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APPEAL CASE IS STILL ON

TAXATION COMMISSIONER FOR CANADIAN NATIONAL ON STAND ALL YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

R. R. Nichol assistant taxation commissioner for the Canadian National Railways, gave evidence yesterday afternoon in the appeal case of the railway company from the judgment of the civic court of revision. The evidence of Mr. Nichol was more or less technical and a large number of statistics were submitted dealing with percentages of assessment in various years and the relation of the civic assessment—on other than the company's property—to the assessment of the company's property, since the year 1922 to the present year. One of the main contentions of Mr. Nichol, as presented through these comparisons, was that the assessment of city property had decreased during the past five years whereas the assessment of the company's holdings had increased.

In answer to a question from Mr. Alexander, witness said that he knew of no reason why the property of the railway company should be assessed more in 1927 than in 1922. The number of leases on waterfront property was the same in 1927 as in the year 1922. E. P. Jones, in cross-examining Mr. Nichol, asked as to his information concerning the reported sale of the elevator property by the company to the government. The witness declared that he had no knowledge of the sale and, even if Mr. Jones should read from Hansard the statement of Mr. Robb, the finance minister, it would not satisfy him as evidence of the sale. Counsel then asked, if the amount mentioned had been paid, would witness admit it to be a fair price. Mr. Nichol answered "No." Proceeding along this line, Mr. Jones elicited from the witness that the department of taxation often was asked for the assessed value of certain property, and a request for the assessed valuation of the elevator site, had resulted in the necessary information being given.

WATERFRONT LEASES

The matter of waterfront leases was the subject of numerous questions by Mr. Jones and the witness admitted that there was some difficulty in securing leases due to the position of the company which was in the hands of a receiver. It had apparently been the policy of the company, however, not to sell any of its waterfront property. The city solicitor then questioned the witness as to how he arrived at the value of the company's property when there were no sales made, and also asked how he, a resident of Winnipeg, was able to give an opinion on the value of property in Prince Rupert. The answer of Mr. Nichols related how he had spent some considerable time in the city and had gone over the property very thoroughly. There were many things to be taken into consideration in arriving at a valuation, which was possible even though there were no sales.

G. H. Arnold, of this city, was the next witness for the railway company and, in answering counsel, gave his valuation of the various parcels of land along the waterfront, including the foreshore, from where the railway enters the city up to the land occupied by the salmon dock. The land was divided into waterfront property, right of way, graded acreage and ungraded acreage, and Mr. Arnold sought to give a valuation to the various descriptions. He was proceeding with his testimony when court adjourned at 5 o'clock until 10 this morning.

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PACIFIC GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY

TENDER

Sealed Tenders endorsed "Tender for Steamers" will be received by the undersigned up to noon Thursday, March 31, 1927, at the offices of the Company, 579 Dunsmuir Street, Vancouver, B.C., for the purchase of the hulls, machinery and equipment of the two steamers "Operator" and "Conveyor," lying on the south side of the Nechako River at Prince George.

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ROB'T. WILSON,
Asst. General Manager.
Vancouver, B.C., February 23, 1927.

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO TO PURCHASE LAND

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on the north shore of the South Arm of Tasoo Harbor, Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, Province of British Columbia.

TAKE NOTICE that James Field, of Prince Rupert, B.C., occupation Marine Broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the north shore of South Arm of Tasoo Harbor, Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, in the Province of British Columbia, about 5 chains from the end of the Government trail; thence 10 chains northeasterly; thence 10 chains northwesterly; thence 10 chains southwesterly; thence 10 chains southeasterly, and containing twenty (20) acres, more or less.

JAMES FIELD,
Applicant.
Dated November 29, 1926.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS

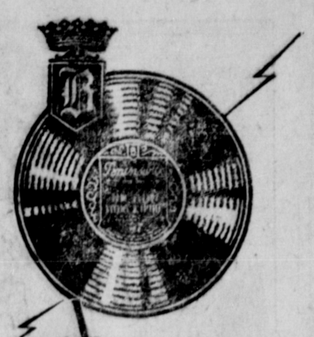
NOTICE

Application for Grazing Permits for the Season of 1927.

Application for permits to graze livestock on the Crown ranges within any grazing district of the Province of British Columbia, must be filed with the District Forester at Fort George, Kamloops, Nelson, Prince Rupert, Vancouver, or Williams Lake on or before March 31st, 1927.

Blank forms upon which to submit applications may be obtained from the District Foresters at the above named places, or from the Department of Lands at Victoria, B.C.

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C.,
January 4, 1927.



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SCHOOL BOARD HAS MEETING

REPORTS OF PRINCIPALS SHOW SATISFACTORY ATTENDANCE — NEW ROOM AT BORDEN STREET

Reports from the principals of the city schools, which were read at the meeting of the school board last night, showed satisfactory attendance in the various rooms for the past month. In a few cases, illness had slightly affected the average attendance but, on the whole, the attendance was good.

Trustee H. B. Rochester, who was re-elected to the chairmanship of the board during his recent absence from the city, thanked the board for the confidence expressed. He had expected that some one else would have been assigned the duties of chairman for the coming year.

The report of Miss Mills for Borden Street school showed an attendance during the month of an even 300 scholars of whom 145 were boys and 155 girls. The average attendance for the month was 94.47 per cent. During the month there had been a gradual increase in the school bank accounts.

There were 40 girls and 25 boys in attendance at Seal Cove school during the month with an average of 90.9 per cent according to the report of Mrs. Lisney, the principal. Slight illness accounted for the poorer percentage.

Principal Hartness, in his report for Booth Memorial School, showed an attendance of 240 boys and 194 girls during the month with an average attendance of 93.10 per cent. Deposits in the children's savings accounts amounted to $112 for the month. In supplementing the written report, Principal Hartness referred to needed improvements in the heating and ventilation plant and also asked the board to consider, in making up its estimates for the year, a small appropriation for the improvement of the school grounds. He referred also to the library which had been assisted by the school.

HIGH SCHOOL

The report of the High School was presented by Principal Thomas Peddie. The total enrollment for the month amounted to 136 of whom 56 were boys and 80 girls. The average attendance for the month was 94.1 per cent. Inspector H. C. Fraser had visited the school from February 1 to February 4 and had made some helpful suggestions to the principal which were very much appreciated. The boys' and girls' athletic clubs had been active and the Literary and Debating Society had held two very keenly contested debates. The latter society was grateful for two addresses delivered during the month — one by D. B. Finn, director of the Fisheries Experimental Station, on Bio-Chemistry and the other by Rev. W. J. Seeds on "Dickens."

The school board discussed informally the need of another room at Borden Street School and it was decided that the whole board would make a visit to the school in the near future and go into the matter carefully before reaching any decision. Miss Mills, who was present, explained the situation but said that she would be able to show the board better when it made the proposed visit.

D. C. McRae, on behalf of the Remington Typewriter Co., made an offer to the board to take back the machines which had been purchased in 1291 and replace them with the latest models. A committee of the board was appointed to consider the proposition and take whatever action it might consider advisable.

MODERN FAMILY CLASH PORTRAYED IN "PADLOCKED"

Dwan Film Presents Timely Theme With Broadway and Society Backgrounds

Realistically picturing the clash between the old and the new generation, "Padlocked," Allan Dwan's latest Paramount production, opens at the Westholme Theatre tonight.

The picture, aside from its excellent entertainment qualities, is a moving and powerful plea for tolerance and sympathetic understanding on the part of the older folk in their relation to modern youth.

Readers of the Cosmopolitan Magazine will recall the story by Rex Beach which appeared serially some months ago. It is a story of what is happening today in thousands of homes where parents and children look at life from different points of view. Edith Gilbert is a shining example of the modern, freedom-loving American girl, who resents her narrow-minded father's efforts to "padlock" her soul, stifle her ambitions and repress her innocent pleasures.

When his intolerance finally leads to her mother's accidental death, the girl runs away from home to become a cabaret dancer in New York. Her exciting adventures midst the gay night life of Broadway and the millionaire society atmosphere of Long Island is vividly and brilliantly portrayed. The manner in which the elder Gilbert is brought to a startling realization of his injustice to his daughter, their subsequent reunion and the girl's romance with a young scion of wealth brings the picture to a stirring climax and a happy ending.

Lois Moran who jumped into the limelight via "Stella Dallas," gives a memorable performance as the modern daughter; Noah Beery handles the exacting role of the bigoted father in his usually deft fashion; and Louis Dresser adds to her laurels with her effective delineation of a woman with a past.

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SUCCESSFUL BASKET SOCIAL WAS HELD

A basket social held last night in Rupert East United Church was well attended and proved a very enjoyable affair.

Rev. Evan Baker was chairman and there was community singing under the leadership of W. Howarth who also sang solos as well as Meth Davies.

Robert Wilson was the winner of a hat trimming contest for men and Miss Muriel Brewerton and W. Howarth won the prizes for a threading the needle contest.

Mrs. Robert Wilson was accompanist for the evening while T. Ross Mackay acted as auctioneer and Andrew Murray as cashier.

Committees in charge of the event were as follows:

Entertainment—W. Robinson, R. Wilson and A. J. Squires.

Decorations—Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Beale.

Refreshments — Mrs. W. Robinson, Mrs. A. J. Squires and Robert Wilson.

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., to have their respective interests in the herein mentioned Mining Group of Mineral Claims vested in the undersigned.

DAVID CORDILLA.
JACOB KOSKI.

LAND ACT.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LAND

TAKE NOTICE THAT I, Arthur Robertson, Massett, B.C., occupation Millman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at northeast corner of Lot 1965, Q.C.I. District; thence south fifty chains; thence east forty chains; thence north to shore; thence following highwater mark to point of commencement, containing one hundred acres, more or less.

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