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NO REDUCTION IN LIGHT RATES

City Council Feels that Time is Inopportune for Such Action and Bylaws Laid Over.

The bylaw providing for a substantial reduction in light and power rates introduced at last night's council meeting by Ald. Perry, chairman of the utilities board, was laid over indefinitely, the present time being deemed not opportune for the reductions with the ratepayers already paying taxes to capacity and the sale of bonds not yet complete.

In introducing the bylaw, Ald. Perry stated that he had expected there would be opposition to it on the ground that the reductions would not be timely and that the new system of measurement would be cumbersome. He felt, however, that these could be explained away in view of the fact that there was a general demand for lower rates.

Ald. Dybhavn, who led in the opposition to the bylaw, stated that the present time was not opportune for the reduction. The year ahead would be a difficult one and the taxation was up to the limit. It was no time to lessen the revenues of the city and before the year was out the city might be called upon to use all the funds that the utilities committee could produce.

Good Profits. Supt. Duncan explained that the department had been making good profits and last year there had been a surplus of \$33,000 in the light department. Even with the proposed reductions there would be a surplus of \$16,000 this year.

Mayor Rochester was inclined to fall in with the views of Ald. Dybhavn, feeling that there was a general tendency in all municipalities to husband wealth. While it was a good policy to reduce rates where possible it was not wise to run too close to the wind.

Is Laid Over. Some discussion as to the allotment of the earnings of the utilities department then followed. Ald. Perry feeling that at least some portion of them should be used in extensions and improvements to the system making for increased efficiency. Ald. Dybhavn felt that the utilities department was a part of the city as a whole and should not be treated separately but the revenue should be used where necessary always allowing sufficient to keep the system in good running order, however. It was finally decided, on suggestion of Ald. Dybhavn and motion of Ald. Perry, that the bylaw be laid over indefinitely.

The bylaw for the consolidation of bond issues of the city was read, again by the city council last night. It has passed through the hands of the municipal inspector who states that he is prepared to recommend it to the attorney-general for approval.

LAND AGT. Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS. In Queen Charlotte Islands Land District, Recording District of Skeena, and situate on the west coast of Graham Island in the vicinity of West River.

TAKE NOTICE that Charles Wing, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation accountant, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of C.L. 10289, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

CHARLES WING, Austin M. Brown, agent. Dated 7th January, 1921.

LAND ACT. Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In Skeena Land District, Recording District of Coast, Range 5, and situate at head of Union Bay, adjoining lot 199.

TAKE NOTICE that Norman R. Brodhurst, of Prince Rupert, occupation master mariner, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—

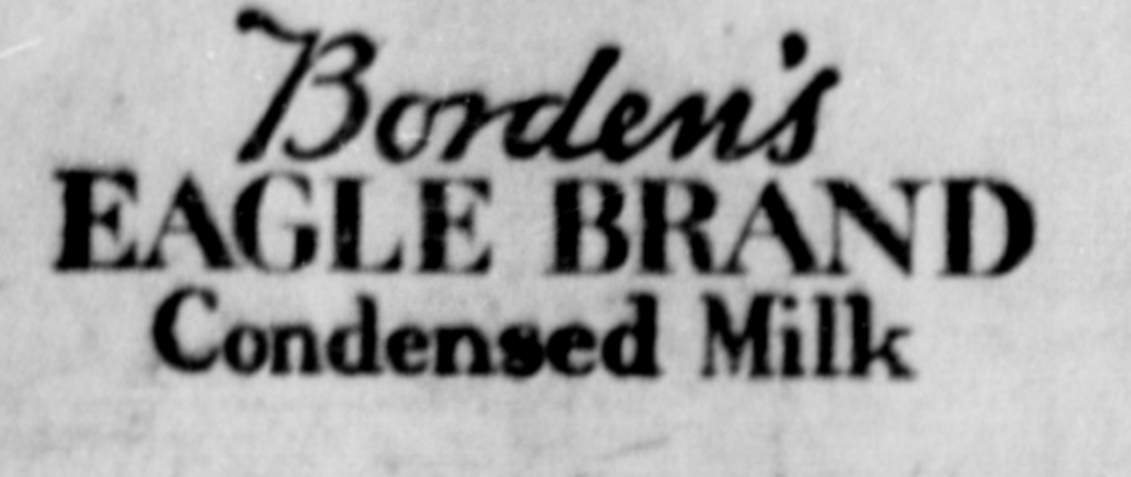
Commencing at a post planted on the south line of lot 109, thence west 5 chains more or less to low water mark; thence southerly 2 chains along low water mark; thence east 1 chain more or less to high water mark; thence northerly along high water mark to post, containing 7 acres, more or less.

NORMAN R. BRODHURST. Dated January 26, 1921.

NOTICE. IN THE MATTER of an application for the issue of a fresh certificate of title to Lot 3, Block "A"—Lot 28, Block 7—and Lot 11, Block 12—Town of Terrace (Map 972).

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SHIP WHEAT TO LONDON

Buenos Aires Carries Wheat to England from This Coast

LONDON, Mar. 30.—The arrival here of the steamer Buenos Aires with a cargo of Canadian wheat shipped by way of the British Columbia coast and the Panama Canal has attracted widespread attention here. She brought 3,200 tons of wheat.

F. C. Wade, agent general for British Columbia, has drawn special attention to the shipment which he says is destined to become historic. The Pacific coast, he says, is destined to become the front door of Canada, and shipments of wheat by that route will become steadily more frequent.

DECOLLETTE OUTLAWED IN ARGENTINE REPUBLIC

BUENOS AIRES, Mar. 30.—Bare arms and low-necked dresses have been outlawed by the ecclesiastical governor of Argentina. A notice has been posted in the doorways of all the Catholic churches reading:

"After Sunday, March 27, no priest for any reason will be permitted to administer holy communion to any married woman, girl or child who approaches the altar without having completely covered the breast, shoulder and arms with material that is not transparent."

SPORT

The Sons of Canada announced last week that they were ready and looking for an indoor baseball match with any team in the city which would oppose them. The Elks now say that they are ready for the fray and prepared to show the Sons a few more things than they know about the game. Somebody says that the only indoor baseball bat there was in town was broken in one of the practices, but in any event it should not be very long before a match is really pulled off with both teams, seemingly, so anxious for action.

Tonight when the last games of this year's schedule of the Fraternal Whist League are played, a very interesting and enjoyable series will be brought to a close. Although for some time the championship of the Knights of Columbus has been conceded, each Wednesday night the games have been thoroughly enjoyed and keenly contested. A great number of long winter evenings have been most pleasantly spent with the long series that is thus ended. The following is tonight's lineup: G.W.V.A. vs. Oddfellows; St. Andrew's vs. Knights of Pythias; Sons of Canada vs. Knights of Columbus.

The Fraternal Whist League was established in 1917 with five teams enrolled and the trophy that is still being played for was at that time put up by Ald. John Dybhavn. That season it was won by the Valhalla Society, of which Mr. Dybhavn was the president. Next season, 1919, seven teams participated in the series and the Knights of Pythias were the winners. Last year the Sons of Canada won out of a six team contest and this year the Knights of Columbus lead out of the nine teams with a big margin in their favor. In the near future a special social event will be put on at which a formal presentation of the cup to its new holders will take place.

Two-color window cards take the eye quickly. See them at the News Job Department.

The Man in the Moon SAYS

NOW that spring is here and everybody has her Easter clothes, what about some tennis and boating to keep up the game.

JUDGING by the long time a woman sometimes keeps a man waiting, it becomes more and more evident that woman's work is never done.

A MAN who is on the square sometimes falls in love with a girl who is somewhat rounded off at the corners.

THE real woman is taking a big gambler's chance of getting a nutt instead of a man.

NOTHING makes a man so mad as to have his neighbor's chickens pecking over his back steps or marching up the walk of his front garden. It is so insanitary.

THERE may be a lot of things lacking in Prince Rupert, but nowhere in the world have they such cooks as are found here.

LIKE smoking with girls, swearing first becomes a habit with a man and often it develops into a fine art.

THE man who said all the nuts came from Brazil lied most monstrously.

THE police court reporter comes to believe the Biblical saying that "all men are liars." A judge has to pretend to believe somebody sometimes.

A person who attends one of the many dances this week may easily convince himself that a woman is often a lot older than she looks and a man often acts a lot younger than he ought.

PRINCE Rupert people may never be discouraged in regard to the physical difficulties of making a city when they remember that Black Rock is a summer resort.

IF a man is taxed on his net earnings, a trawler might have to pay on everything.

NO man seems to agree with a woman's idea of male beauty, unless she thinks he is the very nicest man she knows.

MANY a woman will wear almost nothing on most of her body, but if she happens to have a hole in her stocking she is ashamed of it.

WATER NOTICE. STORAGE. TAKE NOTICE that Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Co. Ltd., whose address is Anyox, B. C., will apply for a licence for the storage of five million gallons of water out of the east branch of Hidden Creek which flows southerly and drains into Hidden Creek, about two-thirds of a mile from Granby Bay.

The storage-dam will be located 300 feet from the east boundary of lot 2274. The capacity of the reservoir to be created is about five million gallons, and it will flood several acres of land. The water will be diverted from the stream at the dam and will be used for mining and domestic purposes upon the mine described as lots 480, 481, 482, 483, 484 and 485, 1513, 1675 and 1677, 2219, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2279, 2280 and 2281. The licence applied for is to supplement an application to take and use water as per water notice posted on 1st June, 1920 (see water branch file 022030).

This notice was posted on the ground on the 23rd day of February, 1921. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

GRANBY CONS. MINING, SMELTING & POWER CO. LTD., Applicant. By William Young, agent. The date of the first publication of this notice is the 26th day of February, 1921.

LAND ACT. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LAND.

In Prince Rupert Land District, Recording District of Coast, Range 5, and situate on an island lying off the north coast of Forcher Island.

Take notice that I, Julius Hadland, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation carpenter, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on an island about 1,500 feet northwesterly from S.W. corner of Lot 1327, Range 5, Coast District, thence around the island to the point of commencement and containing 15 acres, more or less.

JULIUS HADLAND. Dated March 3rd, 1921.

LAND ACT. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LAND.

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WATER NOTICE. DIVERSION AND USE. TAKE NOTICE that Alice Arm Mining and Development Company, Limited, whose address is Head Office, Anyox, B. C., will apply for a licence to take and use five cubic second feet of water out of Water Falls Creek, also known as Falls Creek, which flows easterly and drains into Head of Alice Arm about 1,500 feet northerly from Gully Varden Depot.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point one thousand feet northwesterly from the southeast corner of Lot 3221, and will be used for domestic town supply and power purpose upon the town-site described as Lot 1074 and Lot 1074-A, Alice Arm Township.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 1st day of March, 1921. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert, B. C.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

ALICE ARM MINING AND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED, Applicant. By E. P. Ruel, agent. The date of the first publication of this notice is March 7, 1921.

LAND ACT. Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.

In Skeena Land District, Recording District of Coast, Range 5, and situate at head of Union Bay, adjoining lot 199.

Take notice that Norman R. Brodhurst, of Prince Rupert, occupation master mariner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the south line of lot 199, thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 20 chains to shore; thence along shore to post and containing forty acres, more or less.

NORMAN R. BRODHURST. Dated January 26, 1921.

LAND ACT. CASSIAR LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF CASSIAR.

TAKE NOTICE that we, J. E. Stark and H. F. Kocorn of Alice Arm, occupation prospectors, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted on the north boundary of Lot 3635; thence following the high water mark to north corner of Lot 3515; thence S. 59 deg. 23 min. E. a distance of 491.5 ft., more or less to east boundary of River Mouth mineral claim produced in a southerly direction; thence following production of said River Mouth boundary to low water mark; thence following low water mark to north boundary of Lot 3635; thence following north boundary of Lot 3635 to point of commencement, and containing 14 acres, more or less.

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