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DISCOVERY DAY CELEBRATION AT DAWSON WAS A GRAND SUCCESS.

Favoured by a cloudless sky and brilliant sunshine the time-honoured "Discovery Day" celebration staged by the Yukon Order of Pioneers was a grand success according to a report appearing in a recent issue of the Dawson News. There was a colorful parade headed by the old sourdoughs some of whom have never been "Outside" since they first entered the Territory. Following the Pioneers were the Dawson Wolf Cubs in full uniform under command of Corporal Ken Bond and then the snappy uniformed Girl Guides and Brownies under the respective commands of Miss Elaine Fraser and Miss Jean Jeff. Decorated floats, cars and trucks brought up the rear. Ball games and speeches followed, the 47th anniversary of the discovery of gold in the Klondike being brought to a close with a dance. One of the high-lights of the celebration was the presentation made by Mrs. George Black, on behalf of the people of Dawson, to Mrs. F. H. Osborn Snr., O. B. E., at a testimony of their appreciation of Mrs. Osborn's active interest in community affairs over a long period of years.

KING BORIS OF BULGARIA DIED SATURDAY UNDER VERY MYSTERIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES.

King Boris of Bulgaria died Saturday under what are reported as "mysterious circumstances" at the age of 49 years. He had been seriously ill three days and specialists had been attending him at Sophia. Anti-German riots are stated to be taking place in Bulgaria demanding that Premier Filov step out to make way for a move toward peace. The new King, Simeon II, is only 6 years old a regency is to be named immediately.

U. S. LIBERALS' TRIBUTE TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

Wisconsin, birthplace of Republican and Progressive parties, is organizing a new group under the title of Liberal Voters' Unity League.

The purpose for which the league is being organized is stated to be for a continuation of President Roosevelt's leadership until this war is concluded and victory for the United Nations has been effectively secured. The organizers declare "that an interruption of this leadership would disrupt the plans and strategy of the leaders of the United Nations and would result in a lack of confidence of the people of the United Nations."

United States and Canadian Officials Participate in Colorful Ceremony as Peace River Bridge is Formally Opened.

Exactly 150 years ago (1793) the great explorer, Sir Alexander Mackenzie, discovered the Peace river when he made his famous trip across Canada. On Monday another historic event was recorded when one of the finest and largest steel bridges on this North American continent, which spans the Peace River 37 miles north of Dawson Creek and forms part of the great Alaska Highway system, was formally opened with an impressive ceremony attended by high ranking military and government officials of the U. S. A. and Canada. At exactly 10 a. m. on that day Senator James G. Scrugham of Nevada and Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works, Province of British Columbia, cut the red, white and blue ribbon. This 2,275 foot bridge, constructed at a cost of \$1,750,000, was covered with bunting for the occasion. A large concourse of soldiers and civilians were in attendance at this memorable event.

The distinguished visitors from the United States of America were Major General Philip D. Fleming, of Washington, D. C., who designed the bridge and is Administrator of the Federal Works Agency, Mr. Thomas M. MacDonald, P.R.A. Administrator of Washington, D. C.; Senator James C. Scrugham of Nevada, chairman of the sub-committee of the U. S. Senate Committee on post roads and post offices; Senator C. Douglas Buck of Delaware and Senator William Langer of North Dakota, both committee members. Accompanying them were Mr. J. S. Bright, Chief of Public Roads Administration for the Northwest district with headquarters at Edmonton and Mr. Frank Andrews, Superintendent for the P. R. A. at Whitehorse. Lt.-Col. Paul Betters, Lt.-Col. J. L. Friedlich and Major Harlow. Local celebrities attending the function were General James A. O'Connor, Col. K. B. Bush, Chief of Staff, Northwest Service Command, Lt. Richard L. Neuberger, aide to General O'Connor and Capt. Bishop, Public Relations Officer N. W. S. C. The Hon. Herbert Anscomb represented the government of British Columbia and Hon. W. A. Fallow that of Alberta. Senator Scrugham dedicated the bridge "to a lasting peace" and said he was sure that this opening ceremony was symbolic of a closer cooperation and friendship between the United States of America and Canada in the future.

Major-General Fleming

Major-General Fleming in his ad-

dress termed the bridge "an important link in the armor of the North American continent. Over it will pass men and material to help make us secure from attack and more quickly bring peace to this war-weary world. Perhaps we may also think of it as one of the keys that will unlock the yet untold wealth of Alaska, that fruitful land which, until yesterday, seemed to many of us, both in Canada and the United States, so remote and inaccessible. New waves of pioneers to settle Alaska and exploit its wealth will count this structure an important milestone along the way." General Fleming paid tribute to the splendid co-operation between the Dufferin Co. of Toronto who built the sub-structure and the John A. Roebling & Sons Co. of Stanton, New Jersey, who built the super-structure. "I think I can say" continued General Fleming "that the gratitude of our two nations goes out today to the workers who labored here. Their comrades on the battle fronts of the world have not toiled more heroically or, at times, under greater hazard, to bring victory to our arms."

Brig.-General O'Connor

It is both an honor and a privilege for me to speak briefly on this historic occasion as the representative of the United States Army. This great bridge across the Peace River fittingly symbolizes the 1,630 mile highway of which it is a part. Beyond the northern tower of the bridge stretches the vast wilderness of the Canadian Northwest, and beyond that the strategic Territory of Alaska; and beyond Alaska lies the immense battleground of the North Pacific Ocean, where inevitably the armed forces of the United Nations will punish the Japanese aggressors. Off to the south, beyond this span's opposite abutment, are Edmonton, Winnipeg, Minneapolis, Chicago, and countless other North American cities where the weapons of democracy are being produced in ever-increasing quantities. The Peace River Bridge, which we dedicate today, may almost be said to be a link between the productive centers of freedom and the battle-front where free men will at last bring the Japanese to book.

It is particularly fitting that today's ceremony should be attended by high officials of the two great countries of the North American Continent. We are honored by the presence of a Cabinet Minister of the Province of British Columbia,

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL H.R.H. PRINCESS ALICE AND RETINUE WILL ARRIVE HERE SHORTLY.

From Ottawa comes the report that His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, the Earl of Athlone, H. R. H. the Princess Alice and their retinue will arrive in Whitehorse shortly. They will be coming north by way of C. P. R. boat from Vancouver to Skagway and thence over the W. P. & Y. R. Whilst in the north they will visit portions of the Alaska Highway between Dawson Creek and Fairbanks.

ALLAN J. McINTOSH COLORFUL SOURDOUGH DIES IN DAWSON.

One of the most colorful sourdoughs of the Yukon, Allan J. McIntosh, passed away suddenly in Dawson last week at the age of 77 years. Born in New Brunswick he came west in 1888 and for several years mined and freighted in the Cariboo country before coming north in the Klondike gold rush.

He was one of the earliest prospectors in the McQuesten and Mayo districts and was in the employ of the old Canadian Klondike Mining Company when the late Joe Boyle was in charge. He was also for a number of years dredge superintendent for the Boyle Company in the Klondike Valley.

In the passing of this hardy pioneer another link with the early days has been severed and his loss will be mourned by all the old-timers who regarded him as one of the finest men ever to come north.

TWO MEN ARRESTED AND FINED FOR OPERATING STILL NEAR TESLIN.

Detachments of the R.C.M.P. from Teslin and Carcross arrested two men for operating a still 33 miles from Teslin on the Norman Road. Investigations were carried out for ten days before the operators were arrested. A truck load of crude alcohol was taken as evidence. The trial was held in the local police court this week before Stipendiary Magistrate J. Aubrey Simmons. The accused were found guilty and fined \$500 each and costs. The maximum penalty for such an offence is \$2000 or twelve months imprisonment or both. It was ascertained that the "home-brew" was disposed of as high as \$17 a bottle.

It is pointed out to truck drivers and others that the purchase of such illicit liquor endangers human life and often is the cause of tragic mishaps on the road.

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might; and in that faith let us to
the end dare to do our duty as we
understand it. —Lincoln.

SEPTEMBER 3, 1943

FORGING AHEAD

Another link in the Alaska High-
way was forged on Monday when
one of the largest steel bridges in
this Dominion across the Peace
river was officially declared open at
a colorful ceremony held on that
day.

Years ago Horace Greeley's advice
was "Go West young man—Go
West." Today westerners are pul-
ling up their stakes and heading
north to take part in the develop-
ment of the last frontier on this
continent. And what a vista they
behold and what opportunities await
them cannot be well over-estimated.
And the trek which will undoubtedly
take place in the not far distant
future will far exceed both in num-
bers and importance that of "The
Days of '98."

In this connection the Alaska
Highway is bound to play an im-
portant if not the major part since it
will be the main artery for trans-
portation by road from all parts of
this continent to the "Golden
North." Future generations will un-
doubtedly admire the foresight, in-
genuity and skill which has made
the construction of the Alaska High-
way possible. Those responsible for
its construction are building better
than they know for by their united
efforts this whole north country
rich in natural resources, will be
made available for development for
generations to come.

The undertaking is a stupendous
one, fraught with many natural dif-
ficulties but man's ingenuity has
long since become accustomed to
surmount such difficulties and today
meet the challenges of nature, with
greater knowledge and skill, better
equipment and administration than
ever before. This is why "the
builders" of such works glory in the
challenges which confront them and
have the greatest satisfaction in
successfully over-coming them.

All honor to General James A.
O'Connor and his officers and staff
of the Northwest Service Command,
to the Post-Whitehorse, the Public
Roads Administration, the U. S. E.
D. and the various large contract-
ing concerns who are carrying
through the work so successfully to
its ultimate completion. They are
performing a yeoman service to the

governments of both Canada and the
United States of America. And
when the highway is eventually
completed, as it undoubtedly will be,
it will ever remain a lasting tribute
to their skill, tenacity, perseverance
and close co-operation which made
possible the completing of one of the
largest engineering projects of its
kind ever to be undertaken on this
continent.

I. O. D. E. NOTES

Prizes at the month I: O: D: E
bridge drive, held last Thursday,
were won by Miss Holt and Mr
Muirhead. The "two of spades" fell
to Mrs. Kerruish. The supper table
was centred by a huge bowl of
gladioli.

On Saturday, August 28, a com-
mittee of our Chapter packed a
large box of good used clothing for
Polish Relief. The Chapter wishes
to thank all who sent garments. In
all, 87 articles valued at \$321 were
packed. Many of these were sal-
aged by the sewing committee from
woollen goods partly destroyed in
the N. C. store. We wish to thank
the N. C. Co. for turning these goods
over to us, and also K. Gertsen, of
the Cascade Cleaners, who dry-
cleaned free of charge many of the
articles sent.

We wish to report that during the
past three months over \$65 has been
collected from the various boxes
scattered about town for cigarette
for our boys overseas. With this
money the Chapter has sent one
thousand cigarettes each month to
all Whitehorse men and women re-
presented in the services abroad, as
well as to the crew of H. M. C. S.
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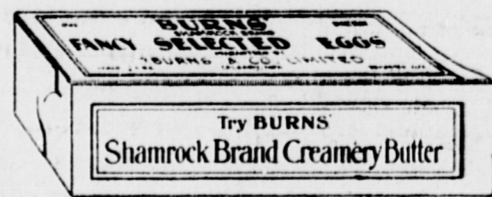
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FORMAL OPENING OF PEACE RIVER BRIDGE

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We also have the pleasure of being host to a delegation of leading businessmen from the great Canadian city of Vancouver. We are similarly honored by the attendance of a committee of distinguished members of the United States Senate, who have come to see for themselves the results of American handiwork, tenacity and resourcefulness.

A wise philosopher once said that history was made subconsciously. I wonder how many of the men, soldiers and civilians alike, whose heroic effort went into this bridge and the road it carries, actually realized that they were participating in events of historic magnitude? Who here can measure the future significance of the first land route to Alaska.

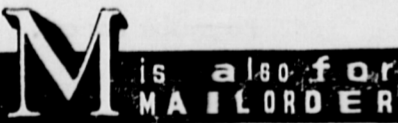
Perhaps this is the beginning of a network of roads penetrating the farthest reaches of the American Northwest. The Highway on which we stand today is a military road. It was authorized under the impact of urgent military necessity. Its two-fold purpose is essentially military in nature—first, to supplement, supply and anchor the air route to Alaska, and, second, to provide an alternative thoroughfare to the North Pacific in case the sea lanes should be lost.

This road accomplishes that twin objective. Yet in the years to come, other objectives will surely be met.



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cognized. Alaska, the Yukon, the Northwest Territories, Northern Alberta and Northern British Columbia—who can estimate the natural resources which those immense domains hold in trust? Across the roof of the world a new artery of travel is in development, an artery which may link us more securely to our allies in Asia and the East.

Before I conclude these brief remarks, let me tell you a few facts about the imposing span we are about to open. The over-all length of the Peace River Bridge is 2,275 feet, nearly half a mile. It is thus one of the great bridges of the Dominion of Canada. The main span, from tower to tower, is 930 feet long. The width of the roadway is 24 feet, ample for a constant flow of two-lane traffic.

This bridge cost \$1,750,000. It was designed by the U. S. Public Roads Administration; the superstructure was built by John Roebling & Sons, and the smaller substructure was the product of the Dufferin Company of Canada. Construction was started in November of last year. Construction was carried on throughout last winter, when the temperature often dropped to 55 degrees below zero. This bridge represents not alone steel and concrete, cable and timber. It also represents human talent, skill, persistence and heroism.

I think we may safely predict that this line on the Peace River Bridge, where soon the dedicatory ribbon will be severed, is an historic threshold in the development of our Continent. And I believe we all owe prayer and thanks to God for making possible this advanced stage in our task. We pray to Him that this great bridge, spanning one of Canada's mighty rivers, will prove of use and benefit to mankind—now, in the stern job before us, and later in the peace to come.

Col. K. B. Bush

I would be remiss if I did not open this program with a brief message of appreciation to the men, soldiers and civilians, whose efforts have made possible this magnificent structure over one of Canada's great rivers. It is their achievement which we honor today. The ceremony about to begin is merely symbolic of what they have accomplished.

I also want to thank the distinguished visitors of both Canada and the United States who have come long distances to attend this dedication of the Peace River Bridge. Their presence here together is further indication—if such indication were needed—of the solidarity and Good Neighborliness of our two nations.

The dedication of this imposing bridge marks a new era in the development of the Far Northwest. I believe it deserves to rank with that historic morning 45 years ago when Inspector O'Brien of the old Northwest Mounted Police led northward through this very region the detachment of scarlet-coated men who were to bring law and order to the Yukon.

In concluding these introductory remarks, I want to express the gratitude of the Northwest Service Command to the men and women of this section of Canada who have co-



WORSE THAN BOMBS . . .

A SERIOUS forest fire in the British Columbia woods this summer would be worse than a few bombs dropped from enemy aircraft.

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. . . because it would be unnecessary waste of natural resources and of man-power.

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Forest Branch
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B. C.,

Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister.

operated so whole-heartedly in the many undertakings for our joint defense and security which have been started here.

UNREST SWEEPS THROUGHOUT DENMARK.

STOCKHOLM.—A rising wave of disorders and sabotage continued to sweep Denmark as an extraordinary session of the country's five political parties was called to meet at Copenhagen, apparently to consider major changes in government policy re-

garding the German occupation and a possible switch of government leaders.

A traveler just back from Denmark said clashes occurred between Danes and German soldiers in Odense and a railroad line transporting important war supplies for shipment to Norway was dynamited in several places between Flensburg and Aarhus.

Those developments topped a week of minor violence, strikes and unrest.

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B. C. PREMIER WINS GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP FOR THIRD TIME.

Hon. John Hart, Premier of British Columbia, won the Seniors' Northwest Golf Championship for the third time this year. The other two occasions were in 1935 and 1936. This is the first time that any contestant has won for a third time.

DAWSON

From the Dawson News)

Mrs. J. F. MacLennan has returned home from a visit with her two sons outside.

Piercy Powell Territorial Treasurer, has returned to town after spending a short time in Whitehorse where he met many of his old friends.

Mrs. F. H. Osborn Sr., O.B.E. has left by C.P.A. plane to join her daughter, Harriet, in Portland, Oregon, where she will reside for the future.

Walter Mittlehauser of the Stewart river country is in town on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bernier of Gold Run, were in town for the celebration. There are only eight persons now at Gold Run, i. e. the two Bernier brothers and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lamont-

ague, George's brother and Eugene Price.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Colbourne are leaving on a trip to the coast where Mrs. Colbourne will remain until the New Year. Jack expects to be back and "on the job again" in a few week's time.

Mrs. C. H. Chapman and family have arrived home after spending the summer outside. Mrs. Chapman was accompanied on her trip from Whitehorse to Dawson by her sister Mrs. Cronkrite and son Bill.

Bill Carlson and Ivor Norbeck are enjoying a short holiday in town. They arrived from the Snag airport last week to which point they will be returning shortly.

Mrs. C. D. Taylor and daughter, Barbara, arrived recently from Mayo and are the guests of Mrs. Whitney. They expect to be returning to Whitehorse shortly.

Bill Boyle, who has been discharged from the army, is now in Vancouver en route to Mayo.

Born at St. Mary's Hospital on August 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lekich, a son.

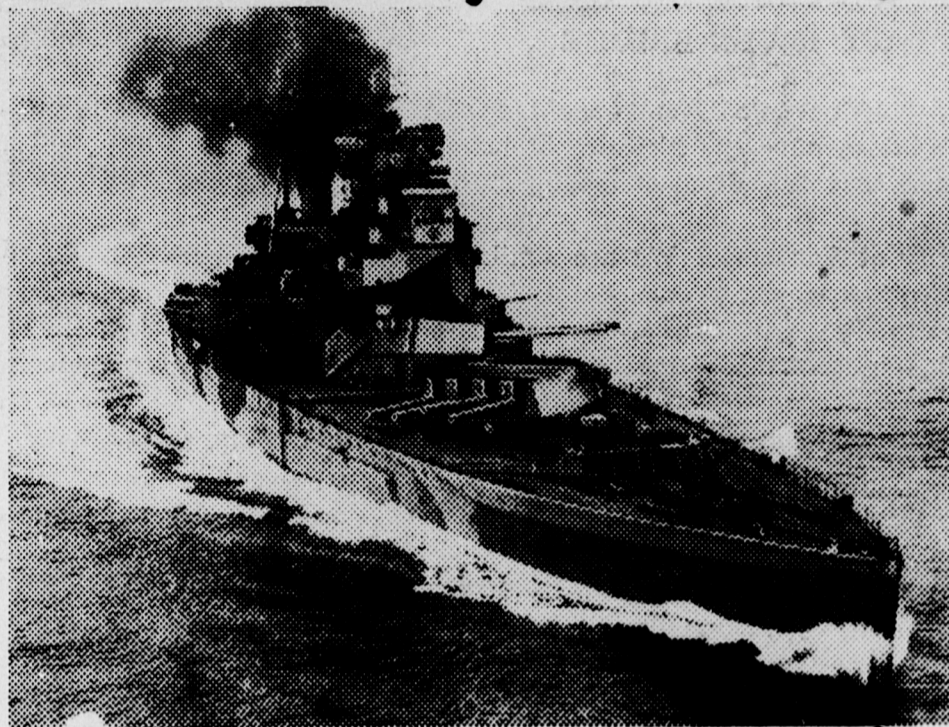
E. E. Hickey was a recent visitor to Whitehorse.

Garnet Brown of Swede Creek is in town securing his winter's supplies.

Fred Morgan, bulldozer operator for the Yukon Consolidated, and his wife and young son have moved to Bear Creek.

Mr. W. E. Thomson, National War Finance Committee organizer for this Territory, arrived in town this week from Vancouver. He left later for Dawson and expects to be back again here in about a fortnight's time. Another Victory Loan is to be launched about the middle of next month.

Snow on the nearby mountains is a sure indication of the approach of winter. However although weather conditions have been anything but satisfactory of late there is still time for an Indian Summer. Here's hoping!



H.M.S. "HCWE", one of Britain's latest and biggest battleships, and one of the most powerful warships afloat. H.M.S. "Howe" has a displacement of 35,000 tons. Her main armament consists of ten 14-inch and sixteen 5.25 guns. She carries four aircraft.

C. C. F. CONFERENCE HELD THIS WEEK-END IN CALGARY.

Delegates of the C. C. F. party from all parts of Canada are holding a conference in Calgary from September 4 to 6 inclusive. M. J. Coldwell, national leader, and E. B. Jolliffe, leader of the Opposition in the Ontario government will be in attendance.

ESTATE OF EMMA RIDDICK DECEASED

ALL PERSONS having any claims against the estate of the above named deceased are required to file the same with the Public Administrator at Dawson on or before the 27th day of November, 1943, supported by statutory declaration, after which date the estate will be distributed, having reference only to claims which have been so filed.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the Public Administrator.

DATED AT DAWSON this 6th day of August, 1943.

C. GRANT, Public Administrator.

ESTATE OF ROBERT RIDDICK DECEASED

ALL PERSONS having any claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are required to file

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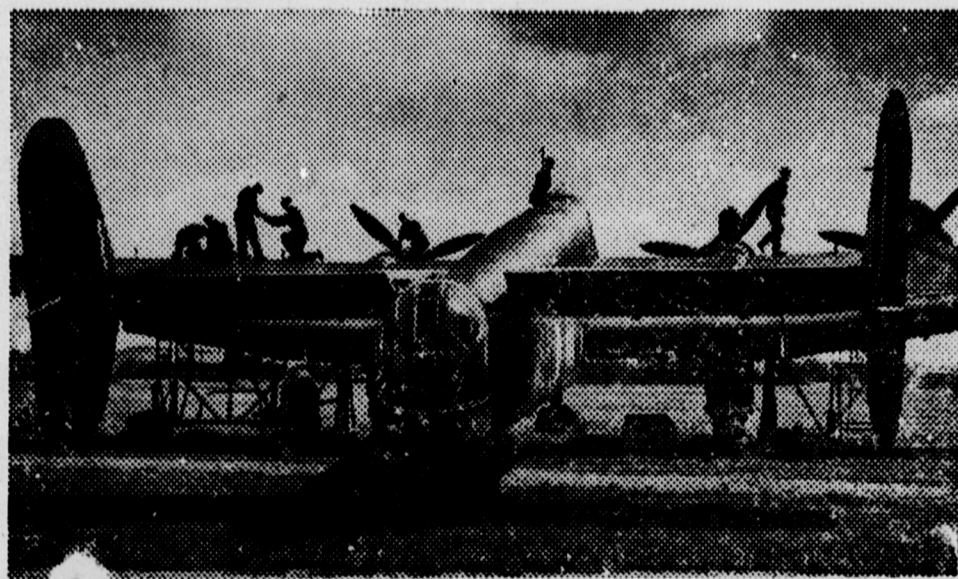
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Synopsis of Mining Law Yukon Territory

Any person eighteen years of age or over shall have the right to enter, locate, prospect and mine upon any lands in the Yukon Territory, whether vested in the Crown or otherwise, for the minerals defined in the Yukon Quartz Mining Act and the Yukon Placer Mining Act, with certain reservations set out in the said Acts.

No person shall enter for mining purposes or shall mine upon lands owned or lawfully occupied by another until adequate security has been furnished to the satisfaction of the Mining Recorder for any loss or damage which may be thereby caused.

Where claims are being located which are situated more than one hundred miles from the Mining Recorder's office, the locators, not less than five in number, are authorized to meet and appoint one of their number as emergency recorder, who shall as soon as possible deliver the application and fees received to the Mining Recorder for the District.

If two or more persons own a claim, each such person shall contribute proportionately to his interest to the work required to be done thereon, and when proven to the Gold Commissioner that he has not done so his interest may be vested in the other co-owners.

The survey of a claim made by a duly qualified Dominion Land Surveyor shall be accepted as defining absolutely the boundaries of the claim surveyed, provided the survey is approved by the proper authority and remains unopposed during the period of advertisement.

A person about to undertake a bona fide prospecting trip may secure from the Mining Recorder written permission to record at his own risk a claim within six months.

A legal post must stand four feet above the ground, squared or faced for the upper eighteen inches and measuring four inches across the faced portion. The post must be firmly fixed in the ground.

Priority of location shall be deemed to convey priority of right. Certain disputes may be heard and determined by a Board of Arbitrators.

Grants of claims grouped or owned by one person may be made renewable on the same date.

PLACER MINING

Creeks means any natural water course having an average width of less than one hundred and fifty feet between its banks.

Creek claims shall not exceed five hundred feet in length, measured along the base line by one thousand

feet on each side of the base line. Other claims shall not exceed five hundred feet in length by one thousand feet in depth. Claims shall be as nearly as possible rectangular in form and shall be marked by two legal posts, one at each end of the claim, numbered "1" and "2" respectively. Location posts of creek claims shall be placed on the base line, and of all other claims parallel to the base line, and on the side of the claim nearest the creek or river towards which it fronts.

A discoverer shall be entitled to a claim 1,500 feet in length, and a party of two discoverers two claims, each of 1,250 feet in length.

The boundaries of any claim may be enlarged to the size of a claim allowed by the Act, if the enlargement does not interfere with the rights of other persons or terms of any agreement with the crown.

An application for a claim may be filed with the Mining Recorder within ten days after being located if within ten miles of the Recorder's office. One extra day shall be allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction thereof. A claim may be located on Sunday or any public holiday.

Any person having recorded a claim shall not have the right to locate another claim in the valley or basin of same creek within sixty days of locating first claim.

Title

Any person having complied with the provisions of the Act with respect to locating and recording a claim shall be entitled to a grant for one year and shall have the absolute right of renewal from year to year thereafter, provided during each year he does or causes to be done \$200.00 worth of work of the claim, files with the Mining Recorder within fourteen days after the expiration of the claim an affidavit showing a detailed statement of the work, and pays the required renewal fee.

GROUPING

Under certain conditions claims may be grouped and the work required to be performed to entitle the owner or owners to renewals of the several claims grouped may be performed on any one or more of the claims in the grouping. If the claims grouped are owned by more than one person a partnership agreement creating a joint and several liability on the part of all the owners for the joint working of the claims shall be executed and filed with the Mining Recorder.

Taxes and Fees

Royalty at the rate of two and one-half per cent. on the value of all gold shipped from the Yukon Territory shall be paid to the Comptroller.

For grant to a claim for one year \$10.00
For renewal of grant—
If renewed within 14 days after expiry date \$10.00
If after 14 days and within 3 months \$30.00
If after 3 months and within 6 months \$45.00

Registration of any document \$2.00
Recording an abandonment \$2.00
If it affects more than one claim—

For each additional claim \$1.00

Abstract of Title—

For first entry \$2.00

For each additional entry50

For copy of Document—

Up to 200 words \$2.50

For each additional 100 words .50

For grant of water—

For 50 inches or less \$10.00

For 50 to 200 inches \$25.00

For 200 to 1,000 inches \$50.00

For each additional 1,000 inches or fraction thereof \$50.00

QUARTZ MINING

Subject to the boundaries of other claims in good standing at the time of its location, a mining claim shall be rectangular in shape and shall not exceed 1,500 feet in length by 1,500 feet in width.

Every claim shall be marked on the ground by two legal posts, one at each extremity of the location line, numbered "1" and "2" respectively. On the side of No. 1 post facing No. 2 post shall be inscribed the name of the claim, a letter indicating the direction to No. 2 post, the number of feet to the right or left of the location line, the date of location and the name of the locator. On No. 2 post, on the side facing No. 1 post, shall be inscribed the name of the claim, the date of location, and the name of the locator.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of the mining Recorder's office; one additional day shall be allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction thereof.

Adjoining claims not exceeding eight in number may be grouped, the necessary representation work for each claim may then be performed on any one or more of the claims in the group.

Every application for a full claim shall be made on Form "A" and for a Fractional claim on Form "A-1".

No person is entitled to locate more than one claim in the same mining district within twenty days.

The timber on a mineral claim is reserved until the Mining Recorder certifies that the same is required for use in mining operations on the claim. The Commissioner, however, may issue a permit to holders of other claims to remove the timbers for use in their mining operations where other timber is not readily available.

Title

Any person having complied with the provisions of the Act with regard to locating and recording a claim shall be entitled to hold it for one year from the date of the record, and thereafter from year to year, provided during each year he does or causes to be done work on the claim to the value of \$100.00 and shall, within fourteen days after the expiration of the year, satisfy the Mining Recorder that the work has been done, and pay the Certificate of Work fee. One hundred dollars may be paid in lieu of assessment work.

When \$500.00 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, obtain a lease for a term of twenty-one years with the right to renewal for further terms of twenty-one years. Claims located prior to July 7, 1917 may upon fulfilling similar requirements, be Crown Granted.

Leases, renewals of leases, and documents relating to leased claims shall be recorded with the Mining Recorder in triplicate.

Schedule of Fees

Recording every claim \$10.00
For a substitutional record \$10.00
Application for a lease \$10.00
For a certificate of improvements 5.00
If recorded within 14 days after expiry date \$5.00
If after 14 days and within three months \$15.00
If after three months and within six months \$25.00
Recording every certificate of work \$5.00
For a certificate of partnership \$5.00
Recording assignment, abandonment, affidavits, or any other document \$2.50
If document affects more than one claim, for each additional claim \$1.00
For granting period of six months within which to record \$4.00
For an abstract of the record of a claim:
For the first entry \$4.00
For each additional entry50
For copies of any document recorded where same do not exceed three folios \$4.00
Where such copies exceed three folios, 30 cents per folio for every folio over three.
For recording a power of attorney to stake from one person \$4.00
For recording a power of attorney to stake from two persons \$8.00
For recording an assignment or other document relating to a quartz mining lease \$3.00
Rental, whole or fractional mineral claim granted under lease for term of 21 years \$50.00
Rental for renewal term of 21 years \$200.00

Dredging

A lease may be issued for a period of fifteen years for a continuous stretch of river not exceeding ten miles in length giving the exclusive right to dredge for gold, silver and platinum. The lessee must have at least one dredge in operation on the leasehold within three years.

Petroleum and Natural Gas

A lease may be issued for a period of twenty-one years for an area of not to exceed 1,920 acres giving the right to the petroleum and natural gas on the area leased. A rental is charged of 50 cents per acre for the first year and \$1.00 per acre for each subsequent year.

Assay Office

An Assay Office is maintained by the Government at Vancouver, where gold exported from the Territory will be purchased at its full value

G. A. JECKELL,
Controller.

Local Happenings

Sunday has been designated a day of prayer and intercession by royal proclamation.

Monday is Labour Day. All government offices and the Bank will be closed.

Parents are reminded that school re-opens on Tuesday next September 7.

Born at Whitehorse General Hospital, August 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brooks a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt started a well-earned month's vacation Wednesday. We hope they will have an enjoyable holiday and shall expect to see Mr. Burt back at the Post Office later on feeling much benefited by the change and rest from his daily labours.

Classified

WANTED—To rent or buy a sewing machine. Address P. O. Box 42. 35-1.

FOR SALE—16 m.m. Kodak Cine camera, 1.09 lense and projector. Also wood-working set for hobbyist. Skis, shotgun, spring-filled mattress, dishes and other household articles two numerous to mention. Apply Star Office, 1

LOST—August 25 pocket book containing money and valuable papers. Finder keep money if papers are returned to owner. J. W. Roe c/o Metcalfe, Hamilton, K.C. B. Co., Camp No. 1. 35-1

ANYONE interested in the following articles write Jack McKinley c/o Dawson News, Dawson, Y. T.: Cromium Chesterfield Suite, piano floor lamp, magazine table, air-tight heater, 9x12 ft. linoleum, mattress, single bed and mattress, dining room suite, drop leaf table, windows, beaverboard, stove piping two safeties. 35-3

PROSPECTS of natural gas, oil shale, zinc and other base metals. For particulars write Box G. Star Office. 33-3

FOR SALE—Two lots, each 30x100. Apply P. O. Box 23 or Star Office. 30 tf.

FOR SALE—Zeiss-Ikon (2 1/4 x 3 1/4) double extension Film Pack Camera, with Tessar (F.4.5--10.5cm lens) Compur shutter. Included Film-pack holder, ground-glass. Distar telephoto lens, portrait lens, carrying case, and six film-packs. Good condition. \$200.00. Apply Whitehorse Star for further information.

FOR SALE—4-roomed house and lot. For further particulars apply Star Office. 34-tf

CAR FOR SALE—DeLuze 1938 Ford Sedan. Apply Star Office 34-tf

FOR SALE—Heinzman piano in first-class condition. Price \$235. Apply Star Office. 34-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lock and family arrived back home this week from a very pleasant round trip by boat to Dawson.

Rt. Rev. W. A. Geddes, Bishop of Yukon, arrived here this week coming in over the Alaska Highway from the Donjek country.

Mrs. Edna Hill of Regina, Sask., arrived in Whitehorse this week en route to Teslin to visit with her daughter Mrs. Goodey and Constable R. J. Goodey, R.C.M.P.

Nurse O'Neill of the Whitehorse General Hospital left this week for the coast on a two months' vacation trip. We hope she has an enjoyable holiday.

Mr. H. G. Macpherson arrived back home from the coast Wednesday. We are informed that there is an improvement in his health condition. His many friends will be pleased to hear this.

Miss Gudron Erickson left Wednesday accompanied by her mother, for the coast to enroll in the University of British Columbia. All her friends wish her every success and are confident she'll come out "tops."

CARL MILLER APPOINTED FIRE CHIEF—NEW TRUCK AND EQUIPMENT ARRIVES.

Mr. Carl Miller has been appointed fire chief for the town. He will also be in charge of maintenance of roads and sidewalks. A new Seagraves fire truck has arrived. Water pumped from the river, with 2000 ft. of hose, will throw a stream of water 85 feet high. With the aid of auxiliary pumps from the U. S. Army and Dowell Construction Co., water can be pumped from the river right to the airport. This very necessary equipment is a great acquisition to the town.

We are informed that 70,000 ft. of lumber for sidewalks is now in Skagway and upon arrival here will be put in place as and when adequate labour is obtainable.

RUSSIANS EAGER FOR BRITISH-SOVIET-AMERICAN CONFERENCE ON NEW FRONT.

The authoritative political review "War and the Working Class" published in Moscow states that a British - Soviet - American conference called for the avowed purpose of solving the question most important to the Soviet Union—the second front—would be most welcome but must not be "just another conference."

Latest reports from the Quebec conference are to the effect that whilst Prime Minister Winston Churchill and President Roosevelt are well aware of Russian demands for a second front they favour first giving the Allied air force an opportunity to crush Germany by blasting such a path of destruction that land armies may be able to in-

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vade Europe with the fewest possible casualties. This does not imply that a date for an Allied landing has not already been fixed, nor that it may not come sooner than might ordinarily be expected but it is a stern reminder to the German people of the Allied determination to "bomb, burn and destroy" everything in their path as long as the Germans have anything worth powder and shot.

FIRE DESTROYS DAWSON HOME AND STORE.

On August 24 fire broke out at the store and home of A. W. McKinlay in Dawson and completely gutted the premises. Valuable personal effects, including a few hundred dollars in money, were destroyed. No insurance was carried. The fire is believed to have started from a pan of grease left burning on the stove.

THE OLD LOG CHURCH

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—ANGLICAN—

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1943
8.30 a. m.—Holy Communion.

11.00 a. m.—Morning Prayer.

7.30 p. m.—Evening Prayer.

SACRED HEART

Catholic Church

SUNDAY

Low Mass 7 and 8.30 a. m.

High Mass 10 a. m.

Rosar and Benediction 7.30 p.m.

FRIDAY

Rosary and Benediction 7.30 p.m.

SATURDAY

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