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## GETTING AFTER THAT ELEVATOR

Prince Rupert Could Help Strengthen Hands of Local Representatives

### MATTER IS DISCUSSED

Newspaperman and Others Urged to Visit Port and Secure Information

"The one thing we must get after and insist on having this year is an elevator," declared H. F. Pullen, who returned home yesterday from a holiday spent in Victoria and Vancouver, during which time he interested himself to some extent in the needs of Prince Rupert. In pressing the claims of the city on the Ottawa authorities he thinks the aid of the farmers of Alberta and the grain shippers of the prairies should be enlisted.

Noticing by the Vancouver papers that J. D. O. Mothersill was in Vancouver investigating the high charges on grain shipping through the port of Vancouver and realizing the advantage of keeping Prince Rupert to the fore in that regard, Mr. Pullen accompanied R. Beaumont, superintendent of the C.G. M.M. at this port, to interview Mr. Mothersill and try to get him to return to Edmonton by way of Prince Rupert and investigate conditions at this port and incorporate them in his report. Mr. Beaumont explained the special advantages of this port. He showed that while high charges were necessary in Vancouver in order to meet the interest and sinking fund on the cost of sites, and the harbor improvements and cost of operation, there were no such charges in Prince Rupert. The commissioner had already admitted that these charges in Vancouver were just.

### Competitive Port

It was pointed out to Mr. Mothersill that in utilizing Prince Rupert as an additional port the charges would be evaded and a competitive port would be developed, which in itself would be a great advantage to the prairie shippers. It was also well to have two strings to a

### WATER NOTICE (Diversion and Use).

TAKE NOTICE that W. E. Collison, Indian Agent, whose address is Prince Rupert, B.C., will apply for a licence to take and use 20,000 gallons a day of water out of small unnamed lake on Metlakatla portion of Tsimsian Indian Reserve No. 2, which flows westerly and drains into Duncan Bay, about one and a half mile north of Observatory Point. The water will be diverted from the lake at a point about 1 1/2 mile northeast of Metlakatla Indian Village, and will be used for domestic purposes upon the land described as Metlakatla Townsite, Tsimsian Indian Reserve, No. 2. This notice was posted on the ground on the 30th day of November, 1923. 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, B.C. 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. The date of the first publication of this notice is December 1st, 1923. W. E. COLLISON, Applicant, Indian Agent.

### LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land. In Skeena Land District, Recording District of Coast, and situate on Zayas Island. Take Notice that George Kerr, occupation butcher, of Prince Rupert, B.C., intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about four chains north of Jacinto Point on Zayas Island; thence following the sinuosities of the shore line at high water mark around the island and returning to point of commencement, and containing 3,000 acres, more or less.

GEORGE KERR, Name of Applicant, HOOMES K. FREEMAN, Agent.

### LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land. In Range 4, Skeena Land District, Recording District of Coast. Take Notice that Charles S. Murphy, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation Engineer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the most southeasterly point on Channel Island, near the mouth of Gardner Canal; thence following the sinuosities of the shore line at high water mark around the island, returning to point of commencement, and containing seven hundred acres, more or less.

CHARLES S. MURPHY, Name of Applicant, J. SAM JOHNSON, Agent.

Dated November 27th, 1923.

## "My Heart Would Palpitate, I Had Weak Spells"

Mrs. L. Whiting, 202 King St. West, Brockville, Ont., writes:—

"I took very sick with my nerves and stomach, and seemed to be all run down. At times my heart would flutter and palpitate so and I would take such weak spells in the pit of my stomach that I sometimes thought I would never get better. I had almost given up hope when a friend advised the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I did not stop until I had taken twenty-five boxes. It has done wonders for me and I want to recommend it to everyone."

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how. Mr. Mothersill asked if it would be possible to secure a site at Prince Rupert which would allow for the erection of a direct loading elevator, thus saving the cost of a conveyor. He was assured that this would be possible. He was also shown that railway rates to Prince Rupert were the same as to Vancouver, and that it would be possible to secure deck cargoes of lumber for the ships. It was pointed out that a deck cargo had recently been provided for one of the ships to be loaded with grain at Vancouver.

Further it was mentioned that there was no prospect of detention of the steamers at Prince Rupert owing to congestion, that there was good harborage with an easy approach and only medium pilotage charges.

### Showed Great Interest

Mr. Mothersill showed great interest in the project and said he did not think the grain shippers and farmers of Alberta knew of Prince Rupert as a possible grain shipping point. He urged that a campaign of publicity be inaugurated with a view to making the advantages of Prince Rupert known. So far as he was concerned, he was representing the Government of Alberta to investigate the high charges at Vancouver and he had to have his report ready almost immediately. He did not know whether or not he would have time to return by way of Prince Rupert. He would like to do so and might be able to do it. At any rate he urged that all the advantages of the port be laid before the Government of Alberta with a view to securing their support to the Prince Rupert elevator scheme.

Mr. Mothersill pointed out that an elevator at Prince Rupert would cost a million and a half dollars. This would be capable of handling about 25,000,000 bushels of grain a year or about 100 ship cargoes.

### Prominent Edmontonians

Three other Edmonton people who were in Vancouver were invited to return this way and look over the possibilities of Prince Rupert in this respect. They were John Imrie, managing director of the Edmonton Journal and Percy Abbott and A. W. Challand, both members of the Edmonton Board of Trade executive. Mr. Imrie seemed much impressed with the idea and promised to come this way if the others would accompany him. He said that the Journal had always advocated the development of the port of Prince Rupert as an alternative grain shipping route. He felt it would be a good thing for Mr. Mothersill to make a personal inspection of



**TIMBER SALE X 5852.**

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 14th day of January, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X 5852, to cut 585,000 feet of Cedar, Spruce, Hemlock, Fir and Balsam, on an area situated on the south shore of Owicko Lake, Range 2, Coast Land 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.



**TIMBER SALE X 5798.**

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester, not later than noon on the 14th day of January, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X 5798, near Denise Arm, on Morse Lake, C.R. 2, to cut 125,000 C.B.M. of Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam Sawlogs. Six (6) months will be allowed for removal of timber. Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, or the District Forester, Prince Rupert.

the conditions so that he would report from personal knowledge.

Mr. Pullen says he realizes that E. G. Dawson, director of the railway, and Fred Stork, member for the district, are both doing their utmost to secure the elevator and that the probability is they will succeed. At the same time he thinks no stone should be left unturned to strengthen their hands and to make known the advantages of Prince Rupert among the prairie people, particularly in Alberta. Even when the elevator is built the publicity will be beneficial to influence the shipment of grain this way.

## POLICE KEPT THUGS MOVING

Reports of Chief Vickers for Year and for December Submitted

The report of City Police Chief W. H. Vickers for the year ending December 31, 1923, read at the final meeting of the Police Commission yesterday afternoon, showed that 325 cases had been entered during the past year from which there had been 269 convictions, 45 dismissals and 11 withdrawals. The total amount of fines and collections for the year amounted to \$5,638.85.

The chief in his report said "Considering the city is a seaport town with a heavy floating population, we are subject to a certain number of undesirables getting in. However, immediately they are known to the department they are kept moving, and in this manner crime, to a large extent, has been prevented." The list of cases entered showed the following details:

Breaking and entering, 2; Theft, 10 cases resulting in 5 convictions, 4 dismissals and 1 withdrawal.

Cases under the Opium and Drug Act showed a marked decrease during the year in the use of drugs. While in the year 1922 there were no less than 33 charges under this heading, for the past year there had been only eight.

Under the Government Liquor Act 20 cases had been entered. Under the heading of Liquor in possession and intoxicated Indians there had been 39 cases entered during the year in which 37 had been convicted.

In his report Chief Vickers drew attention to the able and efficient manner in which his present staff had assisted him in the past year.

Mayor Newton and Commissioner Cameron complimented Chief Vickers upon the good showing of the report.

### Monthly Report

In his report for the month of December, 1923, Chief Vickers stated that the month had been exceptionally quiet, there had been only 19 cases entered and 15 convictions, none of which had been of a serious nature. During the month there were 6 cases of drunkenness, 2 for theft, 3 for common assault, and 2 for vagrancy, the remaining charges being of a minor nature.

The actual fines for the month amounted to \$125.00 and the total collections \$382.50, this included a \$200 fine imposed on August 6 on one H. Platts, and \$57.50 paid in by the Provincial government for the keep of prisoners. During the month the weights of bread and coal had been tested and found correct.

## TIDAL WAVES AND FLOODS DO GREAT DAMAGE IN KOREA

NEW YORK, Jan. 10. — Reports received by the Presbyterian Board of Missions from missionaries in Korea show that that country suffered heavy damage during the latter part of 1923 from floods and tidal waves. A large part of the country was inundated and thousands of homes were swept away.

The regions outside the submerged sections were visited by storms which caused the total destruction of rice fields, and these did not yield a grain of food.

An added destructive force was a giant tidal wave, which surged inland and swallowed up entire villages. It swept large boats into village streets and cut a new beach line 50 to 100 feet further inland from the original shore line, the new line standing straight up like palisades.

Many Presbyterian churches were washed away and others collapsed after being weakened by the floods and storms.

### Subscribers for the Daily News

**IN PROBATE.** IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. In the Matter of the Estate of Magnus O. Berg, late of the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, deceased.

ALL persons having claims against the Estate of Magnus O. Berg, of the City of Prince Rupert in the Province of British Columbia, who died at the City of Prince Rupert, Province aforesaid, on the 13th day of September, A.D. 1923, are required to send same duly verified to the undersigned solicitors for the executor of the deceased on or before the 8th day of February, 1924, after which date the said estate will be distributed among those entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the executor shall then have had notice, and the executor will not be liable for the said estate or any part thereof to any person of whose claim the executor shall not then have received notice.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 7th day of January, 1924.

WILLIAMS, NIXON & GONZALES, Solicitors for the Executor, Prince Rupert, B.C.

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