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HOW AMERICA GIVEN NAME

Young Map Maker Uses it First Near Strasburg Because no Other Available

Emerson deplored the fact that "proud America must bear the name of a thief, Amerigo Vespucci, the pickle dealer of Seville." It now appears that Emerson was misinformed—that Vespucci had nothing at all to do with choosing the name of the western continents. A poet named America. A poet young, ardent; a student at Heidelberg and Paris; a linguist and an eager follower of geography in an age when the ports of Europe were often in gala dress for the ships of world discoverers.

Set up Print Shop

Mathias Ringmann was a native of a village in the Vosges Mountains. He was born just ten years before Columbus turned his prows from Polos. Mathias and a friend, Martinius Waldseemuller, after graduating from college joined a literary society that used to meet in the old town of St. Die, near Luneville and not many miles from Strasburg. In the spring of 1507, this group of men set up a print shop in St. Die, as a practical step toward the dissemination of knowledge. The first thing they decided to undertake was the printing of a map of the world and a treatise in Latin to accompany it. Ringmann enthusiasticaly entered into the work of translating and editing material for the explanatory booklet, called "Introductio Cosmographiae," or Introduction to the Science of the General Constitution of the Universe.

Before work began on the St. Die world wall map, the poet had made a translation of Amerigo Vespucci's report of his voyages and had indited a sonnet on the mysteries of the new-found world and the feats of Colombus, Cabra and Vespucci. From the first he was enchanted by the meter and melody of the name "Amerigo," which, translated into Latin, became Americus.

Recently Discovered Lands

Waldseemuller's plates were about ready for printing when his young friend discovered that space had been reserved for the recently discovered lands, but no name appeared inside the fictitious boundary lines traced by the map maker. Fired by his admiration for Vespucci and his tuneful christian name, "let us call it America," he urged. 'Let us print the name America there."

Tolerantly the map maker agreed. Probably he thought it a harmless notion at worst and had in mind no more fitting designation for that vague expanse whch up to that time had been called merely the "New World." Waldsemuller let his youthful collaborator have his way, but indicated his opinion of the idea by printing the untried combination in letters very small, instead of large, as on the old continents.—From The Mentor.

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CANCER IS INCREASING

This and Heart Disease Not Being Coped with by Science

As one result of the successful war against germs, in which the cities, of course, have been the natural leaders, there can be no doubt that the world is much less scourged with disease than ever before in recorded history, according to an article in "Forum," January issue. Nearly all of the really dangerous diseases have fallen off in injuriousness, both in the degree to which they damage health and in the age at which (on the average) they result in death. There are two notable exceptions: heart disease and cancer.

There is apparently some doubt about the real truth of this conclusion in the case of the various forms of heart disease. Some physicians urge that heart disease is now much better known than formerly and that it probably is more often recognized. This would operate to show an increase of the recorded cases without any increase in the actual cases. Also, it is true that people now live longer than formerly. Since heart troubles are likely to become troublesome rather late in life, it may be that the greater average age of the population operates, again, to show how false apparent increase in the virulence of this class of illness.

Is Increasing

In the case of cancer, however, there can now be no doubt that this disease is actually on the increase. Many students of the subject, including the writer of these notes, have urged that the apparent increase of cancer shown by the statistics was false; that it was due, as may be true for heart troubles, to the fact that people now live longer. There are more of them left alive to come to the time of life when cancer is at its worst. But we have been wrong. This view is no longer tenable, in the light of an important study of the subject reported recently by Dr. J. W. Schereschewsky, in the "Journal of the American Medical Association."

Dr. Schereschewsky has taken all the statistical factors into account. He has allowed for the increasing average age of the population and for the greater tendency of cancer to attack the old rather than the young. After all such allowances have been made, there remains the unmistakable conclusion that cancer actually is increasing, at least in the ten States which Dr. Schereschewsky chose, for statistical reasons, as his material.

GRADUATED INCOME TAX IN THE STATES

It is a very common thing for Canadians to tell of the small tax rate in the United States. Here is a table applying to married men without dependants having a total exemption of $2,500, and includes both normal and surtax, that shows exactly what is paid in the republic to the south:

Tax	Income
$ 7.50	$ 3,000.00
22.50	4,000.00
37.50	5,000.00
57.50	6,000.00
87.50	7,000.00
127.50	8,000.00
167.50	9,000.00
207.50	10,000.00
557.50	15,000.00
1,017.50	20,000.00
1,607.50	25,000.00
2,317.50	30,000.00
3,127.50	35,000.00
4,037.50	40,000.00
6,137.50	50,000.00
8,677.50	60,000.00
11,577.50	70,000.00
14,877.50	80,000.00
18,537.50	90,000.00
22,617.50	100,000.00
44,117.50	150,000.00
65,617.50	200,000.00
87,617.50	250,000.00
109,617.50	300,000.00
199,617.50	500,000.00
429,617.50	1,000,000.00
889,617.50	2,000,000.00
1,349,617.50	3,000,000.00
1,809,617.50	4,000,000.00
2,269,617.50	5,000,000.00

PRINCE GEORGE

Fred Cyr will go on trial at the Supreme Court Assizes here next month charged with the killing of Alex Ducharme on the shore of Chilco Lake in the Cariboo district on November 6.

The Prince George hospital is third on the list for low per capita cost for 25-bed institutions in the province.

H. G. Parry, M.L.A., Mrs. Parry and family returned home from Victoria last week in time for Christmas.

The Sinclair house on Fourth Avenue, built under the Soldiers' Housing Scheme, has been sold by the city council to John Duncan for $2,400 with twenty-year payments.

Mr. and Mrs. William Daly of Clover Bar, Alberta, are visiting here with their niece, Mrs. Sergeant Walker.

A plebiscite will be taken at the forthcoming civic election on the question of abolishing the ward system.

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Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands at Victoria not later than noon on the 21st day of January, 1926, for the purchase of Licence X7370, to cut 650,000 lineal feet of Cedar Poles and Piling on an area situated about three miles west of Port Clements, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Island 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.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Coast Range 5, and situate on South Rachael Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Alfred Swanson, of Prince Rupert, occupation Mariner., intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the south point of South Rachael Island, then around high water mark to the point of commencement, and containing 60 acres, more or less.

ALFRED SWANSON,
Applicant
A. E. Wright, Agent.
Dated October 26th, 1925

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert and situate on the east shore of Barnard Cove, Princess Royal Island, Range four, Coast District.

TAKE NOTICE that Somerville Cannery Company Limited of Vancouver, B.C., occupation packers, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the northeast shore of Barnard Cove, Princess Royal Island, Range 4, Coast District, thence easterly twenty chains; thence southerly sixty chains; thence westerly forty chains; thence northerly five chains, more or less, to high water mark; thence following high water mark in an easterly and northerly direction to point of commencement, and containing one hundred acres, more or less.

SOMERVILLE CANNERY CO. LTD
Applicant.
Per W. J. Thomas, Agent

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Queen Charlotte District Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate at Shannon Bay.

TAKE NOTICE that Robert C. Gosse of Vancouver, B.C., occupation canneryman, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on an unnamed island lying S.60 deg. W. (14 chains, more or less) from southwest corner of Lot 1548, Q.C.I., Range 5; thence following meandering of shore line of said island to point of commencement, an containing 2¼ acres, more or less.

ROBERT C. GOSSE,
Applicant.
Per Wm. G. Mitchell, Agent

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In the Prince Rupert Land Recording District and situate on an unnamed Islet in the Eastern entrance to Hudson Bay Passage near Dundas Island. Blue Print R.M. 14.

TAKE NOTICE that George Gordon Bushby of Prince Rupert, B.C., Manufacturer, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post situate on a partly submerged reef of rocks radiating from same in practically a circle, having a radius of about 1,500 feet and containing 200 acres, more or less.

GEORGE GORDON BUSHBY.
Dated December 4th, 1925

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Coast Range 5, and situate on North Rachael Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Alfred Swanson, of Prince Rupert, occupation Mariner., intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the south point of North Rachael Island; then around high water mark to the point of commencement, and containing 50 acres, more or less.

ALFRED SWANSON,
Applicant.
A. E. Wright, Agent.
Dated October 26th, 1925.
Prince Rupert, B.C.

The trouble with police departments is traceable to Chiefs, Commissioners, Councilmen and City Managers in most cases. Graft runs rampant.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Prince Rupert

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The Ridley Home was not forgotten at the Christmas Season and warmest thanks to the kind friends who sent Christmas Cheer which was much enjoyed and helped to make a happy time for the children.

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 8,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 5,000 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 for 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 partly free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

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