

TO THE VOTERS of Prince Rupert

The city plebiscite, on the question of the appointment of a City Manager, was held at the joint request of the Trades & Labor Council and the Chamber of Commerce. Ninety-five percent of those casting a vote were in favor of such an appointment being made.

The plan at that time was such as to allow complete control of civic administration by a manager. An elected mayor and small council would have had nominal power only.

We believe that conditions now demand the utmost efficiency in the operation of civic affairs and, to this end, are in favor of the appointment of an Executive Officer—but with this difference: that he be at all times subordinate to the elected council. We repeat that the Mayor and Council will determine all matters relating to policy, finance, contracts and bylaws.

Realities must be faced. The war effort is making tremendous demands on everyone's time. No member of the city council, from any walk of life, will have sufficient spare time to properly supervise the many overloaded city services.

We therefore reaffirm our intention of appointing a capable official to attend to the details of the operation of the city's affairs. The tenure of his office will depend on the efficiency of his services.

The city in the past has had many competent officials and employees who have given years of satisfactory service without being under contract or agreement of any description. Is it unreasonable to suppose that a superintendent or manager could not be employed on the same basis? We leave the answer to your own common sense.

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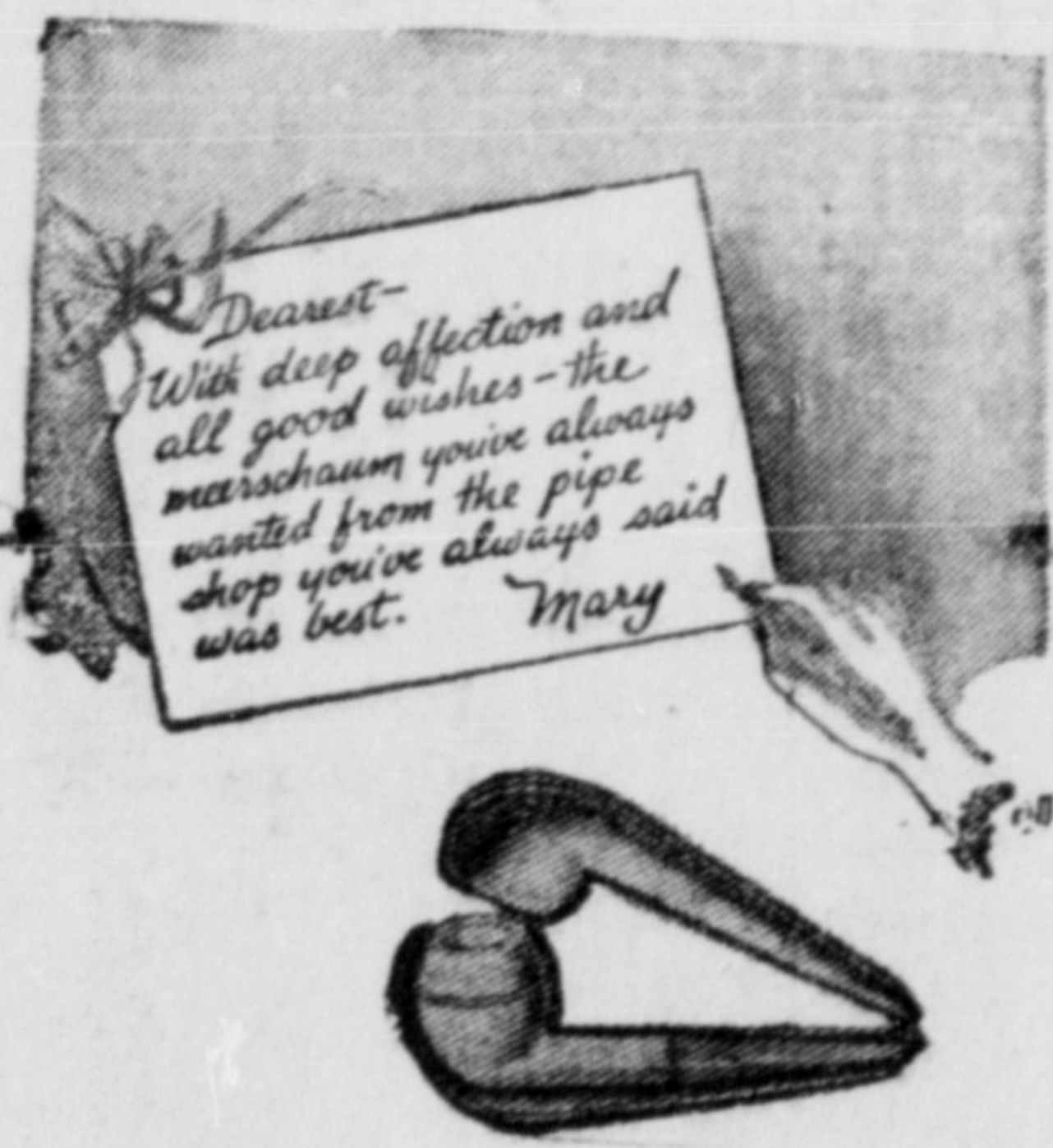
- (Mrs.) N. E. ARNOLD
- R. E. MORTIMER
- A. DON RITCHIE
- BOB McKAY
- ROD A. McLEOD
- J. E. JACK
- Ratepayers' Association
- Candidates for the Council.

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SMITHERS

Charles Morris, whose term is expiring, and Oswald Hoskins are candidates for the office of village commissioner at the municipal election to be held in Smithers on Saturday of this week.

Curling and skating are now being enjoyed in Smithers, the ice on both rinks being in good shape.

Andrew Wess was fined \$10, with option of five days' imprisonment, for drunkenness. He served the time. Alex David, Indian, was fined \$10 and cost for intoxication.

There is quite a revival in interest in basketball here this winter. The High School girls' team is showing a great improvement in standard of play. In the senior league there is keen rivalry between the airport and town teams.

Mrs. Tom Collison is recuperating after a week in the Bulkley Valley District Hospital suffering from an attack of pleurisy.

Recent patients in the Smithers hospital have included John Klewin and Ole Sorvik of Smithers, J. Soroka of Telkwa and Emil Rautle of Cedarvale.

Douglas Frizzell of Prince Rupert has been spending a couple of weeks in Smithers.

The proprietor of the O. K. Cafe here has been charged with permitting liquor on his premises. Thomas Williams was fined \$50 with option of thirty days imprisonment, for having liquor in the restaurant.

Bernhard Heide was fined \$300 and costs for supplying liquor to Indians at Burns Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Murray of Douby were visitors in Smithers at the first of the week.

Russell Smith of the Canadian National Railways has been visiting for a week at Smithers.

A. E. Goodenough, manager of the Hanson Timber & Lumber Co. has been spending a few days in Houston on company business.

J. R. McIntyre has been spending a week in Prince Rupert on Brotherhood of Railway Employees business.

R. W. Currier has arrived here

PHILIPPINE WAR FILM

"Manila Calling" Pictures America's Fighting Guerrilla Army

A story of violence and high adventure, "Manila Calling," coming Wednesday only to the Capitol Theatre, is geared for action and suspense. It is the story of a lost battalion of fierce fighting men stranded in a jungle clearing by the withdrawal from the Philippines of American armed forces and seeking at the Japs whenever the opportunity arises.

Led by Lloyd Nolan, Cornel Wilde, James Gleason and Carole Landis, the guerrillas happen to be communications men. Their work is vital and the Japs know it. The Americans resort to guerrilla tactics, maintaining communications and disrupting the Japs.

Because there is more serious work afoot, Lloyd Nolan and Carole Landis find it necessary to postpone romance for the time being. And James Gleason's temper is said to get the best of him again, which is equivalent to saying that there is some rollicking laughter ahead. Interesting, too, is the important role assigned to Cornel Wilde. This relative newcomer to the screen is from the Broadway stage and is known also as an ex-Olympic athlete.

IN SWEET TATERS

Sweet taters are the driest of common vegetables, containing only twice as much water as bone-dry material.

from Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, to supervise plumbing work on the Smithers airport. Work on the project is proceeding favorably.

Mrs. George Robinson and baby daughter, Carol, have arrived from Smithers to be guests of Mrs. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Haan.

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For Aldermen:

ARNOLD, NORAH E.	X
JACK, J. E.	X
MORTIMER, R. E.	X
McKAY, ROBERT	X
McLEOD, R. A.	X
RITCHIE, A. D.	X

For School Board:

HAM, CLIFFORD G.	X
HILL, KATHLEEN M.	X
MADISON, GORDON E.	X
SMITH, EDWARD J.	X

Voting at The City Hall, Thursday Next
8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

PRINCE RUPERT RATEPAYERS' ASSOCIATION

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the "Administration Act" and

In the Matter of the Estate of Ethel Lillian Gourd
TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge Fisher, local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, I was on the 27th day of November A.D. 1942 appointed Administrator of the Estate of Ethel Lillian Gourd formerly of Bella Bella, British Columbia, deceased, who died on or about the 18th day of April 1942. All persons indebted to the said Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith and all persons having claims against the said Estate are required to file them with me properly verified on or before the 31st day of December A.D. 1942 failing which distribution will be made having regard only to such claims of which I shall have been notified.
DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 27th day of November 1942.
NORMAN A. WATT
Official Administrator
Prince Rupert, B.C.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT" (Section 28)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 29th day of December 1942 next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer Licence No. 5836 issued in respect of premises being part of a building known as Knox Hotel situate on First Avenue upon the lands described as Lots 13 and 14 of Block 2, Section 1, Map 928, City of Prince Rupert, Prince Rupert Land Registration District in the Province of British Columbia, from George I. Rorie, Trustee of the property of Knox Hotel Company Limited, Authorized Assignor of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, to Knox Hotel Co. Ltd. of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, the transferee.
DATED at Prince Rupert, British Columbia, this 29th day of November 1942.

KNOX HOTEL CO. LTD.
by Martin Laballe, director.
Date of first insertion, November 28, 1942.

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