

NOTICE OF GRANTING LETTERS PATENT.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That under "The New Brunswick Joint Stock Companies' Act, 1893," and amending Acts, Letters Patent have been issued under the Great Seal of the Province of New Brunswick, bearing date the twentieth day of July, A. D. 1899, incorporating William E. Earle, of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, Publisher and Agent; Andrew Blair, of the same place, Banker; Hazen J. Dick, of the same place, Druggist; George F. Calkin, of the same place, Insurance Agent; Stephen B. Bustin, of the same place, Barrister-at-Law; Frank A. Godsoe, of the same place, Dentist; Ezekiel M. Sipprell, of the same place, Insurance Agent; Frederick C. Godsoe, of the same place, Laundry Proprietor; Hugh H. Hansard, of the same place, Barrister-at-Law; William C. Godsoe, of the same place, Laundry Proprietor; and Joseph J. Porter, of the same place, Barrister-at-Law; for the following purposes:—

To buy, acquire, take over, hold, deal in, keep, dispose of and sell all patents number 56,706 and 57,232 issued by the Government of the Dominion of Canada to one Willis Mitchell, for improvements in smoothing irons and soldering irons respectively, and number 61,695 issued to one Edward Hedges for improvements in flat irons, and all other patent rights, patents of invention, or rights therein of whatever nature, kind and description belonging to or hereafter to be acquired by or belonging to "The Saint John Improvement Company," and to buy, acquire, manufacture or have manufactured, deal in, dispose of and sell the articles, things and inventions so patented or to be patented, with all things necessary therefor and incident thereto.

To buy, acquire, take over, deal in, keep, dispose of and sell all patents, patent rights, patents of invention, or rights therein, of whatever nature, kind and description, issued or to be issued by the Government of the Dominion of Canada to Willis Mitchell or Edward Hedges, (or otherwise acquired by them), and to buy, acquire, manufacture or have manufactured, deal in, dispose of and sell the articles, things and inventions so patented, or to be patented, with all things necessary therefor and incident thereto.

To buy, acquire, take over, hold, deal in, keep, manufacture or have manufactured, sell and dispose of all kinds of patented articles and things, patents, patent rights, patents of invention or rights therein, and all kinds of metals and woods and their products, and all articles and things of practical utility, and generally to do all things necessary therefor and incident thereto.

To buy, acquire, take over, generate, manufacture, hold, deal in, use, sell and dispose of all kinds of gas, gasoline, liquids, electricity and forces for power, lighting, heating and manufacturing purposes.

To buy, acquire, take over, hold, deal in, sell and dispose of shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other Company, (subject to the provisions of the above mentioned Act), chattel leases, instalment agreements, debts, and evidences of debt and choses in action of every nature, kind and description.

To buy, or otherwise acquire, and undertake and carry on all or any part of the business, good will, property or liabilities of any person or persons, corporation or corporations, carrying on any business which this Company is authorized to carry on or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company, when duly authorized to do so by a bye-law confirmed at a general meeting of the said Company.

To enter into any agreement for sharing profits, union of interests, amalgamating or co operating with any person or persons, Company or Companies, carrying on or about to be carrying on any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as to benefit the said Company, when duly authorized so to do by a bye-law confirmed at a general meeting of the said Company.

To buy, or otherwise acquire, possess, build, erect, hold and keep real and personal estate and property requisite for carrying on of the undertaking of the said Company, including mills, factories, workshops, warehouses, storehouses, dwellings, barns, and all other buildings, structures and erections by the said Company or its Directors deemed necessary, expedient and advisable to be bought or built.

To improve, manage, lease, mortgage, hypothecate, alienate, convey and dispose of or otherwise deal with and every part of the property, estate or rights (real or personal) of the said Company upon any terms whatsoever, subject to the said Act, with such other things as are incident thereto; by the name of "EMPIRE HEAT AND LIGHT COMPANY, (Limited)"; with a total Capital Stock of Thirty thousand dollars, divided into six hundred shares of Fifty dollars each.

Dated at the Office of the Provincial Secretary at Fredericton, this twentieth day of July, A. D. 1899.

L. J. TWEEDIE, Provincial Secretary.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That under "The New Brunswick Joint Stock Companies' Act, 1893," and amending Acts, Letters Patent have been issued under the Great Seal of the Province of New Brunswick, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of July, A. D. 1899, incorporating Robert Thomson, of Rothesay, in the County of King's and Province of New Brunswick, Shipowner; John Morris Robinson, of the City of Saint John, in the Province aforesaid, Banker; John Henderson Thomson, of the same place, Shipowner; William Wallace Turnbull, of the same place, Merchant; Percy Walter Thomson, of Rothesay aforesaid, Shipowner; and John Russell Armstrong, of the City of Saint John aforesaid, Barrister; for the purpose of purchasing, building, owning, managing, chartering, controlling and sailing a British Steamer to be known as the "PYDNA," and to do such other acts as are incident thereto, and, if desired, after purchasing and building said Steamer, to sell the same or any part thereof, with such other

things as are incident thereto; by the name of "STEAMSHIP PYDNA COMPANY, (Limited)"; with a total Capital Stock of One hundred and sixty thousand dollars, divided into sixteen hundred shares of One hundred dollars each.

Dated at the Office of the Provincial Secretary, at Fredericton, the twenty-eighth day of July, A. D. 1899.

L. J. TWEEDIE, Provincial Secretary.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Board of Education has made the following Orders in regard to the use of certain text-books in the Public Schools:

READERS.—The First Primer of a new series of Readers to be known as "The New Brunswick Readers," is authorized for use at the opening of the Schools in August, proximo. The Board has also provided for the gradual introduction of the whole of said Series after such intervals in the case of each grade as shall, so far as possible, allow time for the books now in use to be exhausted.

Arrangements have also been made whereby all dealers may, within three months from the date on which notice shall be given of the prescribing of any grade or grades of said Series of Readers, exchange any books of the present Series for others of corresponding grades of the new Series—the dealer in each case to be allowed for the books given in exchange the full price paid by him therefor.

AGRICULTURE.—A text-book entitled "Agriculture," by Charles C. James, M. A., Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, has been authorized for the use of teachers in Grades IX., X. and XI. of the Superior and Grammar Schools.

COPY BOOKS.—McMillan's New Brunswick Vertical Writing Books are authorized for use in all Schools as an option with the present prescribed Series.

J. R. INCH,
Chief Sup. of Education.
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EDUCATION OFFICE, July 21st, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That application will be made by the Applicants hereinafter named, to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, for a Grant of Letters Patent under the Great Seal, according to the provisions of "The New Brunswick Joint Stock Companies' Act, 1893," and amending Acts, incorporating the applicants and such other persons as may hereafter become shareholders in the proposed Company, a body corporate and politic, under the name and for the purposes hereinafter mentioned.

1. The proposed corporate name of the Company is "THE ASHBURN FISHING CLUB."

2. The object for which incorporation is sought is—For the purpose of acquiring by purchase or lease, or otherwise, and selling and disposing of fishing privileges, lands, lakes, streams and premises and fishing rights, houses, buildings and improvements on the ASHBURN LAKE in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, and any other lands, rivers, lakes, streams, waters and fishing privileges and appurtenances within the said Province, and for the purposes of fishing, sporting and recreation, and for the mutual improvement and pleasure thereby of the members of such Company, and such other rights as are incident thereto.

3. The Office or principal place of business is to be in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick.

4. The amount of the Capital Stock of the Company shall be One thousand five hundred dollars, to be divided into twenty shares of Seventy-five dollars each.

5. The names in full, address and calling of each of the applicants are as follows, the first three of whom are to be the first or Provisional Directors of the Company:—

NAME IN FULL.	ADDRESS.	CALLING.
Stephen Sneden deForest,	Saint John, N. B.,	Merchant.
Joseph Thomas Knight,	Saint John, N. B.,	Ship Broker.
Clarence William deForest,	Saint John, N. B.,	Merchant.
Gabriel Wetmore Merriit,	Saint John, N. B.,	Merchant.
John Russell Armstrong,	Saint John, N. B.,	Barrister.

Dated at the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, this twenty-fifth day of July, A. D. 1899.

J. RUSSELL ARMSTRONG,
Solicitor for Applicants.

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ESCHEAT OF MINING LICENSE.

IN the matter of Mining License held between Her Majesty the Queen and Wm. R. Payne and John Ellis, dated 30th December, A. D. 1888, and being No. 68, containing one square mile, more or less, situate on Mill Stream River, in the Parish of Beresford, County of Gloucester.

To William R. Payne and Assignees of John Ellis, Lessees of certain Mining Rights above described:

TAKE NOTICE, that I, the undersigned, A. T. DUNN, Surveyor General of the Province of New Brunswick, hereby give you notice of my intention to apply to the Governor in Council for an Order in Council, for the forfeiture and cancellation of the above mentioned Mining License, on the ground that no minerals have been raised on such license for twelve months continuously, whereby a royalty has accrued to the Crown, and that no royalty has been paid to the Crown on any minerals raised since the granting of said license, or five years thereafter; and take notice, that this application will be heard at the Office of the Surveyor General in Fredericton, on WEDNESDAY the sixteenth day of AUGUST next, at twelve o'clock, noon.

Dated this 12th day of July, A. D. 1899.

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A. T. DUNN,
Surveyor General.