service

S. S. PRINCESS MARY

For Ketchikan, Juneau, Skagway, Alaska, from Prince Rupert.

March 7, 18, 28; April 8, 18, 29.

For Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle from Prince Rupert.

March 12, 23; April 2, 12, 22.

For rates, reservations and sailings apply to

W. C. ORCHARD, General Agent.

Cor 3rd Avenue and 4th Street Prince Rupert, B.C.

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All this month to make room for Spring Goods

Barrie's Furniture Store
Third Avenue

Bags Suitcases Trunks

It pays to get a good Trunk
It pays to choose it here

F. M. Crosby

715 Third Avenue, Prince Rupert

"Spring Is Near!"
NOTE YOUR SPRING COAT

Art Clothes have made reductions they claim are below replacement values!

STEVE KING

Third Avenue
Prince Rupert