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MAYOR AND CHIEF RUM RUNNERS

N.J. OFFICIALS GUILTY OF LIQUOR VIOLATIONS; OTHERS ARE IN PLOT

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Mayor Henry Weissel, of Edgewater, N.J.; his chief of police, James A. Dinan, and two Edgewater detectives, Alexander F. Flannery and Edward Pickering, and four others, today face possible penitentiary sentences for their part in the $2,000,000 rum-running conspiracy of the steamship Eker. They will be sentenced this week.

They were among the fourteen persons found guilty of conspiracy to dispose of smuggled merchandise. The maximum penalty is two years' imprisonment and $10,000 fine.

Ten fellow conspirators were already sentenced.

Edward A. Ritz, customs inspector, of Union City, N.J., one year and one day at the federal penitentiary, Atlanta, Ga.

Paul Demontreaux and James Baldwin, of the Edgewater boat repair shop, a year and a day in Atlanta.

Eustace R. Smith, also of the boat repair shop, $1,000 fine.

Six members of the Eker's crew were given a sentence of one year and one day in Atlanta, provided they are in the country June 1, when their sentences begin.

The steamship Eker was seized in the Hudson River off Yonkers, N.Y., last April, and a memorandum book said to contain the names of Edgewater officials was found on board. Investigation revealed that $43,000 in bribes had been paid for the privilege of landing liquor in an Edgewater boat repair yard.

Dewitt Turner, of Chicago, one of four men who turned state's evidence, testified he paid Mayor Weissel $22,500, four hundred cases of whiskey and five cases of alcohol.

SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST CHINESE

OTTAWA, Feb. 10—Five local Chinese laundrymen were committed for trial in police court today on serious charges against white school girls. The accused are: Mark Kwong, 20; Wong Wee, 50; Joe Yoe, 25; Lin Wong, 58; Yee Li, 19.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT."

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on the 10th day of February next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a licence in respect of premises being part of the building known as Seal Cove Hotel, situate at the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, upon the lands described as all that portion of Waterfront Block "I," Bay of Prince Rupert, City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, Map 923, Prince Rupert Land Registration District, and being more particularly described as follows:

"Commencing at a point which lies in a straight line of bearing north 69 deg. 28' 8" east a distance of 767.20 feet from the centre of circle as shown on said Plan 923, Section 7, thence south 6 deg. 35' 25" east a distance of 60 feet to a point, thence north 83 deg. 24' 35" east a distance of 100 feet to a point, thence north 6 deg. 35' 25" west a distance of 60 feet to a point, thence south 83 deg. 24' 35" west a distance of 100 feet to the point of commencement."

for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

DATED this 12th day of January, 1927.

H. A. DODD,
Applicant.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 1st day of February next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a licence in respect to premises being part of the building known as Central Hotel, situated at the corner of First and Seventh Streets, in the City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12), Thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14), in Block Ten (10), Section One (1), City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, according to a registered map or plan deposited in the Land Registry Office at the City of Prince Rupert aforesaid and numbered 923, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 3rd day of January, 1927.

CORA E. BLACK,
Applicant.

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO TO LEASE LAND

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on the north shore of Crescent Inlet, Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, in the Province of British Columbia, and being about one and a half miles from the head of the Inlet.

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

Commencing at a post planted on the north shore of Crescent Inlet, about one and a half miles from the head of the Inlet; thence northwesterly 20 chains; thence southwesterly 20 chains; thence southeasterly 20 chains; thence northeasterly 20 chains, and containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

JAMES FIELD,
Applicant.

Dated November 27, 1926.

MINERAL ACT

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS NOTICE

Juanita, Anyox, Granby, Alamo, Rodeo, Pinto, Wann Fractional No. 2, and Monte Fractional Mineral Claims, situate in the Atlin Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located:—On Wann River, Taku Arm of Tagish Lake.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Charles V. Bob, Free Miner's Certificate No. 89768, intend, sixty 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.

And further take notice that action, under section 86, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

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LADIES' MUSIC CLUB MEETING YESTERDAY

Instructive Program on "Modern Polish Composers" Rendered at Home of Mrs. William Millar

The Ladies' Music Club met yesterday afternon at the home of Mrs. William Millar, 344 Sixth Avenue East, the subject of study for the day being "Modern Polish Composers" upon which Mrs. R. Moore read a paper. The program also included the following items:

Orchestra selection, "Minuet" (Paderewski), Ladies' Orchestra.

Piano solo, "Polish National Anthem," (S. de Pastresebski), Mrs. R. Moore.

Vocal solo, "Maiden's Wish," (Chopin) Miss Josephine Charlebois.

Piano solo, "Prelude, Opus 28," (Chopin), Mrs. R. Moore.

Vocal solo, "In Spring" "Chopin), Mrs. J. J. Muldoon.

Piano solo, "Cradle Song," (Ilyinski), Mrs. E. W. Marentette.

Violin solo, "Polish Dance," "Scharwenka), Mrs. G. A. Woodland.

Vocal solo, "Kinder-Kinder" (Laszlo Schwartz), Mrs. C. E. Cullin.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

FEBRUARY 10, 1917

J. M. Carmichael, who is leaving soon for Hamilton, Ontario, was the guest of honor at a social evening last night in St. Andrew's rooms.

The trawler George Foster has returned from the halibut banks covered with ice after one of the hardest trips on record. The vessel was absent from port for over a fortnight but only had a small catch of fish.

Lieut. E. Evans was in the city yesterday recruiting for the Canadian Engineers.

Len Bell has left for Winnipeg to attend an engineers' convention.

Herring are reported in the harbor by local fishermen, although the quantity taken so far is small.

G. R. Fisher, a returned soldier has been appointed game warden at McBride.

Captain H. B. Babington has left for the south to arrange for a cannery to be constructed on the Queen Charlotte Islands.

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CAMPAIGN IS WARMING UP

AGRICULTURAL QUESTION TO INFLUENCE SELECTION OF U.S. PRESIDENTAL CANDIDATES

CONVENTIONS IN WEST?

Republicans and Democrats Both Doing Spade Work

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Things are beginning to stir with reference to the presidential campaign next year. While it seems but a little time since the campaign of 1924, the fact is the presidential campaign of 1928 will be well under way a year hence and the first presidential primaries will be held only a little more than a year from now. Of course, the presidential candidates and aspirants, and they are numerous, are not letting any grass grow under their feet in such circumstances.

Practically all of them are busy in a quiet way laying lines in the direction of votes for their nomination in national convention.

One of the interesting questions is where the democrats will hold their convention. New York, since the debacle of 1924, is out of the zone of consideration. No other eastern city is seriously considered, though Baltimore, where Wodrow Wilson was nominated in 1912, might have a chance if it put in a formal invitation.

Indications are the 1928 campaign will resolve itself, in part at least, to a great fight for the control of the agricultural middle west and northwest. That region may hold the balance of power as to nomination and election. That being the case, the democratic convention is quite likely to go to some of the middle western cities and a number of them, including Des Moines, Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis, Cleveland, Detroit, Louisville and Denver are seeking it. Others may get into the race and probably will.

WOULD LIKE FRISCO

Many democrats would like — for reasons of entertainment—to go to San Francisco. It will have support in the national committee. Atlanta wants the democratic convention and there is a possibility that "Al" Smith vote will support that city because of a desire to be "solid" with the south. On the whole, however, it looks like the democrats would choose a middle west city.

By the same token, it is probable the republicans, out of a desire to control the agricultural west, will choose a middle western city.

President Coolidge is opposed to the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, wanted by the corn belt. But he is said to be anxious to compromise with the corn belt and have some bill passed, less radical than the McNary-Haugen bill, which will allay the farm agitation. It is generally felt here — though denied by some of his friends—that the President is an active candidate for another term. If so, he will want and seek the support of the middle west. So will any of the republican aspirants opposed to him, such as Lowden, Watson, Borah, Willis and Capper.

Thus the indications are now that both the great national conventions will go to the middle west and that locating of the conventions there will presage a great struggle for the political support of the middle west, with especial reference to the agricultural vote.

TRAPPERS' WAR CAUSES FIRES

Rangers Give Reasons for Making These Serious Allegations in Alberta

EDMONTON, Feb. 10.—Ugly rumors that "a trappers' war" has been responsible for the many serious forest fires in the north during past season, were confirmed by a number of trappers in the city, in to dispose of the first part of their season's catch of fur.

The men, all of whom are old timers in the Alberta wilderness, are frankly pessimistic. With large numbers of "greenhorn" trappers crowding into the woods every fall with a "stake" made in the harvest fields, the old timers say that fire is the only way to get rid of the claim jumpers who are pressing in on their reserves.

Crowded as Jasper

"These fellows make $100 or so in the fall; get a few traps, a gun and some shells and groceries and crowd into the woods for a holiday. The result is that the woods are getting about as crowded as Jasper Avenue during a rush hour," said a grizzled veteran of the trails bitterly condemning the present system. "Any man who has $2 to pay for a license is able to come in on our lines, and we have no legal redress," he added.

He pointed out these drifters have no interest in the woods. They are the men who are responsible for the destruction of the beaver—the best fire rangers the government ever had. When every creek was dammed at frequent intervals by these busy forest engineers, there were many lakes and ponds, all of which acted as natural fireguards. The new kind of trapper doesn't care about what will be there next year. He just comes along and blows up or breaks open the beaver houses, and kills off the whole colony. This was the gist of the trappers' complaints.

MORE TROUBLE EXPECTED

Next year, they darkly hinted, there will be likely more forest fires, lots of them deliberately set to scare the new comers, or started in a spirit of revenge by some disgruntled old-timer who has been compelled to pull out of his old territory as a result of the lawlessness of the "greenhorns."

Col. R. H. Palmer, D.S.O., chief fire ranger, admits his rangers have reported that many of the trappers have hinted to them that such a state of affairs exists.

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Halibut, lb.	25c
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Smoked kippers, lb.	15c
Kippered salmon, lb.	25c
Smoked black cod, lb.	22½c
Finnan haddies, lb.	20c
Salt mackerel, lb.	25c
Eastern salt herring, 2 for	25c
Salt codfish fillets, lb.	30c
Boneless salt cod bricks, lb.	25c
MEATS	
Fowl, No. 1, lb.	35c
Roasting chicken, lb.	45c
Ham, sliced, first grade	60c
Ham, whole, first grade	45c
Ham, picnic, lb.	22½c
Cottage rolls, lb.	35c
Bacon, back, sliced	50c
Bacon, side	45c to 60c
Pork, dry salt	35c
Ayrshire bacon, lb.	40c
Veal, shoulder	25c

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LAND ACT

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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.

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.

Located this 30th day of December, 1926.

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Beef, roast, prime rib	30c
Lamb, chops	50c
Lamb, shoulder	35c
Mutton, leg	40c
Lamb, leg	48c
Mutton, chops	40c
Mutton shoulder	30c
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