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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing over Lot 444, Queen Charlotte Islands District, is cancelled.

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Lands Department,
Victoria, B.C.,
28th January, 1924.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned up to noon on the Twenty second day of March, 1924, for the rental of the building situated on Lot 10, Block 23, Section 1, and now known as the Rex Cafe.

The rental is to be on a monthly basis and payable in advance.

A lease for one year could be given if required.

All tenders must state rental to be paid, nature of business it is proposed to carry on, or use to which premises are to be put.

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THOS. W. HERNE,
Government Agent.
Prince Rupert, B.C.

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ESKIMO GETS RELIGION THEN KILLS FRIENDS

Amazing Story of Barbarism Brought South by Mounted Police

OTTAWA, March 26.— (Canadian Press)—An amazing story of murderous barbarism has reached the headquarters of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police from Staff Sergeant A. H. Joy at Pond's Inlet, who tells of what befell the little Eskimo village of Kivetuk, on the eastern coast of Baffin Island, four hundred odd miles north of the Arctic circle. A reign of cruelty and death prevailed until the violent death of the fanatic who held Kivetuk under his baleful hypnotic spell throughout the sunless weeks of winter in the land of the midnight sun.

It was one, Neahuteuk who so terrorized the simple Eskimo that "the sun returned without being noticed and it was only until sometime after Neahuteuk was dead that the Eskimos saw the sun was in sight."

Easy to Understand

Neahuteuk was agent for a trading company and the richest man in the village. He professed religious inspiration and compelled the tribesmen to perform ceremonies, some meaningless and some repulsive. He would sit poring over a Bible and complained because he could not understand it. He drove his friends from his igloo one day and groaned in despair over the sacred book.

One tribesman returned and attempted to comfort him. The chieftain gave certain instructions which were carried out in this wise. While Neahuteuk made a dash for the doorway, his companion struck him violently with a stick. After lying senseless for some time, Neahuteuk revived and returned to his reading with blood flowing freely from his head.

He could now understand the Bible quite well, he said. He compelled the tribes to abstain from food and sleep for days. Several went mad. All of them walked about in a daze and appeared to be under a hypnotic spell.

Two Killed

One asked if he could "go up to Jesus" if he had "air inside him." Neahuteuk promptly ruled that his spirit was at that moment pure and he must be killed before he could return to sin. Two of the tribe were compelled against their will to murder this man.

Another man who was known to be illiterate was found reading the Bible and writing with a pencil. This man was also adjudged ready for death and was promptly despatched. Neahuteuk's frenzy increased. He exacted implicit obedience to his barbarous and fantastic rule, until one day he struck a woman with a hammer. This was the wife of one of the murdered men. At this moment Kidlappik, a village strongman who had been singled out for special persecution, entered the enclosure with a gun and fired, mortally wounding Neahuteuk.

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P.G.E. INQUIRY WILL HAVE CLEARED THE AIR

Attempt to Secure Control of Administrative Machinery From Without Is Balked

VICTORIA, March 26.—Whatever may be said of the folly of the farcical P.G.E. Railway investigation, following charges laid against the Oliver administration by the McRae third party forces, the contention is gaining ground that the investigation will have served a splendid purpose, despite the heavy cost. For years the government — regardless of its being Liberal or Conservative—has been under a cloud. Trouble makers are always with us, but no one causes more bother and worry than the political aspirant, who seeks office either for personal glorification or in order to put something over for himself and friends. With tremendous development ahead of British Columbia, there has been a manifest attempt upon the part of outsiders to secure control of the administrative machinery, at whatever cost. Meanwhile, their efforts have been proven crude in the extreme and the costly enquiry has done much towards removing distrust, suspicion and discontent.

BLUE FOX FARM IS PLANNED EDMONTON

Tract of Land Leased Close to City and Other Farms to be Established

EDMONTON, March 26.—Twenty-three acres of hill-side land east of Riverside Park and lying toward the Low Level bridge have been leased for a blue fox ranch, Harvey S. Kane, coal dealer of Whyte Avenue has leased the property for a five-year term. The Canadian Alaska Blue Fox Ranching and Distributing Company, now in the process of organization will then hold an option for the purchase of the property states Mr. Kane.

Several local business and professional men are interested in the project which is not a stock-selling proposition but will probably be a limited concern with a capital of $10,000 to $20,000 when incorporation is completed within the next few weeks. Men in other parts of the province are also reported to be interested in the concern which plans to have 200 blue foxes on their ranches by 1925 and will then be selling and distributing animals.

Will Start at Once

Work is to start at once on the south side property by the building of a close six-foot fence around the place. Inside pens of diamond one-inch mesh sixteen-gauge wire will be erected. They will be six feet high and have the usual three-foot overhang top and bottom.

It is expected to have fifty to seventy-five pairs established there during the late summer. There is also a ranch at Innisfree in prospect where ten to fifteen pairs will be placed.

KAISER LOST DIGNITY IN AUDIENCE WITH POPE

Gift to His Holiness Fell and Then Helmet Dropped and Pants Ripped

BERLIN, March 26.— Certain German newspapers never tire of publishing amusing stories about the former kaiser, one of the latest being his experience at the Vatican in October, 1888 when the former ruler was received by Pope Leo XIII and caused a ripple of laughter among those present by his awkwardness.

"William began the performance by dropping the valuable 'tabatiere' he carried as a gift to the Pope," writes Ernest Smith in a book of his 10 years' experience as a British journalist in Rome and other European capitals. Smith's account of the kaiser's audience with the Pope has been reproduced in numerous German newspapers, some of them even publishing the article in the columns devoted to comment by their humorists.

"As William stooped to recover the 'tabatiere,' before a courtier dashed forword to recover it for him, he let his helmet fall, and, to add to his confusion, a seam in his garments collapsed audibly as he bent down," writes Mr. Smith. "When William recovered he could scarcely stammer out several incoherent words and a witness of the scene told me that the kaiser was trembling like a leaf all the time."

INCREASED SAILINGS TO THE OLD COUNTRY

In order to take care of increased travel expected from Canada to the Old Country this summer, the White Star, Cunard and Anchor-Donaldson Lines announce additional sailings from Montreal and Quebec. It is also suggested that those going to the Old Country should make reservations and secure passports as early as possible. Write or call Canadian National Railways, 528 Third Avenue, Prince Rupert, B.C. Phone 260.

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SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land $2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

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