

WHEREAS application have been made to me by the undermentioned person for Mining License, to Search for Minerals under the "General Mining Act" and amended Acts, on lands described as follows:

CROWN LAND OFFICE, 16th June, 1897.

FOR LICENSE TO SEARCH.

No.	NAME.	Date of Application.	COUNTY.	SITUATION.	Sq. M.
256	Milledge Vanbuskirk,	8th June, 1897,	Westm'land,	Beginning at S. W. angle of License to Search, No. 204, to John L. Harris, situate on the Maclauchlan Road, north of Moncton, thence running by the magnet East 2½ miles, South 2 miles, West 2½ miles, North 2 miles to beginning,	5

NOTICE of such application is hereby given to the Owners or Assignees of such lands, who may within 30 days from this date prefer claim to me, to have made explorations or actually commenced mining operations thereon, that the Governor in Council will examine into the matter and take action, etc., as provided for by the 138th Section of said Act. Additional particulars as to situations can be obtained on application at this Office.

A. T. DUNN, Surveyor General.

IN THE SUPREME COURT IN EQUITY.

Between Angus Fisher, Plaintiff; and John Fisher, Edgar Rourk, and Martha Ann Rourk, Defendants.

And by Amendment—

Angus Fisher, Plaintiff; and John Fisher, Edgar Rourk, William Thompson and Martha Ann Thompson his wife, David Rourk, Frank Ross Hill, George Ballon and Ida Ballon his wife, Charles Rose and Margaret Rose his wife, Henry Prime and Mattie Prime his wife, and Frank A. Hill, Defendants.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear by affidavit to the satisfaction of me, the undersigned, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court that William Thompson and Martha Ann Thompson his wife, two of the above named defendants, do not reside within the Province, so that they cannot be served with a summons, and that their place of residence cannot be ascertained by the plaintiff, and that the above plaintiff has good prima facie grounds for filing a Bill against the above named defendants, I do hereby order that the said William Thompson and Martha Ann Thompson his wife, two of the above named defendants, on or before the twenty-second day of July next, do enter an appearance in this suit, (if they intend to defend the same), wherein a Bill will be filed against the above named defendants by the above named plaintiff, for the partition of that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate, lying and being at Oven Head, so called, in the Parish of Saint Patrick, County of Charlotte, and more particularly described as follows: Bounded on the North by the Highway road leading from Saint Andrews to Saint John, on the East by lands formerly owned and occupied by the late James Stewart and now occupied in part by Colon Stewart, on the South by the waters of Passamaquoddy Bay, and on the West by a lot of land commonly known as the School lot, containing about two hundred acres, more or less, with all and singular the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining, which said lands and premises were formerly granted by the Crown to one George Fisher, now deceased, and being lot number nine in a Grant under the Great Seal of the Province of New Brunswick, of certain lands in the said Parish of Saint Patrick, made on the seventeenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, unto John Roix, Junior, James Stewart, Junior, and others, and of which said lot or tract of land above described the said George Fisher, late of the Parish of Saint Patrick aforesaid, was seized and possessed absolutely in fee simple, at the time of his death, and the same is now owned by the said Angus Fisher, the above named plaintiff, and the above named defendants, John Fisher, Edgar Rourk, Martha Ann Thompson wife of the defendant William Thompson, Frank Ross Hill, Ida Ballon wife of the defendant George Ballon, Margaret Rose wife of the defendant Charles Rose, and Mattie Prime wife of the defendant Henry Prime, as the children and the legal representatives of the deceased children of the said late George Fisher, deceased, and held by them as tenants in common. The said Martha Ann Thompson, wife of the said William Thompson, being a child of the late Mary Ann Rourk, who was a daughter of the said late George Fisher, who died intestate, she the said Martha Ann Thompson is beneficially entitled unto a portion of the share of the late Mary Ann Rourk in the said lands and premises. And unless such an appearance is so entered, the Bill may be taken pro confesso and a Decree made.

Dated this seventh day of May, A. D. 1897.

FRED. E. BARKER,
Judge Supreme Court.
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M. N. COCKBURN, Plaintiff's Solicitor.

Advertisements for the Gazette are required to be forwarded by Mail to R. W. L. TIBBITS, Queen's Printer, on TUESDAY, in order to be in time for Wednesday's issue.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, 23rd June, 1897.

LICENSES to expire on the 1st August, 1897, for the following Timber Berths, for the purpose of cutting all classes of Lumber, will be sold at this Office, at noon, on Wednesday the 7th day of July next, subject to existing Regulations.

Upset price, \$8.00 per square mile, in addition to Stumpage.
No refund of Mileage.

Not to interfere with any lots of land now actually occupied and improved to the value of forty dollars, nor with any lots which have been approved of under the "Labor Act," within one year previous to the date of License, nor with any lots applied for for which Returns of Survey have been received at this Office previous to the date of application.

All Timber, Logs or other Lumber cut upon Unlicensed Crown Land or which may be cut by any person beyond the limits of his own Berth, shall be seized and forfeited to the use of the Crown; and no Timber or Lumber shall be cut on any Berth applied for until it shall be purchased at Public Auction.

No.	Situation.	Sq. M.	Name.
88	Main N. Br. Jacquet River: North ½ block 2, and N. W. ¼ Bk. 3, Ra. 8,	4½	Nath. McNair.
(2w)			A. T. DUNN, Sur. Gen.

POLAR BALLOON.

IN THE SUMMER of 1897 a balloon may be seen floating in the air. This balloon will convey a party of three Swedish scientists, who have been making explorations towards the North Pole by these means. The Government of Sweden and Norway has requested, that the Explorers may receive all possible assistance. Natives should therefore be told, that the balloon is not a dangerous thing, but merely a mode of conveyance in the air just as a ship is in the water.

Natives should be told to approach the people in it without fear and to give them all the help in their power.

If the balloon is seen only, the natives should be told to communicate the day and hour, the direction and time it was visible, and the direction of the wind.

If the people arrive, having lost the balloon, the natives to be told to give them all possible assistance.

It is requested that the travellers may be supplied with passports and all necessary official documents, the names being:

Mr. Salomon August Andree,.....	aged 43.
Mr. Nils Strindberg,.....	" 25.
Mr. Knut Hjalmar Ferdinand Fränkel,.....	" 27.
or one of those replaced by	
Mr. Gustaf Wilhelm Emanuel Svedenborg,...	" 28.
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DIAMOND DRILL.

THE ATTENTION of the Government having been frequently called to the importance of aiding in developing the Mineral resources of the Province, they have it in contemplation to purchase a Diamond Drill early in the year 1897, for the use of persons who may wish to carry on prospecting operations.

All persons who may require the use of the said Drill are hereby notified that application for the same may be made to the undersigned.

All applications will be filed in the order in which they are received, and considered by the Governor in Council.

Parties using the Drill will pay all expenses of operating the same, and will be subject to such conditions as may be prescribed by the Governor in Council.

A. T. DUNN,
Surveyor General.

CROWN LAND OFFICE,
Fredericton, N. B., 29th August, 1896. tf