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Good Turnout at Digby Island Yesterday and Program of Sports

In spite of threatening weather and whooping cough epidemic there was a good turn-out of parents and children at the annual picnic of the St. Andrew's Society to Digby yesterday. Boats were loaned by D. Ritchie, D. Stewart, Geo. Fraser, M. MacArthur. The Joybird was also requisitioned to take the picnickers over.

The sports and refreshments were very capably handled by the following committee:

Ben Ferguson, H. Steen, Bert Cameron, Bob Stuart, Jas. Dick, J. S. Black, J. Haddon, Mrs. McRobbie, Mrs. Chas. Taylor, Mrs. J. Murray.

PROGRAM OF SPORTS

Boys 5 and under—1, Billy Brown; 2, Andrew Squarechuk; 3, Napoleon Letourneau.

Girls 5 and under—1, Jean Cameron; 2, Helen Brown.

Boys 7 and under— 1, Peter Squarechuk; 2, H. Davies.

Girls 7 and under—1, Mary Thompson; 2, Kitty Cameron; 3, Sarah Findlayson.

Boys 9 and under—1, Alf. Ritchie; 2, Andrew Letourneau; 3, Jimmie Irvine.

Girls 9 and under—1, Evelyn Lipson; 2, Winnie Cameron; 3, Cathie Findlayson.

Boys 11 and under—1, Donald Arney; 2, Isodore Lipson.

Girls 11 and under—1, Jean Ritchie; 2. Janet Thompson.

Boys 11 and under—1, Martin Hanson; 2, Jas. Wood.

Girls 14 and under—1, Dorothy Leek; 2, Joan Arthur.

Girls 11 and under, special—1, Janet Thompson; 2, Jean Ritchie.

Men's Four-legged Race—1, Messrs. Abbott, Beattie and Irvine.

Men's 100 Yard Dash—1, Bob Irvine; 2, T. Beattie.

Married Ladies' Race—1, Mrs. Bert Cameron; 2, Mrs. S. V. Cox.

Single Ladies' Race—1, Ada Minzaghor; 2. Catherine Irvine.

Fat Men's Race—1, Ben Ferguson.

Ladies' Open Race—1, Ada Minzaghor.

Football Place Kick, Men—George Abbott.

Ditto, Ladies—Mrs. S. V. Cox.

Kiddies' Open Race—1, Jean Cameron; 2, Rosie Cox; 3, Kitty Cameron.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

BELLA COOLA LOCK-UP

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Lock-up at Bella Coola," will be received by the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday the ninth day of August, 1927, for the erection of a standard lock-up building at Bella Coola in the Prince Rupert Electoral District.

Plans, Specification, Contract, and Forms of Tender may be seen on and after the 25th day of July, 1927, and further information obtained at the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings and at the offices of the Government Agent at Vancouver and Prince Rupert.

Copies of plans, specifications, etc., can be obtained from the Department on payment of a deposit of Ten Dollars ($10.00) which will be refunded on return of the plans, etc., in good condition.

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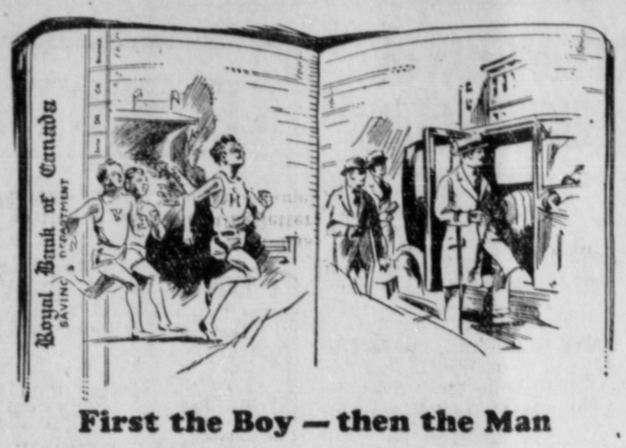

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BETTING TAX IN BRITAIN

(Juneau Empire)

When English sportsmen complained about the provision in the Treasury Budget providing a tax on betting, asserting that betting on horse races and other things was an established sport and that the Government would find itself in trouble if it attempted to stop it. Winston Churchill replied that he was not looking for trouble but for revenue. Englishmen are good sportsmen and accepted the explanation. After more or less annoyance in putting the tax provision into operation the law proved a prolific producer of money for the treasury. Now there is little objection to the announcement that the Chancellor of the Exchequer has decided to extend the scope and application of the law. It is estimated that the new measure will produce from $120,000,000 to $125,000,000 a year in revenues.

This episode is one that is in line with all experjence. People always oppose prohibition of any kind that is applied to old customs affecting the life of the people and freedom of individual choice but they will submit to taxation for the up-keep of the Government taxes and state and municipal licenses increased the cost of liquor at the time of the civil war people did not complain because the revenues from the taxes and fees went to the support of the Government, the building of roads, the maintenance of schools, etc., and there is general acceptance of the idea that luxuries are proper subjects for taaxtion when money is needed. They object to prohibition because it provides an alternative of surrendering individual freedom on the one hand or, on the other, the paying of exhorbitant prices for inferior articles while bootlegging and crooked officials get the profits. In British Columbia, for instance, people are paying without protest $3 to $5 a quart for whiskey that previously cost them $1 to $2 a quart, and less than that a gallon a few decades before, because the additional money is going to the public treasury.

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 J. Kyle, Deceased, Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, F. McB. Young, the 24th day of June, A.D., 1927, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of William J. Kyle, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 25th day of July, 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 25th day of June, 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 John Seiffert Berndgen, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge F. McB. Young, the 6th day of July, A.D. 1927, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of John Seiffert Berndgen, Deceased, and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 6th day of August, 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.

NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of an application for the issue of a Provisional Certificate of Title for Lot one (1) of Lot three hundred and sixty (360), Range five (5), Coast District, Map 970.

Satisfactory proof of the loss of the Certificate of Title covering the above land having been produced to me, it is my intention to issue, after the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, a Provisional Certificate of Title to the above land, in the name of ALICE CLAPP. The original Certificate of Title is dated the 29th November, 1912, and is numbered 2605 I.

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7,000 BUFFALO NOW IN NORTH

Next Experiment to be With Reindeer; Park to be Photographed

OTTAWA, July 25.—(By Canadian Press.)—The efforts of the Dominion government to conserve the wild life in the northern areas are meeting with success and the Department of the Interior announces that after three years of careful study the transfer of surplus buffalo from Wainwright Park, Alberta, to the Wood Buffalo Park at Fort Smith, also in Alberta, has proved a complete success.

Shipments under way at the present time will bring the total of these monarchs of the plains transferred to their new home to 7,000.

The Department of the Interior which has charge of the Canadian National Parks believes that the devolopment of the natural resources of the northern areas will depend on a robust native population and an abundance of wild life.

REINDEER NEXT

The next step to carry out department plans in respect to the district of Mackenzie where the Buffalo Park has been located has been taken through the appointment of a scientific expedition to determine the possibility of stocking the area with reindeer.

With the successful conclusion of the experiment with the buffalo the Department has completed a unique task Herds were selected at Wainwright and shipped by rail and water to the new location where they were turned loose. Observers travelled constantly over the range to report the progress of the herds in the new environment. They have reported that the animals appear well-conditioned and that their numbers have increased. The park covers an area of 17,300 square miles and rich meadows and protecting woods are numerous. Not a single mile of the vast area has been mapped nor a single mile of survey run, but a partial study of the district is to be made through an aerial expedition.

PARK PHOTOGRAPHED

Two aeroplanes will be utilized and will fly from a base at Cormorant Lake, Northern Manitoba, to two temporary air bases, one at Chipewyan, on Lake Athabaska and the other at Fitzgerald on Slave River. Flights will be made by the two planes on parellel courses six miles apart and the whole district recorded by photograph. The data gathered will be used by the Department in formulating its future policy with regard to wild life.

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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 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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