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TARIFF UNDER FIRE IN U.S.

Flexible Principle to be Carried to the Supreme Court of United States

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 11. (By Canadian Press). — For one reason and another, largely political, there has been prolonged delay in forcing a real test of the flexible tariff law in the Supreme Court of the United States. Now, the time seems close at hand when the issue will be forced. The announcement is definitely made that there will be appeals from the decision of the board of general appraisers at New York in a case involving the duty on bariumdioxide. It is also announced that it is the intention ultimately to carry the case to the United States Supreme Cour. A decision by the Supreme Court would, it is believed, settle the question whether Congress itself must fix the rates of duty on importations or whether the president or other administrative officials can fix or adjust rates.

The board of general appraisers upheld the flexible tariff law. But there is powerful legal authority for holding otherwise and deciding that the president cannot change or fix rates of duty. Therefore, it will be of great interest to see what the court of customs appeals decides and, after that, the Supreme Court.

Senate Attack

Just now, the flexible tariff and the tariff commission are under attack at the hands of a special committee of the Senate. This adds to the interest felt in the test case in the courts. The hearings have brought out that the flexible tariff law is virtually a dead letter and that it is rarely used to lower rates.

While the flexible tariff was formerly opposed by high tariff men in Congress they have changed front and now want to retain it for political reasons. Since the law was enacted, there has been much shifting about and it is not possible to say now what will come of it all.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Group, on unnamed Inlet, three miles south of De La Beche Inlet.

TAKE NOTICE that The Canadian Fishing Company, Limited, of Vancouver, occupation Salmon Canners, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at head of inlet about ½ mile north of unnamed Creek; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains, more or less, to shore line; thence northerly following shore line to P.O.C., and containing 40 acres, more or less.

THE CANADIAN FISHING COMPANY, LIMITED, Applicant.
Per William Alfred Bower.
Dated 9th April, 1926.

"PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT."

Prince Rupert Electoral District. Mackenzie Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall, on Monday, the 17th day of May, 1926, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, Prince Rupert, hold a sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the list of voters for the said electoral district, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said list, or to the registration as a voter of any applicant for registration; and for the other purposes set forth in the "Provincial Elections Act."

Dated at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 6th day of April, 1926.

NORMAN A. WATT,
Registrar of Voters for the Prince Rupert and Mackenzie Electoral Districts.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate at head of Skaat Inlet, Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Group.

TAKE NOTICE that The Canadian Fishing Company, Limited, of Vancouver, occupation Salmon Canners, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at head of Skaat Inlet, 15 chains north of unnamed Creek; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains, more or less, to shore line; thence northerly following shore line to P.O.C., and containing 40 acres, more or less.

THE CANADIAN FISHING COMPANY, LIMITED, Applicant.
Per William Alfred Bower.
Dated 11th April, 1926.

IN PROBATE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Administration Act: and
In the Matter of the Estate of Albert Bowles, Deceased, Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, F. McB. Young, the 19th day of April, A.D. 1926, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of Albert Bowles, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 20th day of May, A.D. 1926, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN A. WATT,
Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.
Dated the 20th day of April, A.D. 1926.

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 at the north end of South Rachael Island; thence around the island at high water mark, and containing 50 acres, more or less.

ALFRED SWANSON,
Applicant.
Dated April 27, 1926.

BLOCK SALE U.S. VESSELS DOLLAR LINE

Keen Criticism of Proposed Action by Shipping Board to Dispose of Ships

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 11— (By Canadian Press). — Belief here is that as a result of the investigation which has been ordered by the Senate Commerce Committee into the proposed sale of the American-Oriental Mail Line to the Dollar Line, this sale will be blocked. The American-Oriental Mail Line, consisting of some of the best of the Shipping Board liners, running out of Puget Sound, is a big factor in the trade of the Pacific Northwest, and the question of whether the government would sell these vessels has commanded much attention in shipping and commercial circles both in this country and Canada, especially in the Pacific region.

Senator Jones of Washington is chairman of the Commerce Committee and deeply opposed to sale of the government ships to the Dollar Line; so is Senator McNary of Oregon, also of the Commerce Committee. Both say it would be extremely hurtful to United States business in the Pacific region. It is alleged the sale would go far to give the Dollar Line a monopoly of United States shipping on the Pacific.

Huge Sacrifice

The Shipping Board is under fire for attempting to sell to private interests government ships that cost about $31,000,000 for $4,500,000 and on such terms as will insure the people of the United States little return from their own property.

In addition to that, it is charged that the Shipping Board is getting rid of valuable government ships, not only in the case of this proposed sale but others, without any adequate assurances the shipping service will long be maintained. Charges that the Shipping Board is following a policy which will scuttle the United States Merchant marine and dissipate it are being freely made.

Senator Jones of Washington says he expects a thorough inquiry into the facts as to the proposed sale. He does not expect, moreover, that the Shipping Board will carry out the sale in the face of the pressure from the commerce committee.

CHURCH SALE AT TERRACE

Anglican Church has Successful Event Saturday Presided Over by Mrs. Marsh

TERRACE, May 11.—The annual spring sale of the W.A. of the Anglican Church was held in Progress Hall on Saturday afternoon and proved to be one of the most successful sales in the history of the Auxiliary. At 2.30 Mrs. Marsh, the president, declared the sale open and buying was brisk all afternoon. The home cooking tables in charge of Mesdames Carr, King, Sims and Thomson (cashier) drew large crowds as did also the candy counter, presided over by Mrs. Frost. Mrs. Nash and Mrs Warne (cashier).

In charge at the work tables were Miss Deacon, Mesdames Smith, Willson, Sparkes, Smith, Dover and Burnett (cashier).

The tea room was well patronized all afternoon. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs Bishop, Mrs. Hamlin and Mrs Powers, while Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Fowler and Miss Dobb assisted at the tables.

The proceeds of the sale will not be determined until the returns come in from Pacific to Which place the unsold work was sent on Saturday night.

FORM F.

Notice of Application for Certificate of Improvements

"Sight" Mineral Claim

Situate in the Prince Rupert Mining Division of the Skeena District. Where located: Near the head of Kitsumkalum Lake. Lawful holder: Swan Dalin. Number of holder's Free Miner's Certificate, 88907C.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Swan Dalin, Free Miner's Certificate No. 88907C, intend at the end of sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 85 of the "Mineral Act," must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1926.

SWAN DALIN, Owner.
By E. T. Kenny, Agent.

TERRACE NOTES

Mrs. Thos. E. Brooks was hostess at a delightful afternoon tea at her home on Park Ave. on Friday afternoon last. During the afternoon vocal selections by Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. Allen and Mrs. D. D. Munro were much enjoyed as was a violin solo by Miss I. Kerr. Mrs. E. T. Kenney, Miss Mallot and Miss Dobb assisted the hostess in the serving of refreshments.

Mrs. Norman Kilpatrick and small son of Smithers, who have been visiting in Prince Rupert, arrived on Saturday to spend a few days with Mrs. E. T. Kenney before returning to her home in the interior.

Mrs. George Little entertained the members of the B.D. Bridge Club on Saturday evening in compliment to Mrs. R. Aldous who is leaving for the United States at an early date.

Mrs. R. E. Allen of Hanall was a visitor at the week end.

Mrs. T. H. McCubbin, Mrs. Lockyer and Miss Gardner of Pacific were visitors in town between trains on Saturday.

Special Mothers' Day services were held in both Anglican and United Church on Sunday. Owing to the non-arrival of Mr. Manwaring on Saturday as was expected, Mr. Marsh conducted service in the Anglican church in the evening. In the morning in Knox United Church Mr. Allen preached an appropriate sermon and special music was rendered befitting the occasion.

A. Mackie and J. Boyd were arrivals in Terrace from Prince Rupert on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich and son and Master Frank Scully of Usk were visitors to Terrace on Saturday.

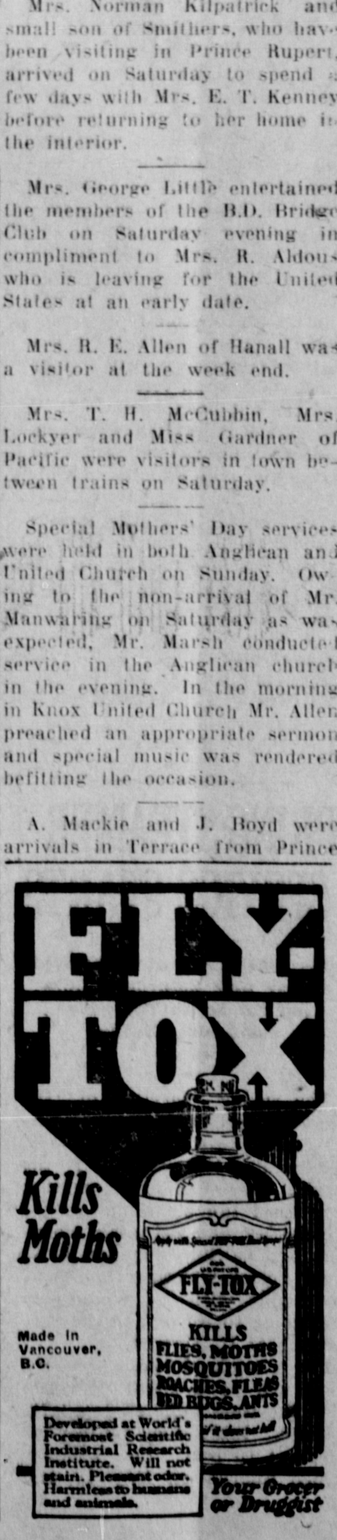
The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Toombs was baptised by Rev. Mr. Allen at Knox United Church on Sunday morning.

O. P. Brown of the Northern Mining and Developing Co. has commenced the hauling of ore from his mines on Thornhill mountain to the siding at Terrace for shipment to either Anyox or Trail smelters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fulton and family went out to Lakelse Lake on Friday for a ten day holiday to get their camp in shape for the summer vacation.

Mrs. O. T. Sundal left on Monday morning for Vancouver being sent as a delegate from Knox United church to the General Conference being held there this coming week.

Mr Mrs. R. L. McIntosh left on Monday for Prince Rupert after having spent the past two weeks at her summer home here.



PRINCE GEORGE

The city council is considering the advisability of floating bonds to cover the making of water extensions this year, the cost of which is estimated at $12,000.

There will be an expenditure of over $6,000 in connection with the stampede that is to be held here on July 1 and 2.

The ratepayers of Prince George will shortly vote on the question of giving a fourteen year extension of the franchise to the local telephone company. Certain improvements and changes have been promised by Hiram A. Carney, the representative of the company.

The charge against Karl Sherman of maintaining a gaming house on the premises of the Prince George Tourist Club was dismissed last week by Magistrate Moran. It was the third time that the club had been dismissed on a similar charge.

E. H. Livingstone returned to the city last week, having motored from Vancouver by way of Oroville, Washington.

The provincial police has been asked to investigate the disappearance of Charlie Olsen from his trapline on the Parsnip River. The last heard from Olsen was a letter left in his cabin on January 27 stating his intention of going to Prince George.

SMITHERS

The Smithers Board of Trade has been advised by Hon. W. R. Motherwell, federal minister of agriculture, that there is little chance of an experimental farm being established in this district for the time being at least.

A bumper potato crop is expected in the Moricetown district this season according to George McDonald who was a visitor in town last week.

A siren is to be installed at the railway round house as a more effective fire alarm for the town.

Sangster and Hann have been given the contract by the town council for the construction of some 3,000 feet of new sidewalks in various parts of town.

Hospital Day is being observed here with a shower at the home of Mrs. L. B. Warner and a dance will be held tomorrow evening.

Mrs. J. N. Carr has received word of the sudden death of her father, M. Ryan, at Quyon, Quebec.

A. F. Dunn has arrived to spend the holidays in Smithers. He is studying medicine at the University of Alberta.

Mrs. A. A. Duclos of Kilbourn, Wisc., was a visitor here for a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. L. P. Green.

Pete Dupuis, who recently sustained a compound fracture of the leg at Francois Lake, is a patient in the Smithers Hospital.

FOR EXAMPLE.

"How silly some of these sayings are!" remarked the sagacious man. "Take, for example, that one about there being nothing new under the sun."

"Is there anything really new?" asked his wife.

"Of course there is! Don't you read the papers? Don't these X-rays enable you to take a man and see right through him?"

"Yes, Oswald, dear," she answered, gently, "but any woman could do that before X-rays were even thought of!"

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENCE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 15th day of May next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a Licence in respect of the premises being part of the building known as "Queen's Hotel," situate on Main Street, Massett, B.C., and upon the lands described as Lot 5, Block 14, Map 946A, Prince Rupert Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

DATED at the City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, this 17th day of April, A.D. 1926.

MILDRED LILIAN DUNN,
Applicant.

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