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NEW ENGLAND PLANT BEING CONSTRUCTED

NEW TWO-LINE CANNERY AT KETCHIKAN BEING RUSHED

KETCHIKAN, April 13.—Work is progressing rapidly on the new cannery building being constructed for the New England Fish Co. on the land just purchased from the Fidalgo Island Packing Company, north of the present cannery building.

The new cannery will house two lines of machinery and will be 270 feet long by 40 feet in width. The central part of the building will be two stories high for a stretch of 100 feet and the rest of the building will be one story.

There will be a new one-story concrete boiler house to replace the present one, which will be torn down. The new boiler house will be 34 by 40 feet.

The contract for the construction of the new cannery has been let to Brown and Okerlund who are rushing the construction with all possible speed in order to permit time for the installation of machinery before the opening of the canning season. The former cannery building will be used as a warehouse to house the canned salmon pack.

The best cure for sensitive feelings is a little less petting and a little more spanking.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT."

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENCE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on he 9th day of April next the undersigned ntend to apply to the Liquor Control oard for a licence in respect to premises eing part of the building known as Tassett Inlet Hotel, situate at Port Clements, Queen Charlotte Islands, Province of British Columbia, upon the ands described as Lot Five (5), Block orty-four (44), Subdivision of Lot Seven undred and forty-six (746), Port Clements Townsite, less Thirty-three (33) eet from front to rear on west side of aid Lot, as shown on a registered map r plan deposited in the Land Registry Office at the City of Prince Rupert, in he Province of British Columbia, and umbered 1079, for the sale of beer by he glass or by the open bottle for conumption on the premises.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 1th day of March, 1927.

WARREN SCOTT,
B. L. TINGLEY.
Applicants.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT."

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO TRANSFER OF BEER LICENCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on the 16th day of April next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer Licence Number 673 and issued in respect of premises being part of a building known as "Central Hotel," situate at the corner of First Avenue and Seventh Street, City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lots Eleven (11), Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), and Fourteen (14), in Block Ten (10), Section One (1), Map No. 923, Prince Rupert Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, from Peter Black to Central Hotel, Limited, of the City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, the transferee.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 18th day of March, 1927.

CENTRAL HOTEL, LIMITED.
Applicant and Transferee.

LAND ACT.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LAND.

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate 30 chains east of northwest corner of Lot 68, Range 3, Coast District.

TAKE NOTICE that Gosse Packing Company Limited, of Vancouver, occupation Fish Canners, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 30 chains east of northwest Lot 68, Range 3, Coast District; thence south 5 chains; thence east 10 chains; thence north 5 chains; thence west 10 chains to point of commencement, and containing 5 acres, more or less.

GOSSE PACKING COMPANY LIMITED.
Applicant.
Per H. Moorehouse.

Dated April 2, 1927.

WATER NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, by and with the advice of His Executive Council, has been pleased to order:

THAT the reservation of the unrecorded waters of Brown's River and McKnight Creek, tributaries of Ecstall River, established pursuant to Order in Council Number 808 approved the 13th day of June, 1921, be cancelled.

The cancellation of the said reservation will be effective on April 19th, 1927.

DATED this 11th day of March, 1927.

T. D. PATTULLO,
Minister of Lands.

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MINSTREL SHOW BY ELKS LODGE

ENJOYABLE ENTERTAINMENT IN WESTHOLME THEATRE LAST NIGHT UNDER AUSPICES OF BROTHER BILLS

Combining harmony and uproariousness in a mirth-provoking manner, the Elks minstrel show in the Westholme Theatre last night provided entertainment of substantial and adequate quantity and quality for a large audience which attended the Westholme Theatre for the occasion. There were few if any defects and an acceptable evening's program from the group of blackface comedians went over well. The event was quite in keeping with previous affairs of such nature under the auspices of the Brother Bills.

The curtain went up shortly after eight o'clock and the program opened with the singing of "O Canada." There was an opening chorus of campus songs by the company and the entertainment was then given over to a typical minstrel depiction. At 10.30, the event was over, the audience having been provided with a concert that was long enough to satisfy yet not drawn out enough to tire.

W. S. Fisher made a capable interlocutor and, most prominent in the circle, of course, were the four gaudily garbed end men—Pat Downey, who had the heaviest role of antics and conversation; Jack Cobb, in second part, and Joe Ratchford and Mike Budinich as tambos. There were ample choruses and patter and solo parts were as follows:

"Take in the Sun, Hang out the Moon," Ralph Smith.

"Because I Love You," A. Robertson.

"I'm Looking for a Four Leaf Clover," George Mitchell.

"It Made You Happy When You Made Me Cry," Mac Smith.

"Don't Sing Aloha When I Go," John Sims.

"Lonesome, That's All," E. Sabourin.

"A Little Bird Told Me So," H. Walters.

"The Hoo Doo," J. S. Wilson.

"I'm Gonna Let the Bumblee Bee," Jack Cobb.

Completing the circle were Bert Morgan, W. E. Williscroft, Cliff Cameron, Bartlett Wakefield, Leo Contoli and Poli Howard.

AUGMENTED ORCHESTRA

Music was furnished by an orchestra consisting of Charles Balagno, director; W. Balagno, W. F. Browne, Kenny Rood, R. Arthur Jr. and R. Greenfield. The members of the orchestra were also also gaudily dressed and wore black face.

The program was under the direction of Charles Balagno and Eugene Sabourin. The committee in charge of arrangements consisted of Bert Morgan, Frank Dibb, W. D. Vance and W. E. Williscroft.

W. D. Vance and Frank Dibb were in charge of the ticket office and ushers were W. Hearst, Bert Glassey, Eddie Clapp, Gunnar Anderson, Kenny McQuaig and S. J. Evans.

After the show, the minstrel troup was entertained at a dinner and dance in the Commodore Cafe by the Elks Lodge. Music was provided by the show orchestra and, according to those present, the event broke up all too soon.

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EVERYONE IN FRANCE LIABLE

NOT ONLY INDIVIDUALS BUT COMPANIES AND ORGANIZATIONS MAY BE CALLED UPON UNDER DEFENCE SCHEME

PARIS, April 14.—(Canadian Press.)—The most elaborate and logically complete scheme of national defence designed by any country since the war, is that formulated and already passing through the French Chamber of Deputies. The first of a series of measures constituting the whole plan, has already been passed.

The main principle of the bill is that in time of war every individual, every company and every organibation is liable to take a share in defence of the country or in maintainenance of its material and moral life.

Every part of the scheme has been planned by the political and military experts of France to take full account of the lessons of the war.

Drastic and clearly defined powers are given to the Government to mobilize all the national resources of any kind, personal and material, industrial and commercial, so that as little as possible will be left to wartime improvisation. The same measure authorizes the construction of frontier defences, including the building of light railways and preparations against air attacks. In completion of the scheme of national defence three other bills provide for the reorganization of the French Army system from top to bottom. These three Bills— a Bill for the General Organization of the Army, a Bill for Cadres and Effectives, and a Recruiting Bill—are already formally before Parliament.

The Bill defines the respective powers of the Government and the military commanders, leaving to the former the choice of general aims and to the latter the authority.

NO PROFIT-MAKING

The most controversial part of the Bill is the power given to the Government in war time to requisition not only works, buildings, and supplies but the services of persons, corporations, trade unions, and all other groupings. If supplies or properties are bought outright, only the cost price is to be paid for them. If works are taken under control but not bought, the indemnity paid to the owners is only to be the interest on the capital, plus an allowance for wear and tear. The most drastic provision of all, however, is the absolute prohibition of profit-making. This rule applies whether the things necessary for the national defence are obtained by voluntary contract or by requisition.

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GOSSE PACKING COMPANY LIMITED.
Applicant.
Per H. Moorehouse.

Dated 2nd April, 1927.

NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 28 of the "Mineral Act," notice is hereby given Messrs. Malcolm Smyth, Edmund Langis, Harold Hansen and Albert Moore, that there is owing o the undersigned for Assessment Work performed on the Cordilla Group of Mineral Claims, Princess Royal Island, Skeena Mining Division, the sum of $393.88, and that unless said persons pay their proportionate share of the cost of such Assessment, together with all costs of advertising, etc., to the undersigned at Butedale, B.C., on or before May 12, 1927, application will be made to the Gold Commissioner, Prince Rupert, B.C., o have their respective interests in the erein mentioned Mining Group of Mineral Claims vested in the undersigned.

DAVID CORDILLA.
JACOB KOSKI

IN PROBATE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Administration Act; and
In the Matter of the Estate of Heinrich Fersch, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, F. McB. Young, the 28th day of March A.D. 1927, I was appointed Administrator (with Will annexed) of the estate of Heinrich Fersch, Deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 30th day of April, A.D. 1927, 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 30th day of March, A.D. 1927.

BANKRUPTCY ACT.

ESTATE OF WM. MORGAN, LOCKEPORT, B.C., AUTHORISED ASSIGNOR

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to and including April 1st on the stock of William Morgan, Assigned, in store at Lockeport, B.C., consisting of Groceries, Hardware, Drugs and Drygoods. Inventory of Stock may be obtained from the undersigned or seen at the said Store or at the Office of the Canadian Credit Men's Trust Association, Vancouver, B.C. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ALEX. A. CONNON, Trustee,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

SOMETHING'S WRONG FAMOUS BOW BELLS

Five Thousand Pounds Needed Before Cheapside Church Will Toll Again

LONDON, April 13.—Something has gone wrong with the best tenor among the famous Bow Bells, at Cheapside. Consequently the bells are now silent awaiting the time when £5,000 can be accumulated to repair them. The rector of St. Mary-le-Bow, Rev. S. G. Ponsonby, is afraid that London will not hear the celebrated chimes again unless the money is forthcoming.

POLICE MEETING IN NELSON SOON

INTERIOR TOWN TO BE HOST IN JUNE TO NORTHWEST SHERIFFS AND POLICE

NELSON, April 14.—Plans for the furtherance of international co-operation in the detection of criminals will be discussed at a convention to be held here June 16, 17 and 18, under the auspices of the Northwest Association of Sheriffs and Police. Expedition of criminal trials is another objective of the conference, which will be attended by expert criminologists from the provinces of Alberta and British Columbia and from nine western states and Alaska.

The organization is the first international crime-fighting body of its kind in the world and has a present membership of more than 500 law enforcement officers. From its inception several years ago new ways and means of co-operative investigation, circumvention, prevention and prosecution of crime and law breakers have been brought about.

By carrying the co-operation and knowledge of officers in large cities to small towns, the association has begun to build up a more expert crime-fighting force wherever its members reside. Co-operation in its work has been given by jurisprudence in Canada and the United States and the Hearst Crime Commission will participate actively in the association's deliberations.

"What," asks a reader of a household editor, "is a good way to eat spinach?" Well, the inquirer might try eating around the sand.

IN PROBATE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Administration Act; and
In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph F. Bowman, Deceased, Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, F. McB. Young, the 24th day of February, A.D. 1927, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph F. Bowman, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 24th day of March, A.D. 1927, 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 24th day of February, A.D. 1927

IN PROBATE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the "Administration Act"; and
In the Matter of the Estate of William George Hughes, Deceased, Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor F. McB. Young, the 4th day of April 1927, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of William George Hughes, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before one month from this date, and all parties indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN ALLEN WATT,
Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Dated the 6th day of April, A.D. 1927.

IN PROBATE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the "Administration Act"; and
In the Matter of the Estate of Paul Gerhard Ludwig, Deceased, Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor F. McB. Young, the 4th day of April, 1927, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of Paul Gerhard Ludwig, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before one month from this date, and all parties indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN ALLEN WATT,
Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Dated the 5th day of April, A.D. 1927.

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