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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF PRINCE RUPERT.

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert J. Wallace, of Atlin, in the County of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, Deceased, who died on the 1st day of April, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an order of His Honour F. McB. Young, Judge of the County Court, dated the 17th day of April, 1924, the undersigned was appointed administrator of the estate of the above-named deceased.

And notice is hereby further given that all persons having claims against the said estate are required to file such claims duly verified under oath, with me on or before the 15th day of August, 1924, after which date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have notice, and I will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim I shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Atlin, B.C., this 20th day of June, 1924.

C. L. MONROE,
Official Administrator.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In Queen Charlotte Island Land District, Recording District of Prince Rupert, B.C., and situate near Tow Hill, Graham Island.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George W. Dowling, of 3682 Cambridge Street, Vancouver, B.C., occupation manufacturer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted near the foot of Tow Hill, east side, thence northerly to low water mark; thence westerly following low water mark 80 chains; thence southerly three chains; thence easterly 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 15 acres, more or less.

GEORGE W. DOWLING,
Applicant.
DAVE RUTTEN, Agent.
Date, June 6, 1924.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester at Prince Rupert up to noon on July 18th, 1924, for the purchase of a quantity of culled Cedar poles at Woodcock and Carnaby, estimated at 22,700 lineal feet. The upset price which is the lowest tender that will be accepted is one quarter cent per lineal foot.

Tenders must be accompanied by certified cheque or money payable to Forest Branch, covering Fifty (50) per cent of the total price bid on total estimated quantity.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Further particulars of District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

RAILWAY TIES.

The Canadian National Railways are in the market to purchase their tie requirements for 1925. Parties wishing to produce ties for the Railway Company should communicate with Mr. W. H. Grant, Tie Agent, Room 8021, Canadian National Express Building, Montreal, Que., on or before August 5th, 1924, and give the following information: The location of the timber from which the ties are to be produced. The kind of timber. Quantity of ties, either sawn or hewn. As far as possible, ties must be produced on Canadian National lines.

LAND ACT.

Atlin Land District. District of Cassiar.

Take Notice that Reginald Brook, of Atlin, occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted one hundred yards to the east of the mouth of Rupert Creek, one mile east of Golden Gate on Tagish Lake, thence south twenty chains, thence west to shore line, thence along shore line to point of commencement.

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EDUCATION PROPOSALS

Rotary Club Delegate Lays Suggestions Before Commissioners at Victoria

VICTORIA, July 22.— Changes in the educational system which will tend to make education in this province more practical and thus better equip young men for the battle of life, were advocated by the Rotary Club, whose president, James Beatty, appeared before the club during their sitting here.

Protests were made by others against the increasing cost of education.

It was agreed that the dignity of labor should be impressed upon pupils by the teachers.

The Rotary Club's proposals were contained in a clear-cut memorandum which ran as follows:

"1. Taxes levied to cover the cost of education are not equitable, falling too heavily upon the land-owner while the holder of tax-free securities, such as, Victory bonds, escapes unscathed.

"2. A small fee levied upon High School students would have a good moral effect in that it would impress them with the value of higher education and the necessity for seriously applying themselves to their work.

"3. Drawing, for the first year in high school should be made optional instead of obligatory as at present, and should be continued in the second year for students who show both the aptitude and talent necessary to derive real profit from it.

"4. As business men generally comment upon the deficiency of those entering offices, in spelling, punctuation and composition, greater attention should be paid in the schools to these subjects."

MAN IN MOON READS HOW OTTAWA MAN ACTS

Gets Sympathetic Feeling From Reading Item in Eastern Paper

The Man in the Moon was wondering yesterday if there was anything in the world really funny and if there was would he ever hear of it or see it. His face was long and drawn so to get in a more complacent mood he turned to the Eastern papers. He looked through the Globe and read a religious editorial and some alleged jokes clipped from other papers. Then he turned to the Fifth Column in the Ottawa Citizen and immediately became interested and a smile expelled the smirk from his face. This is what he read.

"This is one of the nice, sunny days when we'd love to hear somebody say to us on the wire or in person: 'How do you manage to think up all those things you write about?' We'd invite 'em right in.

"We've been sitting at the dear old Underwood for nearly two hours and haven't succeeded in spoiling more than half a sheet of copy paper. But that doesn't mean that our time has been wholly wasted. We have managed to amputate two hangnails—one of them a particularly stubborn specimen, having acted as an antenna for some days with exasperating results — sharpened three lead pencils, filled the back of an envelope with squares ,circles and flying fowl, put a mustache on the face of a pretty lady on the front of a magazine cover, adjusted a rubber band between two desk knobs so that it gives forth a musical sound strongly reminiscent of Hawaiian guitars, cleaned the crystal of a wrist watch, cut a calling card rather cleverly into small bits like a jig saw puzzle, fiddled with a cigar self lighter and received one of the world's worst burns on one of our two available typewriter fingers.

"Genius, somebody said, is perspiration. Or words to that effect. And we're full of genius—no doubt about that."

TIMBER SALE X 6369.

There will be offered for sale at Public Auction, at noon on the 26th day of July, 1924, in the office of the Forest Supervisor at Smithers, the Licence X6369, to cut 42,000 Jackpine Ties on an area situated on parts of Lots 3583 and 3586 and area adjoining, about 4½ miles up Shovel Creek from the Canadian National Railway, Range Five, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

"Provided any one unable to attend the auction in person may submit a sealed tender to be opened at the hour of auction and treated as one bid."

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 6258.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester not later than noon on the 28th day of July, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X 6258, near Watson Bay, Roderick Island, C.R. 3, to cut 500M. T.b.m. of Spruce, Hemlock, Balsam and Cedar Sawlogs.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, or the District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 6371.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 31st day of July, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X 6371, to cut 15,000 Jackpine Ties on an area adjoining Lot 3372, south shore of Bulkley Lake, Range 5, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 6271.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 31st day of July, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X6271, to cut 28,000 Jackpine Ties on an area adjoining the south boundary of Lot 3314, between Perow and Knockholt, Range 5, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 6359.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 31st day of July, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X6359, to cut 17,000 Jackpine Ties on an area situated about 1½ miles north of Canadian National Railway, between Palling and Rose Lake, Range 5, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 6302.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 31st day of July, 1924, for the purchase of License X6302, to cut 107,680 lineal feet of Cedar Poles and Piling on Lot 1929, about five miles across Skeena River from Remo Station, Range 5, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
ANYOX SCHOOL.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for One Room Addition to Anyox School," will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, the 12th day of August, 1924, for the erection of a one room addition to the present four room Schoolhouse at Anyox, in the Atlin Electoral District, B.C.

Plans, Specifications, Contract and Forms of Tender may be seen on and after the 28th day of July, 1924, and further information obtained at the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, and at the offices of the Government Agent, Vancouver; the Government Agent, Anyox; and the Government Agent, Prince Rupert, B.C.

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 their return in good condition.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

P. PHILIP,
Public Works Engineer.
The Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C.,
July 15th, 1924.

PEACE RIVER PEOPLE URGING ACTION ON RAILWAY BE TAKEN

EDMONTON, July 22. — The people of the Peace River district are discussing the matter of cheaper transportation and a direct outlet to the Pacific coast. One of the means taken to bring the matter to public attention was the arranging of a visit to the district by a party of legislators who were given a splendid reception and were much impressed by what they saw of the country.

Pressure is being brought to bear upon Premier Greenfield and his government to secure their co-operation in one or other of the routes to the coast.

RUNNING GUN FIGHT HALIFAX

Two Men and Fifteen-Year-Old Sisters Engage With Police Force

HALIFAX, N.S., July 22.—William Bevis, reputed to be leader of the gang of youthful desperadoes composed two men and their 15-year-old sisters, who waged a twenty-four hour running gun fight through the fashionable districts of Halifax, with the entire police force of the city, was captured by Patrolman Geo. Fox, after having killed one and wounded two police officers in historic Camp Hill cemetery. When he surrendered, Bevis was sitting on a tombstone, his .45 colt revolver in his lap, calmly nursing a wounded left foot.

His greeting was: "I might have shot you, too, but it wasn't worth while. There are too many of you here."

Ends Day-Long Fight

That was somewhat in the nature of an ante-climax, ending as it did a day-long fight during which Officer Clarence Fulton was instantly killed, Officer Stephen Kennedy, Canada's champion hammer thrower, is believed to have been mortally wounded, and hundreds of citizens heavily armed, had joined forces with the police.

The other members of the gang, Wilfrid Slaughtenwhite, 22, his sister Ethel, and Florence Bevis were captured shortly after noon. All three were unarmed.

Pursued by Police

Following the capture of his companions, Bevis broke through the cordon of police thrown about the scene of the early battle in the vicinity of the new Ashburn golf links, and made his way into the city, hotly pursued by the police, in automobiles, mounted and on foot. He was brought to bay in a field off Watt Street by Officer Fulton, who, while endeavoring to grapple with him, received two bullets in the head, dying instantly. Bevis then made his way to Camp Hill cemetery, where he finally gave himself up. Last night he was in the county jail.

Bevis is said to be a ticket-of-leave man from Dorchester. The gun fight started Sunday night, when the gang, carrying loot believed to have been stolen from an unoccupied house, and surprised by Frank Longard, who ordered them off his property, brandished a gun and told him to "mind his business." Longard notified the police, who subsequently captured the stolen booty. Bevis' gang is believed to be the same which recently robbed the residence of the French consul-general, M. Gaboury.

JUDGE SCORES THOSE WHOSE TONGUES HURT

Woman Finds Gossip Follows Her and Gets Sympathy of Court at Halifax

HALIFAX, July 22. — "Mrs. Busybody," to be found in every neighborhood, ready to run with tales that harm, was given a tongue-lashing by Magistrate Cluney in connection with the case of a young woman convicted of being an inmate of a disorderly house. Owing to extenuating circumstances the magistrate let her off with bond and suspended sentence. The magistrate said:

"I understand that you started to make good last winter, and secured employment as a pianist in a moving picture theatre, until some busybody took pains to inform your employer of your past, and did her best to throw you back into the life from which you were trying to escape. This will serve to show you how hard it is for a woman to get up once she is down. It is to the credit of the man that hired you that he did not let the tales of this interfering person make any difference, but continued to give you your chance to make good until such time as he went out of business."

WOMEN'S TALK IDLE ON JAPANESE PHONES

Statistics Compiled by Bureau Shows How Much Time Wasted

TOKIO, Japan, July 22. — Feminine garrulity is one reason for the inefficiency of the Tokio telephone service, according to an apologia issued recently by the municipal telephone bureau.

The statement says that a large proportion of all calls are by women to women, and moreover when two women are talking much of their conversation is idle. To prove its point the telephone bureau issued detailed statistics, the manner of compiling which it does not explain, to show how much time is wasted in various classes of telephone conversations.

When a woman is talking to a woman, it is claimed, 26.4 per cent of the talk is idle and unnecessary; when a woman calls a man, the waste is 13.8 per cent; when a man calls a woman, it is only 9.7 per cent; when two men talk, 10.6 per cent.

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WATER NOTICE.
(Diversion and Use)

TAKE NOTICE that Hume B. Babington, whose address is Massett, will apply for a licence to take and use 5,000 gallons of water out of an unnamed pond. The water will be diverted from the pond at a point about 200 feet north of the north-east corner of block 40a D.L. 7, plan 946, Queen Charlotte Islands, and will be used for industrial purpose upon the land described as block 19 D.L. 7, plan 946, Queen Charlotte Islands. This notice was posted on the ground on the 19th day of May, 1924. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within fifty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is May 26th, 1924.

H. B. BABINGTON, Applicant.

IN PROBATE.
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Administration Act; and
In the Matter of the Estate of Donald J. McDiarmid, Deceased; Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor F. McB. Young, made this 3rd day of July, A.D. 1924, I was appointed Acting Administrator of the estate of Donald John MacDiarmid, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 8th day of August, A.D. 1924, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

WALTER GALE,
Acting Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.
Dated this 8th day of July, 1924.

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