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DAILY EDITION.



Wednesday, April 13, 1921.

Lumber Business
May Improve.

As a result of the decision of the railways to lower the rate on carrying lumber from the Pacific coast, there may be an improvement in the lumber business of this district. Last autumn the railway commission advanced the rate very considerably and as a result the business was cut off completely, and the railways were idle in so far as that business was concerned. After waiting a long time to see if there would be a revival the railways have decided that they must drop the price in order to induce business. This was not done by the railway commission but by the railway association which is an organization that includes representatives of all the Canadian railways.

The sad thing seems to be that the railway commission did not use better judgment than to order such an advance in rates as to kill the business. The railways also seem to have been so anxious to extract the last dollar from the business that they injured themselves in doing so.

Strike Settlement
Failure Regrettable.

It seems regrettable that there is to be industrial war in Great Britain as a result of the failure of the negotiations between the Government and the miners. The outcome will certainly be injurious to everyone. If the big strike goes into effect there will be all sorts of hates engendered and it is not improbable that actual bloodshed will follow. This industrial warfare is real war and might be apt to win just as often as right.

Good News

Regarding Cars.

It is good news in regard to the refrigerator cars and those who have given so much of their time and energy to getting the matter under way will feel elated over the outcome. The government, yielding to the pressure of public opinion, seems now to realize that fish cars must be provided and the work is going on. We shall all welcome the sight of the first of them here, after the strenuous time we have had in trying to make the authorities realize the necessities of the business.

Road to Skeena.
Is Next Move.

There seems to be a possibility of getting a road built to the mouth of the Skeena River in the near future, this to be the first section of the road to connect Prince Rupert with the interior of the province. It is a momentous move and if we can get it going this summer it will be a great thing for the city.

It is difficult to realize just what it would be like to be able to drive or walk to the back end of the island over a good motor road. We have become so used to the pennied in condition that it will be a wonderful change to be able to drive out into the country.

Better Dentistry



has never been placed before the people of Prince Rupert

LOW PRICES

considering the material I use which is the best money can buy.

I have proven this statement to many patients. The best teeth used on all work.

Phone 575 for an appointment

Rooms 7 and 8
Smith BlockMAGUIRE
DentistOffice Hours:
9 to 12 a.m.
1 " 6 p.m.
7 " 9 p.m.
Open Evenings

G. H. Arnold - Notary Public

FOR SALE.

A Lot on Third Avenue in Block 34
Adjoining the new Concrete Building
which is being erected there. A very desirable business locationH. G. HELGERSON, LTD.
Insurance Rentals Real EstateNO MONEY IN
VLADIVOSTOK

Plenty of Necessities But Little Cash With Which to Pay.

TOKIO, April 12.—Residents of Vladivostok have plenty to eat and plenty of clothes, but no money, according to a correspondent of the Kokusai News Agency who has just returned from that city.

"Good beef can be purchased for 20 cents a pound," he says, and continues: "A good suit of clothes costs about one-third what they do in America and other things in proportion. The only thing the people lack is money to spend." Gold has virtually disappeared from circulation and nobody will accept the paper notes. Wages, even of government employees, are paid in food, clothes and tickets for use with the public utilities.

"The plenitude of these necessities is explained by the fact that huge stores have been imported into Vladivostok for shipment into the interior and are being held there indefinitely. These stores are being drawn upon.

Outsiders Starving.

"A few miles out of Vladivostok to the north conditions are very different. There the population has neither money nor supplies, and hunger and cold have taken liberal tolls of the Russians. The Chita authorities have been sending elaborate demands that Vladivostok share her supplies with the rest of Siberia, a call to which the local authorities have shown no disposition to respond, even if the Japanese would let them.

"These latter have been taking the stand that until it is certain that Japan will not have to fight Chita they will not permit the exportation of anything that may later be used against the Japanese forces.

"The lack of acceptable money in Vladivostok is resulting in business stagnation. Anyone with good money can buy anything he wants and cheaply but in its absence nothing can be sold. Business houses are fast closing their doors and factories are shutting down."

SURVEYORS TRICKED
BIG BLACK BEAR SO
NOW HAVE HIS HIDE

New Westminster Surveyor Kills
Bear with Axe while Assistant
Attracts Attention

EDMONDS, April 13.—Without the aid of gun capturing a bear weighing 200 pounds and putting him to sleep within fifteen minutes of their unexpected meeting, was the feat of Roy Horie, surveyor, and G. L. Latimer, his companion, within a mile of New Westminster's city limits recently. Brain happened to cross the surveyor's lines. While Latimer attracted his attention with a pole, Horie cautiously advanced with an axe and now has a fine black, glossy hide.

TIMBER SALE X 2693.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, B. C., not later than noon on the 14th day of April, 1921, for the purchase of Licence X 2693, to cut 278,000 feet of Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam, on an area situated on Headland Range 2, Coast District, one (1) year will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B. C.

TIMBER SALE X 2694.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, B. C., not later than noon on the 14th day of April, 1921, for the purchase of Licence X 2694, to cut 257,000 feet of Balsam, Hemlock, Spruce and Cedar, on an area situated on Headland Range 2, Coast District.

One (1) year will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B. C.

TIMBER SALE X 2695.

Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria, B. C., not later than noon on the 14th day of April, 1921, for the purchase of Licence X 2695, to cut 278,000 feet of Balsam, Hemlock, Spruce and Cedar, on an area situated on Headland Range 2, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B. C.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION.
RUBY and NORTH STAR FRACTION
Mineral Claims situate in the Nass River
Division of the Cassiar District, Where
located on the Nass River, adjoining
the Duke of York Group.

Lawful holder: Edward Lewin of Seattle,
in the State of Washington, United States
of America. Number of holder's Free
Miner's Certificate: 40748.

Free Miner's Certificate Number 40748
intend at the end of sixty (60) days from
the date hereof to apply to the Mining
Recorder for Certificate of Improvements
on the properties contained in Crown
Grant of each of the above claims.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action
under Section 85 of the "Mineral Act"
must be commenced before the issuance of
said Certificate of Improvements.

DATED THIS 21st day of March, 1921.

(Signed) EDWARD LEWIN.

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