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**Children are Rupert's
Most Valuable Asset.**

The most valuable asset a community has is its children. If there is anything on which money might be spent, perhaps extravagantly, it would be on institutions for caring for the children. Prince Rupert children have been pretty well looked after except in the matter of playgrounds. Now it is proposed to build them a good school alongside a first rate playground. The building will be high class but not extravagant. There will be a distinct saving, however, in having the playground all ready.

Tomorrow the ratepayers will be asked to vote on the bylaw to raise money for the new school building. Only those who own property have the right to vote, but it is hoped that those who have the right will exercise it and will give every consideration to the cause of the children.

**Houses to Rent
Are Very Scarce.**

"Why do you invite people to come to Prince Rupert if you have no accommodation for them when they arrive?" That was the question asked by a lady in the News office yesterday who was looking for a place to live. It was very difficult to find either housekeeping rooms or a house and she and her husband did not like living at a hotel.

The problem of housing is still with us and likely to be for some time to come. Looking at it from the point of view of the inexperienced, it seems as if the rents should be high enough now to make it profitable to build small cottages.

**Fraser Fisheries
Are Depleted.**

The Skeena cannerymen seem to have justice on their side when they ask that the Fisheries Department of the Dominion Government refrain from taking the salmon eggs from the Skeena and use them to restock the Fraser for the benefit chiefly of the American fishermen. The Americans refuse to regulate their fisheries so why should the river be stocked by Canadians at the expense of the Skeena canneries.

If the canneries on the Fraser were regulated there would be no need to come north for eggs. The difficulty is that when passing up the Straits of Juan de Fuca and the adjoining waters the salmon swing over to the American side and are caught in the American traps. There are two or three traps at Sooke, but the number of fish they take is very small compared with what are taken on the American side.

There was a time when the run of fish on the big fourth year up the Fraser was so great that the cannerymen were unable to cope with the business. Now all that is simply a matter of history. The fisheries have been depleted.

There was an occasion a few years ago when the United States Government offered to establish hatcheries on the Fraser. The offer was refused as allowing a foreign nation to establish anything of that sort would be giving them a right in the country which might in later years cause complications. Again and again, however, the Canadian Government has agreed to a system of regulating the fisheries, only to have it turned down by the state of Washington.

**Senate Committee
And Treaty Change.**

The Senate Committee does not see why the United States should do something which is wrong in order that Japan may air her pride in righting it. Japan is very proud and she is anxious to be treated as one of the first class nations of the world. She took Shantung from the Germans and did other useful work during the war. As a reward she asked that Shantung be given her when peace was declared. China was the real owner, however, as the territory had been taken from her when she was powerless to prevent it. The Powers were strong for giving the place to China so Japan then said she would be willing that China should have it as long as Japanese honor was satisfied by handing it first to her, thus giving her the right to act magnanimously and give the territory back to its lawful owner.

China expostulated and as a result started a boycott which is still causing Japan much loss of trade. Now the United States Senate Committee recommends that the camouflage be eliminated and that Japan be allowed to pocket her pride.

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CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

TAKE NOTICE that a vote of the ratepayers will be taken on the following bylaw, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on the 27th day of August, 1919, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.

A BYLAW OF THE CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT TO PROVIDE FOR THE REPAIRS OF CERTAIN PLANE ROADWAYS IN THE CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT, AS HEREIN-AFTER SET OUT, INCLUDING RESURFACING WITH TWO-INCH PLANKING, AND REPAIRS OF SUPERSTRUCTURE WHERE NECESSARY, AND TO CREATE AND SECURE A DEBT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPLETING SUCH WORK AMOUNTING TO THE SUM OF TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000.00).

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that ERNEST A. WOODS has been appointed Returning Officer to take charge of the said vote.

ERNEST A. WOODS,
City Clerk.

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WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert, by resolution passed on the 27th day of August, 1919, has determined to resurface the following plank roadways in the City of Prince Rupert, namely:—

Section Five—Fulton St. and Sub Ave. W.

Section Six—4th Ave. E., Hays Cove Circle and Hays Cove Bridge.

Section Seven—6th Ave. E.

Section Eight—Union St.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose of such resurfacing, it will be necessary to incur a debt to the extent of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00);

AND WHEREAS the City intends to issue Serial Debentures to raise the said sum of \$25,000.00, payable in five (5) years from the date of the coming into effect of this bylaw, and bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum.

AND WHEREAS it will be necessary to raise each year during the period of five (5) years, by special rate, the sum set out in the schedule to this bylaw, for the payment of the principal and interest of said debt.

AND WHEREAS the value of the whole ratable land and improvements and real property of the Municipality, according to the last revised Assessment Roll, being the roll of 1918, is \$21,021,580.00.

AND WHEREAS the whole amount of the debt of the City of Prince Rupert, not including for local improvements and school purposes, is \$860,676.26 which is not twenty (20) per centum of said assessed amount.

AND WHEREAS this bylaw cannot be altered except by the consent of the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. It shall be lawful for the City of Prince Rupert to resurface the plank roadways herein referred to, and also make repairs to the superstructure, where necessary, such work to be executed under the supervision of the City Engineer.

2. For the purpose of paying for the said work hereby authorized it shall be lawful for the said City of Prince Rupert to create a debt to the amount of \$25,000.00 which debt shall be payable in five (5) years from the date when this bylaw takes effect, for which debt Serial Debentures may be issued to be secured as hereinafter mentioned.

3. The Mayor and Treasurer of the City of Prince Rupert may, and they are hereby authorized and instructed to sign, and affix the Seal of the Corporation, to each of the debentures hereby authorized to be issued.

4. The said debentures shall be in denominations of not less than Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) each, and shall be payable at the office of the Bank of Montreal, at Montreal, Canada, or, at the holder's option, at the office of the Bank of Montreal in the city of Toronto, Canada, or New York City, New York U.S.A. or at the City of Prince Rupert, Canada.

5. Each of the said debentures shall bear date the 1st day of September, A.D. 1919, and such debenture shall be accompanied by a coupon or coupons annexed thereto for the interest thereon at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable half yearly on the 1st day of September and the 1st day of March in each year, the first payment to be due on the 1st day of March, A.D. 1920.

6. The said coupons shall be deemed to have been properly executed by each one having written, stamped, printed or lithographed thereon the names of the Mayor and Treasurer of the said City of Prince Rupert. Each coupon shall be numbered with the number of the debenture to which it is attached.

7. All debentures issued under this bylaw shall be numbered consecutively, no matter when issued, beginning with the number One (1).

The principal of the said debenture shall be payable on the 1st day of September in the years and amounts set out in the Schedule to this bylaw.

8. For the payment of the debt hereby authorized and the interest thereon, there shall be raised and levied in each year the sum of the currency of the said debentures, the annual sums set out in the Schedule to this bylaw.

9. The total annual sums for interest and payment of the debt referred to in the preceding section shall be raised and levied in each year during the currency of the said debentures by a rate sufficient therefore on all the ratable land or improvements or real property within the Municipality.

10. The said debentures when issued, sold or hypothecated, and any coupons thereto attached, shall be deemed a valid and binding charge upon the said City of Prince Rupert.

11. The Council may sell the said debentures at less than par if it is found at any time necessary so to do.

12. The amount of debt authorized by this bylaw is subject to consolidation with the amount of any other debt authorized by any other bylaw of the City, and notwithstanding anything herein contained authorizing and directing the issue and sale of debentures for the payment of a debt thereby created, the City of Prince Rupert Consolidated Stock may be issued in the place of said debentures to the amount of such debt. This section shall only apply so far as the Council may be empowered by Statute so to do.

13. This bylaw shall take effect upon the 1st day of September A.D. 1919, but before its final passage shall be submitted to a vote of the ratepayers under the provisions of Section 165 of the Mun-

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Fortnightly.

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MINERAL ACT.**CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS****NOTICE.**

Little Joker, Mineral Hill, Midas, Lookout, Mystery, Midas Lake, Frac, Pass Fractional Mineral Claims, situate in the Portage Canal Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located—On the East Salmon River Valley.

TAKE NOTICE that I, A. H. Green, acting as agent for L. Watkins, F.M.C. No. 16349-C, C. D. Carter, F.M.C. No. 9,588-E, J. M. Martin, F.M.C. No. 5,887-L, H. P. Fetter, F.M.C. No. 5,597-G, H. Carlton, F.M.C. No. 9,598-C, Martin Welch, F.M.C. No. 9,599-C, intend, thirty 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.

I do further take notice that action, under section 53, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 25th day of July, A. D. 1919.