

LEGAL NOTICE

BRITISH AND COLONIAL LAND AND SECURITIES COMPANY, LIMITED.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given that under the First Part of chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, known as "The Companies Act," letters patent have been issued under the Seal of the Secretary of State of Canada, bearing date the 11th day of April, 1913, incorporating James Steller Lovell, Charles Delamere Magee, accountants; William Bain, bookkeeper; Robert Gowans and Joseph Ellis, solicitors' clerks, all of the city of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, for the following purposes, viz.:—(a) To purchase, take on lease or otherwise acquire, to hold, sell or otherwise dispose of property, movable or immovable, land, or any right or interest therein, water powers, power sites, timber limits or licenses, mines, mining rights, mining licenses, quarries, oil wells and products of quarries, and mineral lands and any interest therein; to develop, produce, deal with or otherwise turn to account any lands of the company or any kind of natural or artificial product which may be taken therefrom, and without limiting the generality of the aforesaid words, to mine, raise or otherwise produce minerals of all kinds, and to refine and otherwise treat and make merchantable or otherwise marketable the same; to manufacture or produce timber, lumber, logs, pulp wood or any article made in whole or in part from wood or any product or by-product thereof; to quarry, smelt, refine, dress, amalgamate and prepare for market, ore, metal and mineral substances of all kinds, and to deal in stone and the products thereof; (b) To engage in catching, freezing, salting, smoking, curing, canning, drying, preserving, selling, disposing of and dealing in fish taken in water flowing through lands owned or controlled by the company or adjacent thereto and in producing, manufacturing, selling and disposing of manufactures of every kind and nature whatsoever from fish and fish products; to engage in the sale, exportation and distribution of such fish, fish products and manufactures therefrom; to erect such plant and machinery as may be necessary to preserve or cure fish or for the purpose of changing fish or its products into any form in which the same may be sold; to manufacture fertilizer from fish; to manufacture cans, barrels, packages, or other receptacles for the preservation of goods and products, and to purchase, build, lease or otherwise acquire, and to maintain and carry on cold storage and refrigerating processes; (c) To subscribe for, purchase or otherwise acquire, own, hold, sell and otherwise dispose of and deal with and to transfer shares in the capital stock of any corporation, foreign or otherwise, and bonds, debentures, obligations or other securities of any government, municipality or corporation, foreign or otherwise, and while the holder thereof to exercise all the rights and privileges of ownership including the right to vote thereon, notwithstanding the provisions of section 44 of the said Act; (d) To buy, sell, manufacture and deal in minerals, plant, machinery, implements, conveniences, provisions and things capable of being used in connection with the operations of the company, or required by workmen and others employed by the company; (e) To construct, carry out, maintain, improve, manage, work, control, operate and superintend any roads, streets, tramways, sidings, sidewalks, drains, water mains, sewers, and any other improvements, on lands belonging to or controlled by the company, and any bridges, reservoirs, water courses, artesian wells, waterworks, pumping stations, aqueducts, filtration plants, mains, connections and other accessories to such waterworks, furnaces, mills, crushing works, lighting plants, shops, stores and other works and conveniences which may directly or indirectly be conducive to any of the objects of the company, and to contribute to, subsidize or otherwise aid or take part in any such operations; (f) To carry on any other business (whether manufacturing or otherwise) which may seem to the company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with its business or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the company's property or rights; (g) To issue fully or partly paid shares of the company in payment or part payment of any property, assets, franchises, options or other rights or privileges; (h) To construct, acquire by purchase, lease or otherwise, and to own, develop and operate works for the production, sale and disposal of steam, electric, hydraulic, pneumatic or other power or force, and to produce, create, develop, acquire by lease, purchase or otherwise, and to control and generally deal in, use, sell, lease or otherwise dispose of such steam, electric, hydraulic, pneumatic and other power or force for any uses and purposes for which the same are adapted, provided that all sales, transmission or distribution of electric or other power, or force, beyond the lands of the company, shall be subject to local and municipal regulations in that behalf; (i) To construct, acquire, own, manage, charter, operate, hire and lease all kinds of steam and sailing vessels, boats, tugs, barges and other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, freight sheds and other buildings necessary for the purposes of the company, and to tow, carry goods, freight and passengers for hire and generally to carry on the business of an elevator, navigation and transportation company; (j) To contract for, build, construct, and equip public and private works of every description, and to acquire, purchase, hold, sell, dispose of, supply, manufacture and produce all manner and kinds of material for use in the construction and equipment of such public and private works; (k) To pro-

mote, or to assist in the promotion of any company or corporation carrying on a business similar in whole or in part to that of this company or for the purpose of acquiring the undertaking of the company or any part thereof; (l) To transact and carry on a general financial agency and brokerage business, and to act as agents and brokers for the investment, loan, payment, transmission and collection of money, for the transfer and recording of bonds, debentures, shares or other securities and for the purchase, sale and improvement, development and management of any property, business or undertaking and the management, control or direction of syndicates, partnerships, associations, companies or corporations; and to accept, fulfil and execute any trust committed to the company by any corporation of which the company holds shares, debentures or other securities, or with which the company has business relations, or by any court of law, on such terms as may be agreed upon and as the court shall approve, and to take, hold, receive and convey all estates and property, real and personal, which may be granted, conveyed or committed to the company with its assent upon such trust or trusts; and to act as trustees in respect of bonds, debentures, mortgages, hypothecs or other securities of companies or corporations with which the company has business relations, and to deal with such property in accordance with the instrument creating the same; (m) To act as agents for others in the investment of funds for the carrying out of any business which this company is authorized to carry on; (n) To distribute any of the property of the company in specie among the shareholders; (o) To apply for, purchase and acquire by assignment, transfer or otherwise, and to exercise, carry out and enjoy any statute, ordinance, order, license, power, authority, franchise, concession, right or privilege, which any government or authority, supreme, foreign, municipal or local or any corporation or other public body may be empowered to enact, make or grant, and to appropriate any of the company's stock, bonds, and assets, to pay and defray the necessary costs, charges and expenses thereof; (p) To apply for or purchase or otherwise acquire any patents, brevets d'invention, grants, licenses, leases, concessions and the like, conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use, or any secret or other information as to any invention which may seem calculated to benefit this company, and to use, exercise, develop or grant licenses in respect of or otherwise turn to account the property, rights, interests or information so acquired; (q) To investigate, report on the title to any lands and tenements or chattels real or the legality of the issue of the bonds, debentures or other securities of any corporation of which the company holds shares, debentures or other securities, and which is authorized by law to make an issue of bonds or debentures or the circumstances of any business thereof; (r) To sell, lease or otherwise dispose of such consideration as the company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, bonds or securities of any other company; (s) To procure the company to be registered and recognized in any foreign country, and to designate persons therein according to the laws of such foreign country to represent the company, and to accept service for and on behalf of the company of any process or suit; (t) To enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, co-operation, joint adventure, reciprocal concession or otherwise with any person or company now or hereafter carrying on or engaged in or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction which this company is authorized to engage in or carry on, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit the company; (u) To amalgamate with any other company having objects similar in whole or in part to those of this company, or to purchase, lease or otherwise acquire any business similar in character and objects to any of the businesses of this company; (v) To draw, make, accept, endorse, discount and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange, warrants and other negotiable or transferable instruments; (w) To do all acts necessary for the undertaking, carrying on and completion of any of the business which the company is authorized to do, engage in and carry on; (x) The business or purpose of the company is from time to time to do any one or more of the acts and things herein set forth, and it may conduct its business in foreign countries, and may have one or more than one office. The operations of the company shall be carried on throughout the Dominion of Canada and elsewhere by the name of "British and Colonial Land and Securities Company, Limited," with a capital stock of ten million dollars, divided into 100,000 shares of one hundred dollars each, and the chief place of business of the company to be at the city of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario.

Dated at the office of the Secretary of State of Canada, this 14th day of April, 1913.

THOMAS MULVEY,

Under-Secretary of State.

Dated at Toronto this 21st day of April, 1913.

BLAKE, LASH, ANGLIN & CASSELS,

Solicitors for

BRITISH & COLONIAL LAND & SECURITIES COMPANY, LIMITED.

ULTIMATELY REFINE ALL GOLD PRODUCED

Hon. W. T. White, finance minister, stated at Ottawa that ultimately the Canadian mint would refine all the gold produced in Canada. The silver production, however, presented a more difficult problem. The erection and operation of a refining plant would involve a large outlay; moreover, there was but a limited market for silver in the country.

The minister said that the total amount of coinage of silver between January 1, 1908, and March 31, 1913, was \$5,710,944, divided as follows: Fifty-cent pieces, \$750,000; twenty-five cent pieces, \$2,500,000; ten-cent pieces, \$1,393,000; five cent pieces, \$979,000. Bronze cents were coined to the amount of \$222,000; gold sovereigns to the value of \$1,400,000, and Canadian five and ten-dollar gold pieces to the value of \$1,800,000.

Gold received at the mint in 1912 for refining totalled 101,636 gross ounces, of which 3,000 ounces came from Nova Scotia, 11,000 from Ontario, 85,000 from the Yukon, and less than 1,000 ounces from Quebec. Fine gold bars were sold by the mint in that year to the value of \$296,000. The

mint last year brought 755,000 ounces of silver, of which 70,000 ounces came from the Coniagas Mine in Cobalt, and 685,000 from the United States, the purchases being made by tender.

The following comparison of coinage was given as showing the increased operations of the mint:—

	1908.	1912.
Silver coined	\$313,000	\$1,383,000
Bronze coined	23,000	51,000
Gold coined	3,000	1,477,000

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