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P. M. MONCKTON, Agent.

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Take notice that I, Lavender Monckton, of Terrace, B. C., married woman, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal, petroleum and natural gas on the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 15 chains south of the southwest corner of Lot 1037, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less. Located January 23, 1922.

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ACCUSING MAYOR OF ATTEMPT TO STIFLE UTILITIES FACTS, ALD. PERRY BOLTS COUNCIL CHAMBER.

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can replied that he was not quite clear on the subject as to how the utilities department would be affected by the auditor's report. He was quite satisfied that the utilities department had made profits that had not been credited to it. The question was: If the auditor's report passed would the council have the power to transfer to the Utilities Committee funds that had not been credited to it and had been taken into general funds? In the last three years the utilities had earned \$86,000 in surplus. Of this \$71,000 had been taken to general fund. Construction to the amount of \$43,000 out of the earnings had been done and the utility had not been credited but had been debited.

Ald. Montgomery said it was all a matter of surplus. He thought a commission or auditor could make a report showing the true status of the utilities.

Ald. Montgomery the committee arose and the auditor's report was adopted.

Duncan Report

The following is Mr. Duncan's report on the utilities as later submitted:

"At a joint meeting of the finance and utilities committees held on Tuesday evening, May 2, the light department finances were discussed at length. The object of this meeting was to determine the financial position of the utilities in connection with the proposed separation, in the city books, of the utility capital accounts. I have been trying to bring about this change in the accounting for over three years. Had this been done on December 31, 1918, the light department (I will deal with the light department only in this report) would have placed to its credit, during the last three years, \$85,997.70. We have used for construction purposes \$43,004.77, thus taking care of all legitimate charges for operation, maintenance and overhead, and also paying for all capital expenditure during said period with a credit balance of \$42,992.93. According to the system in effect we were credited with \$13,466.00 reserves and debited with \$43,004.77 construction costs, the general fund of the city getting the balance, or \$71,831.10, in the last three years. The general fund has been taking from the telephone department sums of money in the same manner, but, of course, not as large. In separating these accounts, according to the treasurer's books the light department has a debit balance of \$26,539.10.

The Other Statement.

"Your finance committee brought into the joint meeting on Tuesday night a statement showing the light department capital account with a debit balance of \$57,795.09. After deducting our reserves of \$44,083.92 and adding the stores (which by the way is half telephone material) our debit balance would be \$30,842.82.

"As superintendent of your utilities from November, 1912, to date, with the exception of sixteen months viz: May, 1916 to August, 1917, I wish to submit for your consideration, as a public body and also a public body wishing to treat the public utilities of your city in a fair and unprejudiced manner, the following facts connected with the light department operations from December 31, 1912, to date:

"Your auditor's report of December 31, 1912 shows the light department capital expenditure to date as \$91,166.00 and the bonds sold as \$66,000.00. We therefore started the year 1913 with a debit to general fund of \$25,166.00. This report was accepted and passed by the council of that date. I, and the superintendent in charge during my sixteen months absence, together with the several utility committees, have conducted the business of the department and met all charges for operation, maintenance and overhead during all these years. The 1913 council put a \$45,000.00 bond for pole line extensions before the people and it passed. We had a \$25,166.00 debt to general fund and \$45,000.00 worth of construction work to be done, yet no council until 1921 saw fit to market the above mentioned bonds. The utility has spent, during these years, over \$70,000.00 in necessary extensions, providing the money out of revenue, and all

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this time we have been condemned by the public for keeping the rates too high, when it has been necessary to provide money that the council would not provide. However, we have recommended and had passed reductions in rates whenever our finances would permit. The following will show the difference between 1912 rates and those of today.

January, 1912, light, 18c; commercial, 9c.

September, 1914, light 11c; commercial, 7c.

February, 1915, light 10 1/2c; commercial, 6c-3c.

June, 1916, 3 1/2 to 2c, cooking added.

January, 1918, light, 10c; commercial 6c-3c; industrial power 1c-1c.

Expenditures and Earnings.

"I attach hereto a statement showing the expenditures and earnings of the light department from January 1, 1913 to December 31, 1921. In this statement you will note I have allowed general fund 6% interest year by year on all moneys owed by the utility to general fund and charged general fund in the same manner when the balance was on the other side of the ledger.

"When you consider that this utility has been operated under the assumption that it was taking care of all legitimate charges against it, and getting credit for all surplus earnings, which would leave us a credit balance on account of capital account on December 31, 1921 of \$68,771.30, your light committee should have no hesitation in asking for a reduction in rates, nor should there be any reason for holding back necessary reconstruction work, so badly needed at the present time.

T. C. DUNCAN,
Supt. of Utilities.

This report of Mr. Duncan was referred to the joint utilities and finance committee.

PRINCE GEORGE

Jimmy Spence, "mayor" of Newlands, was in the city last week.

W. J. Pitman returned last week from a visit to Vancouver.

William Blair returned on Wednesday night from a business visit to Vancouver.

Miss Pat Wilson left for Vancouver last Thursday to undergo treatment for eye trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Johnson, of Vancouver, have arrived in the city and will spend the summer here.

Jack and Terry, their sons, will arrive when the summer holidays commence.

The first road gang of the season has been sent out by the department of public works in charge of Foreman Andy Forest who will surface the Peden Hill with gravel. This hill has been improved by widening and is now ready for surfacing.

Work has commenced repairing the damaged pier of the Nechaco River bridge caused by the heavy ice jam last fall. It is learned that one of the piers will have to be completely renewed and the bridge will necessarily be closed to traffic for a short time.

NORTHERN NOTES

Rev. C. M. Van Marter, who went from Ketchikan to Metlakatla to deliver an address to the graduating class there, has returned to Ketchikan.

J. K. Schenck, interested in mining property at Hollis, is in Ketchikan on business.

Sig Winberg, resident agent of the Patterson Island fox farm, returned to his post last Saturday. Before leaving town he reported that he has a fine crop of young foxes there and everything is going along smoothly.

A party consisting of Mrs. Gus Grood, Mrs. George Morrison, Thora Chapman, Cecil Morrison, Jesta Williams, Harry Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williams left Ketchikan last Sunday to attend the Inter-school meet in Japeau. They will return as soon as the meet is over.

T. A. Heckman, superintendent of the Chomley cannery, is in Ketchikan on business.

J. P. Smith, attorney of Ketchikan, one of the early pioneers of the town and at one time one of its commitments, is reported to be very seriously ill in a hospital at Seattle.

J. H. McMollin, government agent, reports that 70 new names in Prince Rupert and 130 outside have been registered on the provincial voters' lists which closed yesterday. The court of revision will be held next month.

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LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land.

In Prince Rupert Land District, Record of District of Coast Range 5, and situated in vicinity of Port Essington, B. C.

Take notice that we, Julius Johnson and Walter Niemi, of Port Essington, B. C., occupation fishermen, intend to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at southeast corner of Lot 45, Range 5, Coast District, thence northeast 4 chains to low water mark, thence south 5 chains along low water mark, thence west 3 chains to high water mark, thence 5 chains along high water mark to point of commencement and containing 3 1/2 acres, more or less.

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WALTER NIEMI,
Applicants.

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