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Mayorality Election Seems Imminent.

It seems as if there would be a mayorality election following the challenge issued by the mayor to Alderman Collart and accepted with provisos. The mayor has agreed to the terms, so all is set for the big go at an early date. As the ratepayers are not to be saddled with the costs they can hardly offer any objection to being made a party to the affair.

The difficulty with election campaigns is that side issues are always introduced which becloud the main issue and the vote becomes one rather of personal preference than of a matter of principle.

The issue as presented in Alderman Collart's letter is whether it was the duty of the mayor to send off so important a document without consulting his council and also whether, when faced with the opposition of his council, it was his duty to have withdrawn the telegram. This has nothing to do with the matter of poor judgment in taking such action and thus endangering the work of proceeding with the elevator construction here.

May Be A Third Candidate In Field.

It is always possible in a case such as this that a third candidate may enter the field. It will necessitate the mayor and alderman resigning and an election being called to fill the two positions of mayor and alderman. An outside candidate will be necessary to fill the aldermanic position and the beaten man will be out of the city council altogether.

Registrations Here Fewer Than Elsewhere.

The registrations for the provincial voters' list here are not commensurate with the population. The proportion at other places is much higher than here. The result is that when an election is called, a considerable section of the population does not vote and this not only prevents a real expression of the popular will but also has a bad appearance on the outside.

Just now those who were unable to vote at the past provincial election have it in mind and this would be a good time for them to see that they have their names placed on the list so that if an election should be sprung at any time they will be ready to exercise the franchise.

If the country is to be governed intelligently and the people are to be educated in governmental responsibilities, all must have an opportunity to vote. They can do so by going to the court house and filling out the form by which they are placed on the list.

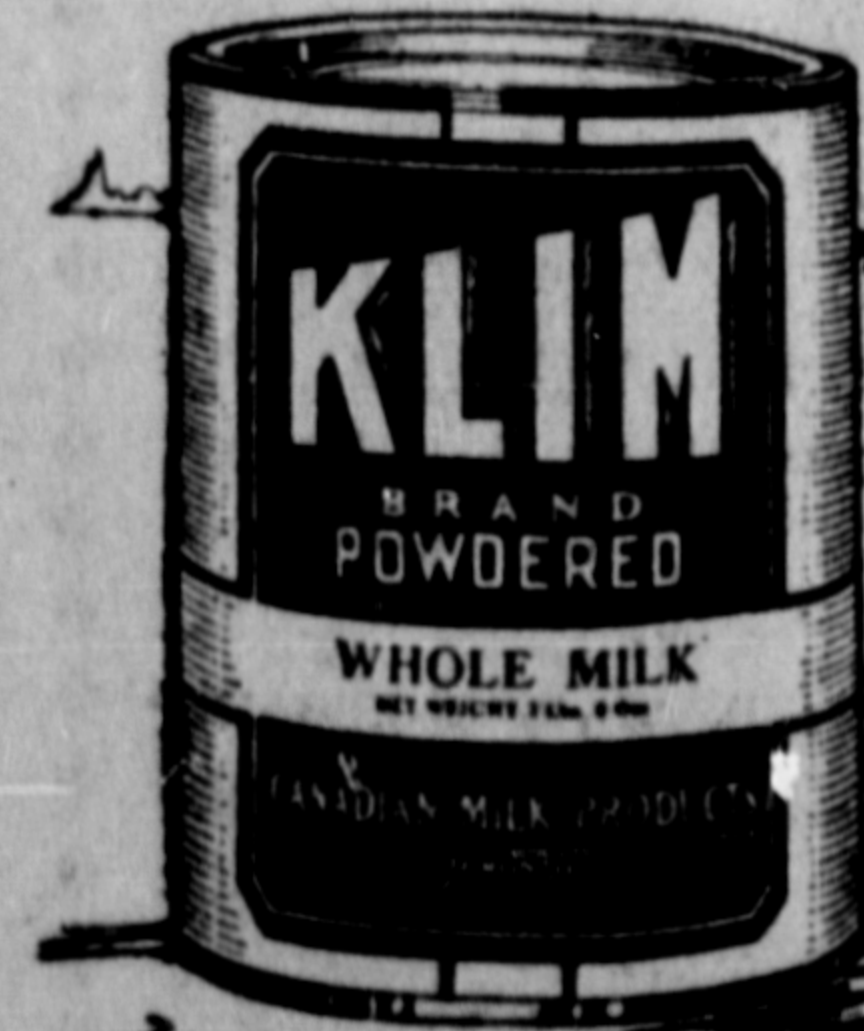
Duty Of Political Parties To City.

It is the duty of the two political organizations to see that the people are on the list. It was shown by the recent election that people still adhere to party lines to a very large extent in political affairs. Because of this the executives of the two parties have a duty to see that the people have a right to vote. Both sides have been somewhat remiss in the past. The future is the opportunity to prove that the parties can be of service to the community.

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ISLANDS ARE PROSPEROUS

Magistrate Mallory Enthusias Over Industries of Graham Island

A. R. Mallory, magistrate and general broker Port Clements, who is in the city on a business trip, is very enthusiastic over the present and future commercial activities on the Queen Charlotte Islands. Mr. Mallory stated to The News this morning that conditions never looked rosier than they do at the present time and he foretold a future era of prosperity never before enjoyed by the Islanders.

Gold Mining

Speaking of industrial conditions Mr. Mallory says that the P.B.C. Mining Co. are meeting with much success in their operations of extracting gold from the black sands and in addition to the building of a small smelter at Port Clements the company is contemplating erecting an additional smelter on the east coast of the islands. According to the present outlook the gold extracting process is working out very well and the undertaking looks like a good paying proposition.

Pole Camp

A pole camp has recently been opened at Port Clements, in charge of C. B. Place. Twenty-five men and ten horses are already steadily employed. The cedar poles are being taken out for the carrying of heavy transmission wires in municipal work both in Canada and the United States.

F. L. Buckley, formerly manager of the Massett Timber Co.'s sawmill, has purchased the old Graham Island Spruce and Cedar Co.'s mill at Port Clements and it is the purchaser's intention to operate this mill as soon as the machinery is ready. A staff of men is already on the ground doing preliminary work.

Fishing Good

Salmon fishing on the coast of the Queen Charlotte Islands is particularly good this year, there being a big run of fish. The Wallace Fisheries are operating a large floating cannery at Port Clements and are putting up large quantities of fish. The fishermen are getting very good catches and the prices offered by the canneries appear to be satisfactory.

Port Clement Ti-ell Road

The main road construction between Port Clements and Ti-ell is progressing splendidly. A large crew has been steadily engaged on its construction and good work has been done. Mr. Mallory considers that the linking of the north and south end of the islands by this road will be of inestimable benefit to the rapid development of the islands.

PRODUCER OF MOVIES HERE

Maurice Tournour of Hollywood Plans Filming Trail of '98

"I have travelled all over the world and I never enjoyed a sea voyage more or saw more beautiful scenery than I did on my trip to Prince Rupert from Vancouver," said Maurice Tournour, the well known motion picture producer of Hollywood, California, who is making a trip of the northern Pacific coast on a combined business and pleasure trip, and who arrived in the city on the steamer Prince George yesterday afternoon. Mr. Tournour was much impressed by the scenery around the city and expressed his pleasure at being away from the persistent sunshine and rainless days of the Californian climate.

North Good Location

Mr. Tournour is contemplating producing for the screen Robert W. Service's story, "The Trail of '98." The story has not yet been produced for the movies and he thinks it is one of the finest action stories ever written and admirably suitable for production. While he has nothing definite to say on the subject, Mr. Tournour stated that if the idea matured he would bring the cast north on location and would reproduce the original scenes of the story in the north country. A pocket motion picture camera is carried by the producer and he intends to make a trip by launch in the

vicinity and take some scenic pictures.

Pictures Produced

One of the outstanding pictures produced by Mr. Tournour was "The Isle of Lost Ships," and he is now engaged upon the production of a picture for the screen entitled "White Moth," in which Barbara Le Marr is his leading lady and Conway Tearle the leading man. The picture is being produced for the First National organization. The next picture he will produce will be "Never The Twain Shall Meet," a story by Peter B. Kyne, for Cosmopolitan Films, a Hurst organization. The pictures will all be produced at the Tournour studios in Hollywood. Mr. Tournour is returning south on the Prince George tonight.

PREMIER SENDS APPRECIATION

Thanks Board of Trade for Courtesy of Communication Received

The following letter has been received by the board of trade from Hon. Mackenzie King, prime minister, in reply to telegrams dispatched recently by the board in connection with the appropriation of \$150,000 in the supplementary estimates for the building of a terminal grain elevator here:

"Ottawa, July 11, 1924.

"Secretary
"Board of Trade,
"Prince Rupert, B.C.
"Dear Sirs—The prime minister has duly received your two telegrams of the 9th instant in which you express, on behalf of the Prince Rupert Board of Trade, its appreciation of the government's action in placing an amount of \$150,000 in the supplementary estimates tabled in the House of Commons, towards the building of a terminal elevator at Prince Rupert.
"Mr. King desires me to thank you for the courtesy of your communication, which he is sure will be as much appreciated by his colleagues as by himself.
"Yours faithfully,
"(Signed) F. A. McGEORGE,
"Private Secretary."

The Man in the Moon SAYS:

THANK heaven the girls around here have pluck enough to get their hair bobbed in spite of the protest of their elders.

NOW that Mary Ellen is elected she can hardly proceed with her action against the General for pinching her seat.

IT was a sad fate which brought General McRae so near the promised land and allowed him to look across the river Jordan yet refused him admittance.

IT would save considerable expense and might be a source of income for some worthy cause if the mayor and the chairman of the finance committee would settle their differences with the use of two pairs of four ounce gloves.

THE scientists believe the world is millions of years old and the theologians say it is thousands of years old. At any

rate the world is old enough to know better, thus resembling some of the men around town.

A MAN is not very big today if he can hide behind a woman's skirts.

WHEELBARROWS are fast being replaced in China by motor cars. In this country the Senate continues.

EVERY girl has two very good reasons for wearing the most expensive silk hose.

IT'S all right to bawl out the old folks, but don't do it before company. It looks bad.

THOSE who swim in the harbor say they do not care for permanent waves.

JAKE says that motorboats are made to take people's minds off their other troubles.

JAKE says he has heard about the advance of civilization but the trouble is it never seems to get here.

WHEN do we eat?
Where do we drink?
Are popular questions
Don't you think?

YOU may have heard of the person who never makes a mistake. He is a close relative of the late King Tut and was embalmed about the same time.

NEVER send your best girl flowers on Mother's Day or she may not be your best girl any longer.

A HUSBAND is said to be a trailer travelling under his own power.

IT is difficult to rock the boat and row at the same time.

IN PROBATE.
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Donald J. McEldermid, Deceased; Intestate.
TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor F. McE. Young, made this 3rd day of July, A.D. 1924, I was appointed Acting Administrator of the estate of Donald John McEldermid, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 8th day of August, A.D. 1924, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

WALTER GALE,
Acting Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Dated this 8th day of July, 1924.

WATER NOTICE.
(Diversion and Use)

TAKE NOTICE that Hume B. Babinington, whose address is Massett, will apply for a licence to take and use 5,000 gallons of water out of an unnamed pond. The water will be diverted from the pond at a point about 200 feet north of the north-east corner of block 40a D.L. 7, plan 946, Queen Charlotte Islands, and will be used for industrial purpose upon the land described as block 19 D.L. 7, plan 946, Queen Charlotte Islands. This notice was posted on the ground on the 19th day of May, 1924. 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 fifty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is May 26th, 1924.

H. B. BABINGTON, Applicant.

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