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SOAPY SMITH AND O'BRIEN IN THE NORTH

Norman Watt Tells Rotary Club How he Met Notorious Criminals on Way to Yukon

Norman Watt of this city was in Skagway at the time of the killing of the noted outlaw, Soapy Smith, and he also was host for a short time to the notorious criminal O'Brien, who was later hanged at St. Louis. Mr. Watt told a number of reminiscences of the days of '98 and before at the Rotary Club luncheon yesterday.

Just after Mr. Watt's arrival in Skagway in the early days of the Klondike gold rush, Soapy Smith and his gang of outlaws were operating along the Dalton Trail with headquarters at Skagway. Mayor Reid of Skagway sent an ultimatum to Smith telling him that a meeting of citizens was going to be held and that after the meeting he would be there at the peril of his life. His gang went to the meeting and broke it up and cleared the premises.

Another written message was sent to Smith telling him they were going to confer on the wharf and that if he passed a certain spot they would shoot to kill. Soapy Smith came and just as he passed the named spot both he and Reid opened fire and both were killed.

Paddy Was There
As Mr. Watt was going into the Yukon he met Paddy Ryan at the farther end of Lake Labarge and Paddy proved a most hospitable host.

An interesting mention was the passing down Thirty Mile River, which was strewn with supplies and wreckage of those

who had tried to navigate it. There was everything there from canned chicken to bully beef.

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An Infallible Guard

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Advertising is your guard

the proposed improvements or changes could not well be of a permanent nature; that the proposed filling of Cow Bay would destroy the Bay to the harbor line (not to the railway bridge as many suppose) and would make shelter construction outside the fill as difficult as if it were being done outside the Government wharf. Did you report that?

But, Mr. Editor, why single out Ald. Stephens for your attack?

Where is his political bias in the question? Why absolve other members of the council who supported the motion and who are known to be of another political stripe? Either you cannot be fully conversant with the situation or do not wish to be. I cannot accuse any member of the 1926 council of allowing political leanings to interfere with his views on matters pertaining to the welfare of the city and I do not think your attack on me will have the effect of disturbing the harmony of the council or even influencing any of its members unduly.

Neglect of City
If fighting for this city is political bias, Mr. Editor, you will have plenty of material for future editorials for it is my intention, at an early date, to bring again to the attention of the Council, the neglect of the Provincial government to improve the grounds in front of the Court House fronting on McBride Street; the closing down of the government work on the Island Road as soon as the city had completed its portion at heavy cost to the tax payers. In 1923 plans for the improvement of the Court House grounds were submitted to the city council, an election followed and the grounds have remained unsightly for nearly three years since. This may be political bias but it is Prince Rupert's business.

You criticized repetitions in

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debate by some of the aldermen. That was constructive and fair criticism and I am, perhaps, one of those guilty of this offense. Your criticism of motives is unfair, unfounded and uncalled for, and I leave the matter of political bias to your readers and those who gave me the largest vote I have yet polled only a couple of weeks ago, for disposal.

M. M. STEPHENS.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.
Prince Rupert
Mr. Swartz, W. Lee, Gong Chow, Albert Farrow, T. B. Blakey, Vancouver; Mrs. E. M. Corbould and family, Fraser Lake; F. V. Delcourt and L. O. Lyell, Vancouver; W. Leggett, Prince George, George Keen, Smithers; Martin Zucco, Anxox.

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