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BRINGING UP FATHER

By George McManus

UTILITY RATES ARE INCREASED

Edmonton City Council Boosts Price of Light, Water and Phones

EDMONTON, Dec. 27. — Rates for electric light, water and telephone services have been increased by council and it is expected will go into effect almost immediately. It is estimated that they will result in an increase in revenue of approximately $110,-723 per year.

Reduction in assessment of the semi-business section of the city by approximately $1,150,000 has been also approved. This property for years has been taxed on the basis of practically the business section of the city and was being used largely for residential purposes. As a result of the high assessment which had been based on the possible value of the property a large number of lots were reverting back to the city.

What Increases Mean

The electric light rates are increased from 7, 6, and 5½ cents per K.W.H. to 8, 7 and 6 cents per K.W.H. This increase it is estimated on the average will amount to about 50c per month for the average home. The total increase in revenue from the electric light department will be about $68,723. The rates for the water service are increased to those in operation in 1922. The increase in revenue in this department is is estimated would amount to $30,-000.

The rates for the business telephone are increased from $55 to $60 for the wall type and from $58 to $63 for the desk type. No increase will be made for telephones in private residences. The new rates for the business telephones are the same as those charged by the provincial government at Calgary and other places. It is estimated that the increased revenue from the telephone department will amount to approximately $12,000 for the year.

SPANISH-ARGENTINE AIRPLANE SERVICE

Technical and Financial Questions Settled and King's Signature Now Awaited

MADRID, Dec. 26.—The decree for the establishment of the airship service between Seville and Buenos Aires now awaits only the signature of King Alphonso, the technical and financial questions of the project having been settled. The work on the airships for the service will be started within two months.

A three-day service will be maintained over the route which takes two weeks for boats. The money for the project has been furnished by Spaniards and the mechanical equipment will be made in Germany.

Advertise in the Daily News.

HELPED CROWN PRINCE RETURN

Princess Hermine was Guiding Star Behind Entry of Stepson into Germany

LONDON, Dec. 26.—It now appears that the Princess Hermine, the ex-Kaiser's wife, was the guiding star behind the hurried return of her stepson, the ex-crown prince, to Germany, according to the Dutch correspondent of the London Daily Mail. It was, in fact, largely due to her energy and tact when she last visited Germany that the German government consented to issue the necessary passports to him and his suite.

Immediately on her return to Doorn the prince hurriedly left his island of exile and hastened to his father's house. He then spent much time in conversation with his step-mother, walking in the grounds with her while his father was out walking with the Princess' children.

It is reported that after last visiting her own estates the Princess Hermine travelled to Berlin, in a closed compartment and left the train heavily veiled and muffled. She later visited several of the state officials. She is commonly accredited with being as clever as she is energetic and for some time she has left no stone unturned to get the Hohenzollerns back to Germany.

AUSTRIA'S FINANCES SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Central Nation Making Good Progress Towards Its Regeneration Financially

GENEVA, Dec. 26.—The League of Nations has received an encouraging report from Vienna on the progress of the regeneration of Austria financially. One of the features of the regeneration was an international loan, secured by the Austrian customs receipts and the tobacco monopoly.

The league's Vienna representatives report that during October the receipts from customs and tobacco aggregated 276,-000,000,000 paper crowns, an increase over the average monthly receipts of 87,000,000,-000 crowns.

If this income is maintained the total loans issued or arranged for will be thrice covered.

NEGRO IS SHOT DOWN AFTER KILLING THREE AND WOUNDING NINE

DREW, Miss., Dec. 27.—Joe Pullen, negro, who shot and killed three white men and wounded nine others, died from machine gun bullet wounds while lying in a street in Drew at 2 a.m., while a large crowd milled about, threatening to burn him. Pullen was trapped at midnight in a drainage ditch, after a 15-hour chase. Machine gun fire was turned on to an improvised fortress in the ditch where he made a stand. Many bullets struck his body. When members of the posse reached him he was still alive. He was brought to Drew and left dying in a street near the depot where a large crowd of curious persons gathered. He died before threats made by the crowd were carried out.

Sport Chat

International intercollegiate football contests between American and Canadian colleges would be made entirely practicable by certain minor changes in both codes of rules, in the opinion of Frank Shaughnessy, coach of McGill University, Montreal, and a former Notre Dame football star who is now manager of the Syracuse International League Baseball club in addition to his coaching duties.

Speaking from his experience in football on both sides of the border, he says the chief obstacle to a common basis for the sport is the difference in the rules regarding interference. In the Canadian game the offensive team must gain ten yards in three downs while in the United States a team is given four downs to gain the same distance. In Canada interference also is restricted to three yards in front of the line of scrimmage and only men within one yard of the line when the ball is put into play are allowed to interfere. In U.S. interference is unlimited.

The McGill coach says he believes that modification of the Canadian rules regarding interference to conform to American standards would benefit the game there. He also takes the stand that introduction of the forward pass into the Canadian game would be beneficial and that adoption of the Canadian rules regarding kicking behind an opponent's goal line would help the American game. In Canada kicking behind the opposing team's goal counts for a single point if the opponent is unable to carry or kick out on the playing field.

American players as a rule, according to Shaughnessy, are superior to Canadian in line play and line plunging, but Canadians excel in open field running and kicking. The appearance of the McGill football team against Dartmouth at Hanover next fall will mark its first appearance in New England in many years, although McGill is credited with having introduced the Rugby game in the United States in a contest with Harvard in 1874.

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BOARD.

BOARD.—The Inlander, 830 Second Avenue. Phone 137. tf

LOST

LOST.—Blankets, between Rupert Hotel and Westview Finder please return to Daily News Office.

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UMBRELLA found at Booth School concert, Tuesday night. Apply at School.

FOUND.—Lady's vanity case. Apply Daily News Office.

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IT WAS NOT RAINING RAIN TO THEM BUT ONLY WHISKY CASES

LONG BEACH, N.Y., Dec. 27.—(By Canadian Press).—Half of Long Beach labored in the breakers during a recent stormy day lustily singing that it wasn't raining rain, it was raining violets. The laborers were cheerful because of the task at which they were employed was a labor of love.

Somewhat out beyond the scudding mist a whisky ship had to jettison cargo, and every incoming wave bore cases and cases of whisky of various brands. The salvage crew was not choosy. Each took what came handy, and thanked the sea gods. One man got 24 cases, and the toiler who wasn't able to make the rear spring of his limousine sag with its cargo was playing in ill luck, indeed.

MAIL SCHEDULE

For the East—
Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, closes at 5.30 p.m.

From the East—
Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 4.30 p.m.

From Vancouver—
Sundays ..... P. M.
Wednesdays ..... 3 P.M.
Fridays ..... A.M.
Saturdays ..... 3 P.M.
C.P.R. December 15 and 31.

To Vancouver—
Tuesdays, Mail closes at 4 P.M.
Thursdays ..... 10 P.M.
Saturdays ..... A.M.
Sundays ..... 10 P.M.
C.P.R. December 19.

To Anyox, Alice Arm—
Wednesdays ..... 9 P.M.

From Anyox, Alice Arm
Thursdays ..... 8 p.m.

To Port Simpson, Alice Arm Anyox and Arrandale.
Sundays ..... 7 P.M.

From Port Simpson, Alice Arm Anyox and Arrandale—
Tuesdays ..... A.M.

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Saturdays ..... 9 P.M.
Sundays ..... 7 P.M.

From Stewart and Premier—
Sundays ..... 8 P.M.
Tuesdays ..... A.M.

To Alaska Points—
December 15 and 3'.

From Alaska Points—
December 19.

To Queen Charlotte Island Points
December 15 and 29.

From Queen Charlotte Points
December 13 and 27.

To Naas River Points and Port Simpson—
Thursdays ..... 10 P.M.

From Naas River Points—
Saturdays ..... A.M.

PRINCE RUPERT TIDES

Thursday, December 27		
High	4:02 a.m.	18.9 ft.
	15:43 p.m.	19.7 "
Low	9:49 a.m.	8.3 "
	22:19 p.m.	4.1 "
Friday, December 28		
High	4:46 a.m.	18.7 ft.
	16:34 p.m.	18.8 "
Low	10:36 a.m.	8.3 "
	23:03 p.m.	5.0 "

TIMBER SALE X 5481.

There will be offered for sale at Public Auction, at noon, on the 3rd day of January, 1924, in the office of the Supervisor at Smithers, B.C., the Licence X5481, to cut 145,000 Lineal Feet of Cedar Poles, and 35,000 Lineal Feet of Cedar Piling, on an area situated near Skeena Crossing, Cassiar Land District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 5852.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands, at Victoria, not later than noon on the 17th day of January, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X 5852, to cut 285,000 feet of Cedar, Spruce, Hemlock, Fir and Balsam, on an area situated on the south shore of Owikeno Lake, Range 2, Coast Land District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 5466.

There will be offered for sale at Public Auction, at noon on the 10th day of January, 1924, in the office of the District Forester, Prince Rupert, the Licence X 5466, to cut 296,000 feet B.M. of Hemlock, Spruce and Cedar, and 80,000 Lin. Ft. of Cedar Poles, on an area situated between Hanall and Usk, on opposite side of Skeena River, Range 5, Coast District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 5790.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the District Forester, not later than noon on the 7th day of January, 1924, for the purchase of Licence X 5790 on North Shore Draney Inlet, C.S. 2, to cut 240,000 f.b.m. of Balsam, Hemlock, Spruce and Cedar Sawlogs.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C.

WATER NOTICE. (Diversion and Use).

TAKE NOTICE that W. E. Collison, Indian Agent, whose address is Prince Rupert, B.C., will apply for a licence to take and use 50,000 gallons a day of water out of small unnamed lake on Metlakatla portion of Tsimpsean Indian Reserve No. 2, which flows westerly and drains into Duncan Bay, about one and a half mile north of Observatory Point. The water will be diverted from the lake at a point about 1¼ mile northeast of Metlakatla Indian Village, and will be used for domestic purpose upon the land described as Metlakatla Townsite, Tsimpsean Indian Reserve, No. 2. This notice was posted on the ground on the 30th day of November, 1923. 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. The date of the first publication of this notice is December 1st, 1923.

W. E. COLLISON, Applicant.
Indian Agent, Agent.

IN PROBATE. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Administration Act; and
In the Matter of the Estate of Gustave Laurin, Deceased; Intestate.

TAKE NOTICE that I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Gustave Laurin, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified to me, on or before the 6th day of January, A.D. 1924, and all parties indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me, forthwith.

THOS. W. HERNE,
Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.
Dated this 6th day of December, 1923.

IN PROBATE. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Administration Act; and
In the Matter of the Estate of Dick Meyring (also known as Deitrich Meyring).

TAKE NOTICE that in Order of his Honour F. McB. Young, made 5th day of December, A.D. 1923, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Dick Meyring (also known as Deitrich Meyring), deceased, and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified to me, on or before the 12th day of January, A.D. 1924, and all parties indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

THOMAS W. HERNE,
Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.
Dated this 12th day of December, 1923.