

ARMY MOBILIZED IN PREPARATION OF S.A. STRIKE

MANSON BACKS DOWN ON SHUT-DOWN-THE-CITY CRY—CITIZENS WITH FAITH WANT PROGRESS

SENTIMENTAL OPPOSITION AGAINST POWER AGREEMENT

MEETING LAST NIGHT APPLAUDED OPPOSITION — NOISE MOSTLY MADE BY THOSE WHO HAVE NO VOTE ON ISSUE

The hydro-electric agreement meeting drew a crowded house at the Empress last evening. There was an enthusiastic prejudice against the agreement which manifested itself whenever an opposition speaker appeared or made a comment. Quite a large portion of the audience, however, did not take part in the applause, and as a voting force they could only be speculated upon. The meeting was thrown open to all members and Messrs. Wm. Manson, C. W. Peck and Dr. Clayton came up to represent the opposition. The feature of the evening was Wm. Manson's attempt to withdraw his former suggestion that the sewer bylaw be kept until the hydro-electric scheme was financed. He says he did not mean to do about sewers, but to rescind the existing bylaw and start over again. The one logical speech of the evening was by W. P. Lynch, who predicted in conclusion that the city would not be able to finance anything this year. Mr. Fred Stork was chairman. He invited any one who had anything to say to the platform and that personalities be cut out. O. H. Nelson was the first speaker. He looked upon the Goddard Lake scheme as a good cudgel to hold over the company and it had succeeded in getting a good agreement for the city. The city buys its power at a city gates and controls all power and prices in the city. 20 years the city is free of the contract and before that time she had to make arrangements to develop a bigger scheme. He was not afraid of a company. There are combines in every phase of life. The manufacturers and trades unions have them. We have to accept them as part of our social system. He is not afraid of the future. It is quite possible that water power will be much of a factor in electricity twenty years from now. Wm. Manson called the agreement the thin end of the wedge, the agreement is passed the city will never own its own plant.

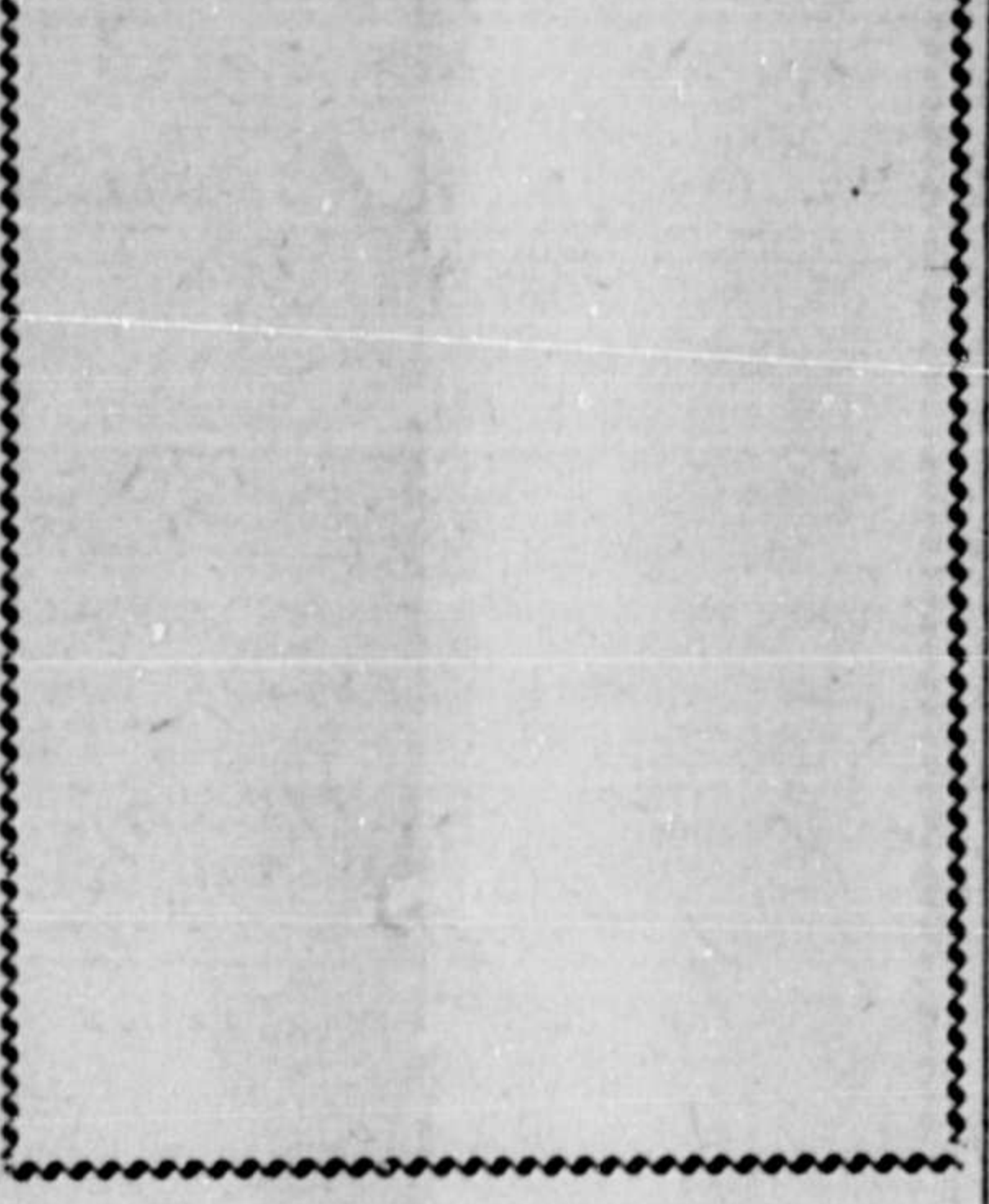
CONGREGATION GOT SOME TIMELY ADVICE

Rev. Kerr Recommended Burying the Past—Hopes New Minister Will Be a Live One

As published yesterday, Rev. R. W. Kerr has decided to leave the Prince Rupert pastorate, making the announcement Sunday evening. Instead of preaching a regular sermon, Mr. Kerr said he would take the opportunity to give them a heart to heart talk. He went at some length into the many trials of a minister, who because of his work having to do with the personal things of life was more sensitive to criticism than other people. He also took the occasion to give them some good wholesome advice with regard to their new pastor. "There will be some of you," said he, "who will rush to him with your criticism of the past, and while he may be smiling at you he will be just then forming his opinion of you." Let the past lie dead and turn your faces with enthusiasm toward the future. Another telling phrase was this: "I hope you will not get a spick - and - span-afternoon-tea-drinking minister." He hoped the new minister would be a familiar figure around the dry dock, the G. T. P. shops and the union labor halls. But a minister must be first of all a student, and only as such can he be a great preacher. "Every Friday and Saturday night," said the speaker, "I rolled up my sleeves and went into my books, often till twelve and one o'clock, in order that I might have something fresh and interesting, and after all that only a paltry few turned out on Sunday morning to hear what I had to say. If you want the best out of your own minister turn out on Sunday mornings and encourage him. He was very pleased that he was given credit for saying what he thought. He did not believe in the "dearly beloved brethren" type of sermon. What is often called "a plain Gospel sermon" was usually a flow of platitudes and was a travesty on the name Gospel. He hoped the new minister would be one who would deal with live issues as he had tried to do. Mr. Kerr when seen this morning said it was the most difficult decision he ever made. He would feel worse leaving Prince Rupert now than he did when leaving his old home. Mrs. Kerr, too, had the same attachment toward the place and people. The only thing that could tear him away was his belief that the change would be good for both parties. He has asked the presbytery to defer his transfer until the last of February. Within that time he hopes that a new man can be located.

Did You See It?

Here is a photographic reproduction of the Empire's report of Ald. Dybbahn's speech:



Fatal Titanic Liability

(Special to The Daily News.) Washington, Jan. 13.—Compensation for the stupendous loss of life and property with the sinking of the Titanic will be up for consideration in the supreme court. On the outcome of the argument to leading American lawyers will depend whether the Oceanic Steam Navigation Company, the owners of the Titanic, must pay \$13,000,000 of claims or whether the liability will be limited to \$90,000.

Peace Amid Strife

(Special to The Daily News.) The Hague, Jan. 13.—The academy of international law to be established in connection with the peace organization has had negotiations in progress for several days at various of the committee's associations, including the Carnegie Peace endowment. These are successfully concluded today.

Prior Is Ill

(Special to The Daily News.) London, Jan. 13.—Hon. E. G. Prior, former premier of British Columbia and ex-M. P. for the city of Victoria, is under the care of a distinguished physician here suffering from internal disorders.

Sir James No Better

(Special to The Daily News.) New York, Jan. 13.—Sir James Whitney's condition is unimproved during the day. He was still restless and weak at 9 p. m.

Service to End of Steel

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Pattullo Meeting Westholme Theatre Wednesday Night

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CITY ANNUAL REPORT MAGNIFICENT SURPLUS

Splendid Financial Condition of City Affairs at Close of Year

At the council meeting last evening the city treasurer submitted an approximate statement of the city accounts made from trial balances on December 31. The receipts are: General fund and utilities, \$388,838.63; 4 year debentures, \$35,920.69; 4 year debentures, \$34,188.10; loan section one, \$50,000; total, \$528,947.42. Expenditures \$509,770.76; balance \$19,176.66. The expenditure includes \$57,779.90 spent on hydro-electric and \$59,000 on section one grading and city property, Fulton Street; \$35,920, section two plank road; \$34,188.10, Second Avenue grading, and \$3,206.16, Hays Cove Circle plank road. The balance in the bank is \$40,273.01; outstanding cheques and liabilities \$21,096.35. The surplus is \$135,968.86, made up of cash, \$19,176.66; spent on hydro-electric fund, \$56,900, and arrears taxes, \$59,892.20. All special funds overdrawn in 1912 have been replaced.

Scottish League

(Special to The Daily News.) Glasgow, Jan. 13.—The results of Scottish League games are as follows: Aberdeen 0, Hearts 1. Queen's Park 0, Ardrieonians 2. Ayr United 1, Rangers 2. Celtic 4, Dumbarton 0. Motherwell 1, Clyde 1. Morton 3, Dundee 0. Falkirk 2, Hamilton Academicals 1. Hibs 0, Raith Rovers 3. Kilmarnock 1, Third Lanark 1. Partick Thistle 2, St. Mirren 1.

More Equipment Coming

The C.P.R. barge left Vancouver on Thursday with railroad equipment for the G.T.P. She is carrying 4 engines, seven cars and a snow plow. The barge is expected any time now, although there has been a heavy gale down the coast.

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Brotherhood social at the Baptist church Tuesday, the 13th at 8 p.m. Music, games, refreshments. Everybody welcome. Admission free. 9-10

BIG SOUTH AFRICAN STRIKE MAY BE CALLED ANY HOUR

INCOMING BALLOTS FROM ALL TRADES UNIONS FAVOR THE STRIKE—20,000 MILITIA MOBILIZED FOR MARTIAL LAW

(Special to The Daily News.) Capetown, Jan. 13.—Quiet prevails throughout South Africa, but it may be the lull before the storm. The incoming ballots from various centres make practically certain strike will be voted. Ballots from miners along the Reef favor a strike. Various trades, including shop assistants and warehouse clerks in Johannesburg voted similarly. The feeling is growing that the Johannesburg situation is becoming more serious. Capetown harbor workers were officially called out by union ballot. The typographical union, Johannesburg branch, resulted in a large majority favoring a strike. The most hopeful feature of the situation is the extraordinary success of the mobilization of the troops. It is estimated that 20,000 men are on hand. It is a most prepared campaign and is like those which made the Boers so long despair of British generals. A miner who was accused of causing a native uprising at Jagersfontein Saturday by kicking a native to death, has been remanded for trial.

Campaign News and Views

Betting Favors Pattullo

Considerable money is standing in some of the local brokerage offices to bet on Pattullo. One opposition shouter claimed to have \$3,000 to place on Newton. When cornered he reduced it to a \$5 wager, and had to borrow the five at that. As the mayor says, get into the cart of progress with him and help to build up the city. Do not stick in the mud. It is time that those who will sacrifice the whole city in order to satisfy a personal spite should be downed for all time. A man who will deliberately injure the city in order to satisfy a personal spite is no fit man for the office of chief magistrate. While a considerable number of cities in Canada had their cheques refused on current account this year, the city of Prince Rupert has money in the savings bank. There is no city in the province in better financial shape than the city of Prince Rupert, thanks to the policy of conserving the resources of the city adopted by the present mayor and council. Put back into office the men who turned a deficit of \$30,000 into a surplus of \$135,000, in a year of financial stringency, these men having shown that not only are they thoroughly safe but also progressive. The policy which the mayor has outlined is a constructive one, along lines which will build up the city. The policy of the opposition is purely destructive, and spells nothing more or less than stagnation and ruin.

Two new nominations for aldermen were made yesterday, being that of J. E. Dyer and Thos. McClymont. With these additions it ought to be possible to secure a splendid council to assist Mayor Pattullo in his progressive programme for this year.

Do not forget that there is a million dollar note to be met next year. Better return to office a man who knows something of financial affairs, rather than the man who was foolish enough to issue the note, who left a deficit of \$30,000, and who never knew at any time just how the city did stand.

Aux Canadiens Francoise

Une assemblée Canadienne Francoise sera tenue dans la salle du Club Catholique, 5ieme et rue Fulton, ce soir, Jan. 13, a 9 hrs. precis. Le but est de discuter d'affaires tres importantes, concernant les elections municipales. Ni manquez pas. 9-10 C. A. COUTURE.

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METHOD OF CALCULATING			
Cost of Power to Consumer under the Company Agreement as Advertised in the Daily Papers Last Week			
CITY TAKING 501 H. P. at 40% LOAD FACTOR			
Operating Expenses—Staff—			
Plant Supl., at \$200 per month.....	\$ 2,400.00		
Chief Clerk, at \$125 per month.....	1,500.00		
Clerk, at \$100 per month.....	1,200.00		
Line Foreman, at \$165 per month.....	1,980.00		
Three Linemen, at \$100 per month.....	3,600.00		
Three Operators, at \$100 per month.....	3,600.00		
One Meterman, at \$110 per month.....	1,320.00		
One Meterman, at \$100 per month.....	1,200.00		
		\$16,800.00	
Plant incidentals, apart from extensions.....	1,000.00		
Fixed Charges—			
Capital cost of present plant.....	\$60,000.00		
Capital cost of extensions.....	46,385.00		
		\$106,385.00	\$13,830.00
Cost of Power at City Sub-station—			
501 h.p. at \$12 per h.p. per year.....	\$ 6,000.00		
501 h.p. at 40% load factor gives 1,306,992 k. w.			
k. w. hrs. at 1c.....			13,070.00
			\$50,700.00
Total Annual Cost.....			
If line losses are 20%, and 60% of the net power is sold as light and 40% as power, then—			
K. w. hours for sale.....	1,045,594		
K. w. hrs. sold for light.....	627,356 at 7c	\$43,914.92	
K. w. hrs. sold for power.....	418,238 at 2c	8,364.76	
		\$52,279.68	
Gross Income.....			
Less total annual cost.....		50,700.00	
			\$ 1,579.68

GRAND CONCERT

At St. Andrew's Church Hall, cor. Fourth Avenue and Dunsmuir, Tuesday evening, January 13th, 1914

- Pianoforte Duet.....Selected Mrs. C. A. G. Armstrong, Miss L. M. Ellett.
- Song, "The Captain's Eye".....Fletcher
- Mr. W. H. Melliar.
- Violin Solo, Fantasia Pastorale.....Single Miss L. E. King
- Song.....Selected Mrs. H. H. D. Hemmel
- Recitation.....Selected Mrs. J. Chisholm
- Song, "I Hear You Calling Me".....Marshall
- Song, "C. A. G. Armstrong"
- PART TWO.
- Prison Scene from "Il Trovatore".....Yordi-Parks
- Soprano, Mrs. Jarvis McLeod
- Tenor, Mr. J. E. Davey
- Chorus—Messrs. Norrington, Evans, Waddell, Armstrong, Melliar, Mortimer, Darton and Fisher.
- Song.....Selected Mrs. J. Allan
- Guitar Solo.....Selected Mrs. G. Bryant
- Song, "Good Night Beloved".....Balfe
- Mr. J. E. Davey
- Song, "Come Sing to Me".....Thompson
- Mr. G. Norrington

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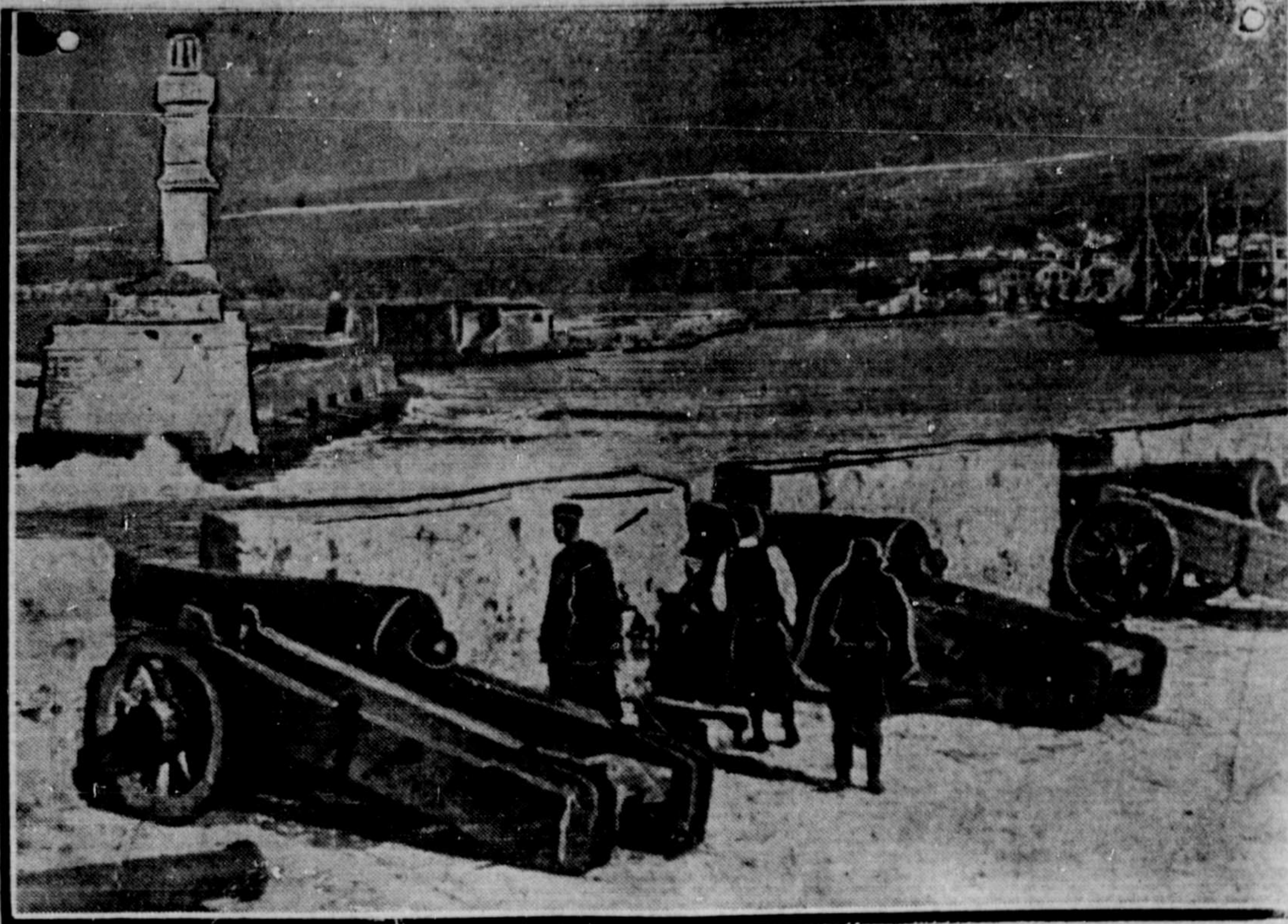
The most interesting phase of the present campaign is seen when it is reviewed from the psychological side. The city seems to be divided into two hostile camps with a margin lying between that seems to care very little how it goes, and all they want is the fun. This applies particularly to the hydro-electric agreement. Most of the participants have arrived at the place where argument seems to count for little, for their minds are already made up.

At last night's meeting the attitude of men like Dr. Kergin and W. P. Lynch was one that would appeal to disinterested parties. Those are men whose opinions count, and when they declare that they believe the agreement to be a good one it should weigh strongly with those who have not yet made up their minds.

One of the speakers argued that the company under the agreement could get a few of their largest consumers together and by concerted action advance the peak load and make the city pay at that rate for the whole month. Perhaps

it never occurred to the speaker that such an action was criminal and that if a man is criminally inclined he can practice that principle in every walk of life—for a time. If men were so base as all that it would not be safe to do business at all, and even society itself could not stand.

While the hydro-electric agreement would be a great boon to this city, the most important issue before the people is their choice of a council. With the large number of aldermen in the field it should be easy to secure a very effective body. The next important thing is to elect a mayor who can work in harmony with them. This phase is perhaps more important than the cable of the man. S. M. Newton fought with every council yet elected in Prince Rupert, and it would be hard to convince the citizens that those councils were all composed of bad men. Let us elect men who will uphold the dignity of the office and who have enough faith in his fellow man to believe that he is not entirely hopeless.



A VIEW OF CANES, CAPITAL OF CRETE, SHOWING DEFENCES

Island of Crete a few days ago became a possession of Greece King Constantine himself raised the Greek flag over the Capital.

The Power Issue

Is it good business to spend several hundred thousand dollars on a city hydro plant that will only develop 2,000 horse power? If Prince Rupert is going to be a big city she will require 20,000 horse power in a very few years. If she is not going to be a big city all our plans are wrong and the city itself is a mistake. Vancouver takes 125,000 horse power. What will Prince Rupert take on a conservative estimate?

Supposing we erect the Diesel oil auxiliary plant and build the Woodworth Lake power house. About the time we get them completed we will begin to realize that Prince Rupert needs a 10,000 h. p. system. That means the Woodworth Lake plant will have to be discarded for a bigger one, and we will have half a million dollars or more tied up in three plants that will go to the junk heap—the steam plant, the Diesel oil plant and the Woodworth Lake plant. Is that good business?

Does it not appeal to you as being better business to purchase power outside the city and use it as we require it until such time as the city needs a large unit justifying the development of a big power plant? There is no question of price. It is admitted that the price from the private company will be practically as cheap as the city developed power, but there is the advantage that in buying the power the city takes no chances. Why should the city expend its credit in developing a plant that will have to be discarded before it is paid for, when they can get the same service without any expenditure of capital?

The city is giving nothing but a contract to purchase a small amount of power at a definite price for a period of twenty years. There is no franchise for the company gets absolutely nothing within the city limits. The cutting out of a switch will shut them off at the completion of the contract. In the meantime the citizens have a definite assurance that their light bills will

be practically cut in two next September.

To develop the Woodworth Lake plant it will be necessary to overcome many obstacles which will make the project one of the indefinite future. It will first be necessary to pass another bylaw for \$200,000 or \$250,000. That may pass or it may not. Then the debentures will be issued and they may sell and they may not. After taking these hurdles the plant may be installed. Providing the people pass the bylaw, the financiers sell the bonds and there are no accidents or delays in putting in the plant, Prince Rupert may get cheaper light in two years. In the meantime we are paying through the nose for the empty privilege of saying we are developing a municipal plant, we will be turning away business and population. Is it worth the price?

When a politician asks a city on the eve of his growing time to forego sewers, light extensions, telephone extensions, water extensions, public buildings, schools and recreation grounds in order to develop a power scheme that won't give us electricity any cheaper than we can buy it from a company willing to invest millions in the district, he is working a fad to death.

Sheep for Interior

Mr. Grady, representing the Barrett ranch in the Bulkley Valley, is now in the city shipping in a flock of 100 sheep which came in on the Prince John yesterday. These will be the first sheep sent into the interior. The Barrett ranch is the only really big ranch in the interior. There are several thousand acres of it and several hundred are under cultivation. The sheep herding is a new venture.

Notice

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Messrs. Rogers & Black are also purchasing a new auto truck to be used for the outlying sections.

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General—		
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Gross annual income	318,724	5,855,700
Population of districts served	50,000	220,000
Light and Power—		
Generating stations (output)	2,000h.p.	128,000h.p.
Lamps in service	28,068	707,000
Tramway System—		
Miles of single track	40	280.77
Passengers carried annually	3,654,300	60,563,300
Numbers of cars in service	50	700

In May, 1912, the number of lighting customers noted on the Company's books was 43,750 and the connected load for industrial purposes was 31,250 h.p.

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Miles of Mains	36	139
Number of connections	2,258	14,750
Gross annual income	\$113,000	\$516,889

For the month of March, 1912, the payroll of the Company covered 5,086 employees, the total amount of the payroll for the period being \$391,255.77.

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SENTIMENTAL OPPOSITION AGAINST POWER AGREEMENT

(Continued from page 1)

Port Edward and also Georgetown water power, but as a citizen of Prince Rupert he thought it a good thing. He favored public ownership, but could not see that this agreement is breaking in on this principle. Mr. Manson's plea for retrenchment is a good argument why this city should not raise \$200,000 to complete the city hydro plant.

Mr. Manson at this point said he did not advocate doing without sewers.

Dr. Kergin—"You mean you advise a cheaper or smaller system."

The doctor did not think the cost of sewers could be trimmed any, and sewers are a serious problem. The next ten or fifteen years the city will have many pressing needs and he did not think it wise to take public funds needed for public improvements to spend on an electric plant when we could buy power as cheaply from a company.

We have to work to make a city. There will be a lot of competition and we need the money.

Dr. Clayton dealt in some personalities and read a telegram correcting figures given by a young man at a previous meeting concerning Seattle power. The statement had been made that Seattle municipal plant was charging the city \$221 a kilowatt year when a company offered it for \$122. The telegram from Ross, the Seattle superintendent, said the figures were wrong and that the price was a hundred dollars lower than that. Ross wound up the telegram by saying the franchise is the worst thing the city could do.

Mr. Kohl produced a report of a national electrical association showing the figures were \$221.27 as previously stated.

Dr. Clayton feared the company would hire citizens to all switch on their lights full blast at a stated period in order to raise the peak load. He also predicted that the agreement could not be put before the legislature in time to be passed this session.

G. W. Nickerson was glad to see Wm. Manson was coming over into the other camp. Before he said wipe out the sewers and give us the city hydro power. Now he is not so sure. He says it is a question of rates. Supt. Duncan's figures are better than Ross', whose statement are contradicted by a report of a national association.

Ross does not understand local conditions. Look at Thompson's estimates. Spend the money on the streets.

W. P. Lynch said with high it is a question of what it will cost and whether we can finance it. We had been given a lot of figures and estimates, but none of them satisfied him. He wanted something definite and he found it in the electric commission report of Ontario. There 24 municipalities using less than 500 h. p. paid an average of \$31.44 h. p. and four rising 4,000 h. p. paid an average of \$27. This was about \$10 per horse power more than the prices under the agreement. It is for the citizens to judge whether the increased cost of labor and material on the Pacific coast warrants this increase in price.

If we install a city plant we will be paying for 835 h.p. whether we use it or not. When we need 900 h. p. we will be paying on a 1,600 h. p. plant.

Can we finance it? Manson says it is foolish to consider works already planned. I am in favor of municipal ownership if it pays. If I had my way private companies could come right into the city and furnish power. Let me make the bargain and they can all come. I don't think you can finance any of your schemes this year. If you have faith in municipal ownership put your own money into it. That is the only way you will get it. No city attempts to finance all its utilities in its early stages. A modern city must have conveniences. At one time these were not necessary. Today they are. If you don't have them you cannot get the population.

Fred Stork thought the bylaw could not carry the handicap against it, but he warned the opponents they would be held to account for it. We have been paying a high price for electric light for many years. They will have to provide something for good as the proposition turned down. The citizens are being carried off their feet by sentiment and not business.

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Campaign Notes

Do not vote for a man who raised a false scare of the pollution of Shawatlans Lake by dead salmon, thus keeping several families from coming to Prince Rupert to live who had intended coming here, and this solely for the purpose of creating a prejudice against the present administration.

Under the reorganization of the City Hall this year future mayors and councils will have great difficulty in misapplying funds. In future funds will be spent for the purpose for which they are voted, and not merely for the purpose of satisfying the whims of weak-minded or unscrupulous mayors or aldermen.

With so many important financial questions coming up, this city cannot afford to do without the services of the present mayor and the present chairman of the finance committee. They are thoroughly familiar with all the details and have given ample evidence in the past five years that they can be thoroughly trusted on behalf of the city.

In a year when the financial market was much better than the year 1913 the opposition candidate was unable to sell any of the city's long term debentures. He had the greatest difficulty in financing current account, was always in a muddle, and ended up with a \$30,000 deficit. His opinion on financial matters would not seem to be worth much.

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Newton's Crooked Figures

Newton in last night's Empire printed a comparison of expenditures for the years 1912 and 1913 that is as grossly misrepresenting as it well could be.

For instance, under the item of general revenue for 1912 Newton includes electric light department, \$64,000; also hospital grant, \$10,000; also new fire alarm service and new school in section seven.

Under general revenue for 1913 he includes nothing for electric light department at all, and makes no allowance for hospital grant of \$10,000 this year; no allowance for fire alarm service paid for this year, and many other items which could be enumerated. Under hydro-electric work also of 1912 he includes the amount that was paid for the actual pipe itself, amounting to approximately \$75,000 and which was not spent in the city.

He also neglects to state that the money which he used last year to carry out hydro-electric work was money from a credit obtained by the 1910 council from the Bank of Montreal, during which year the present mayor was chairman of the finance committee and the present chairman of the finance committee was a member of the city council.

Newton also takes credit for a new school in section seven that was paid for by the 1913 council.

He also neglects to show that the 1913 council had to replace some \$30,000 of money overspent by Newton's council in 1912. This item alone would make a difference of \$60,000 in the comparative statements. In fact, his statement is nothing more or less than gross misrepresentation, and the electors should remember that a man who will deliberately falsify in order to obtain office is not a safe man to be trusted in office.

Summary of Year

The earnings of the electric light department of the city for the year were \$58,146.26, and the net revenue \$7,816.67. The expenditure on capital account was \$6,583.58.

The earnings in the telephone department were \$23,169.10, the net revenue \$7,486.94, and the expenditure on capital \$1,561.46.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

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The Prince John will arrive from Massett tomorrow at 7 o'clock.

The Venture arrived early last evening from the south. She had a big cargo of freight.

Mr. Rauk, late of the Omineca Miner at Old Hazelton, is opening a printing office in the city.

It is significant that two of the principal speakers against the bylaws are men who have no vote on these bylaws.

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Mayor Pattullo promises to expose Newton's dishonest figures at the meeting in the Westholme Theatre Wednesday evening.

Half the fun in the rear of the hall at last night's meeting was caused by the feather on a lady's hat tickling the bald head of a well known city official.

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There are 1400 names of property holders on the bylaw voters' list. Of this number many are American citizens and cannot qualify, and others are absentees. It is unlikely that more than 800 votes will be polled on the bylaws.

Mr. J. C. Brady, principal of the High School will lecture in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The subject will be "Choice Selections from the Best English Writers." Admission free. All are welcome. 9-10

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Track Laying Starts

General Supt. Mehan, who was up the line Friday and Saturday reports that the contractors worked night and day on their cuts and that track laying commenced yesterday at 9.30. It will continue for a week or ten days until Mile 337 is reached. This will be the stopping point until spring.

Aux Canadiens Francaise

Une assemblée Canadienne Francaise sera tenue dans la salle du Club Catholique, 51eme et rue Fulton, ce soir, Jan. 13, a 9 hrs. precis. Le but est de discuter d'affaires tres importantes, concernant les elections municipales. Ni manquez pas.

9-10 C. A. COUTURE.

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B.C. Coast Steamship Service

FAMOUS PRINCESS LINE CANADIAN PACIFIC SAFETY SPEED SERVICE
Princess Royal, southbound, Sunday, 8 p.m.
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Skene Land District.—District of Coast Range V.

TAKE NOTICE that Hume Cronyn, of London, Ontario, occupation manager of a Trust Company, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

(a) Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Lot 1968, thence south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

HUME CRONYN.

Dated November 25th, 1913.

Pub. Dec. 15—Feb. 9, 1914.

NOTICE

I, the undersigned, for and on behalf of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting and Power Company, Limited, have deposited with the Registrar of the Prince Rupert Land Registration District, Prince Rupert, B.C.,

(a) A description of wharf which this company proposes to construct in front of Lot No. 479, Granby Bay, B.C., said lot and the adjoining under-water lot upon which the wharf will be constructed being the property of the said Company.

(b) A general plan showing the position of the property relative to the proposed wharf.

(c) A general plan showing more particularly the relation of this wharf to the shore line, with cross-section of the proposed wharf showing time of construction.

F. M. SYLVESTER, General Manager

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CASH—Will give immediate cash for balance due you under Agreement of Sale Prince Rupert Property (\$250-\$2,000). Give full particulars. A. Wilkinson, General Delivery, City. 294-17

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Yours very truly,

JOHN DYBHAVN.

To the Electors:

In marking your ballots on the 15th for Alderman please consider the name of,

Yours respectfully,

J. E. DYER.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I most respectfully request your vote and influence on behalf for Alderman, 1914.

I am opposed to Hydro-Electric Agreement and the giving away of any of the city franchises, and will do my best toward the up building and progress of the city.

H. DOUGLAS.

Frozen - Pipes

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