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A DISASTROUS FIRE AT PORT ESSINGTON

SINGLE CIVIL SERVANTS MUST JOIN FORCES -- GERMAN SUBS BAG FOUR SHIPS

A SERIOUS FIRE THIS MORNING AT PORT ESSINGTON

Over Fifteen Buildings Wiped out, Including Queen's Hotel—Jap Killed in Leap from Burning House.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Port Essington, Jan. 3.—A disastrous fire broke out here at 6:30 this morning when over fifteen buildings, including the Queen's Hotel and Kishimoto's store were destroyed.

The fire originated in the Kamada House, owned by the Skeena River Commercial Company, and spread very rapidly. The Caledonia Hotel was saved after a hard fight, the owner, Mrs. Kirby, suffering considerable loss in moving furniture from the burning building.

Jap Killed.

A Japanese, named Maruyake-who, who was lying sick in the Japanese house where the fire originated, leaped from the upper storey of the building, a distance of 35 feet, to the beach. He fell very heavily on the ice and died shortly afterwards from the injuries received.

HOUSE GUTTED BY FIRE ON NEW YEAR'S NIGHT

The fire brigade was called out at 11 o'clock on New Year's night to the corner of 9th Ave. and Lot-biniere, where the house of M. L. Pace was in flames. Ten minutes after the alarm was turned in, the house was gutted and everything lost. The brigade could do nothing but prevent the fire from spreading to the adjoining houses.

The cause of the outbreak is unknown, but probably an overheated stovepipe is the explanation. Mr. Pace lost all that was in the house and carried no insurance.

On the way back, the fire engine got stuck in the deep snow on the rise of McBride Street and had to have the assistance of a team of horses to get out.

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Fit Single Men of Military Age Must Make Room for Returning Wounded Soldiers.

(Special to The Daily News.)

St. Thomas, Ont., Jan. 3.—Hon. T. W. Crother, minister of labor, states that all unmarried men in the employment of the Canadian civil service, who are physically fit and of military age, must join the army or leave the service. Returned soldiers will be given preference for all government positions.

150,000 More Men Wanted.

Premier Borden intimates that Canada will increase her military force to 500,000 men, which means the raising of 150,000 more recruits. The number of Canadians already in Europe is 118,922, 50,000 of whom are on the firing line.

Martial Law in Greece.

Athens, Jan. 3.—Martial law has been proclaimed in Greece, to become effective on January 15th.

The Allied authorities at Saloniki have ordered the arrest of all Austrian and German women employed in cafes, and that all Germans, Austrians, Turks and Bulgarians of high standing be also arrested.

Peace Party for Germany.

Copenhagen, Jan. 3.—The German government will permit the Ford peace party to travel through Germany on a special train from The Hague next Friday.

"THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY" AT THE WESTHOLME

This is "Diamond from the Sky" night at the Westholme, and that should be sufficient to draw a big house. This week's episode is entitled "The Path of Peril" and it is just as exciting as last week's. There is also a most interesting two-act drama entitled "The Old Chemist," while there are two most laughable comedies in "Who Got Stung" and "Mabel's Wilful Way." The latter features Mabel Normand, who did so much to help the popularity of Charlie Chaplin. Her work is always of the best.

Marguerite Clark is coming on Wednesday and Thursday and Charlie himself at the end of the week.

THE WEATHER

By F. W. Dowling.

For 24 hours ending 5 a. m. January 3rd.

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HIS MAJESTY WITH THE NEW COMMANDER

This photo taken earlier in the war, by coincidence, shows the King in company with Sir Douglas Haig, the new head of the British forces, on an inspection tour.

FATAL BOB-SLEIGH ACCIDENT IN VANCOUVER

(Special to The Daily News.)

Vancouver, Jan. 3.—Cecil Ayres a boy of 16 years of age living at 907 Homer Street, was killed yesterday in a bob-sleigh accident.

An auto, driven by C. Miller, of 1210 Tenth Avenue, West, ran into the sled on Homer Street. Three other occupants of the sled were injured.

DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE HELD DELIGHTFUL DANCE

The New Year's Eve ball under the auspices of the Daughters of the Empire was voted by all as the jolliest dance of the season. The Eagle Hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion and made a splendid setting for one of the prettiest ball-room scenes imaginable. It is beyond the powers of a mere man to attempt to describe how the ladies looked. Suffice it to say that the youth and beauty of Prince Rupert never appeared to better advantage.

The music was good; the floor was in first rate condition, and all arrangements had been so carefully planned by the ladies that the evening was a huge success. There were the usual greetings as the midnight hour passed and dancing was kept up until the year 1916 was about three hours old.

COLD FEET!

Warm wool and felt top slippers in all sizes, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75; 3 days special, \$1.00. PECK THE SHOEMAN.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knight spent New Year's at Haysport.

BRITISH SHIPS TORPEDOED IN MEDITERRANEAN

Liner Persia Carried Guns When Torpedoed—American Consul Sacrifices Life—Many Americans Lost.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Jan. 3.—It is officially announced that the liner Persia, which was torpedoed by an enemy submarine in the Mediterranean on Saturday, was carrying guns.

One hundred and fifty-eight survivors have been landed at Alexandria. Three hundred lives have been lost, including that of American Consul McNeeley, who gave his place in a lifeboat to a woman and two children. The vessel sank five minutes after being torpedoed.

Three More Gone.

The British liner Glengyle, bound from Yokohama to Genoa, has been torpedoed in the Mediterranean near the spot where the Persia went down.

The loss of life has been very heavy and includes many Americans. One hundred survivors have been landed by other ships. She was a vessel of 9,000 tons and was built in 1914.

The Japanese liner Kenkou Maru, of 2,100 tons, has also been torpedoed. Her crew was saved.

The British steamer Stoswald, of 3,810 tons, has also suffered the same fate. She was in the service of the British government.

DOUBLE FEATURE AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE

The Majestic announces a great double feature program tonight, with seven reels all-told. The chief item is an Essanay three-act production entitled "Mongrel and Master." It is a stirring political drama which is full of sensations.

"The Bomb," a powerful two-act drama, is one of the most thrilling plays on the screen and is certain to hold the interest of all.

There are two real good comedies in "The Simp and the Sophomores" and "Fits and Chills." Both are calculated to provoke no end of fun.

Mr. Delasala announces a classic photoplay featuring Asta Nielsen, for Wednesday and Thursday.

SKATING

Starting at 3 p. m., the Alice B. will leave Davis' float every 45 minutes for across the bay with skating parties, as long as ice lasts. Fare 50c. tf.

Miss Barbeau is about to leave town for Hazelton, where she will spend two months with her sister, Mrs. R. S. Sargent. Miss Barbeau will close her store in Prince Rupert until March 1st.

Children's fur top and felt slippers, regular 3 days special, \$1.00. PECK THE SHOEMAN.

RUSSIANS PLAN TO BREAK HUN LINE IN BALKANS

Russian Offensive Covers 300 mile Front—Big Effort to Smash German Line—Heights in Bukowina Taken.

(Special to The Daily News.)

London, Jan. 3.—The Russian campaign through Bessarabia extends along a front of three hundred miles from the Pripet Marshes to Roumania. The Russians have an army of a million and a half.

The movement is regarded as an ambitious strategic step to break the back-bone of the German line across the Balkans.

Heights Captured.

The Russians have captured important heights in Bukowina, taking 870 prisoners. The army is abundantly supplied with munitions and is fully equipped.

Petrograd reports a series of successes on this front.

Jap Squadron for Suez.

Tokio, Jan. 3.—A squadron of Japanese warships has left for the Suez Canal to protect Japanese shipping.

A report emanating from Los Angeles, Cal., appeared in the Daily News on Thursday, stating that a squadron of Japanese cruisers is already guarding the Suez Canal.

LOCAL SOLDIERS LEAVE ON TUESDAY FOR SOUTH

The men of the 102nd B. C. Regiment who have been stationed here, will leave Tuesday on the Prince John for Comox. They will go south in charge of Captain Brandt. It seems that the authorities are not satisfied with Prince Rupert as a drilling centre though it would appear to a layman that there is at least enough room here to drill the twenty-odd recruits who are at present on the list.

WESTHOLME OPERA HOUSE

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

"THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY" 16th Episode.

"THE PATH OF PERIL"

"WHO GOT STUNG" Comedy.

"THE OLD CHEMIST" Two-act Drama.

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UNDER FIRE

The report from Ottawa that Mr. J. W. Flavelle, chairman of the Imperial Munitions Board in Canada, proposes to cancel a number of contracts made by the Shell Committee before its dissolution, and that General Bertram may resign from the Munitions Board by way of protest, brings up once more the whole question of war profiteering. The cancellation of shell contracts by the Munitions Board must mean one of two things: either that the prices at which they were awarded were grossly excessive, or that persons have been obtaining contracts who have no facilities for making prompt delivery. In either case the Shell Committee cannot be held blameless. Its members as trustees for the Imperial government were in honor bound to secure the lowest possible prices as well as prompt delivery.

The demand for a thorough judicial investigation into the operations of the Shell Committee continues. It is voiced as vigorously by newspapers which support the Borden government as by the opposition press. The following from The Montreal Daily Mail, a strong Conservative paper, whose editor is a half-brother of the minister of finance, indicates that public dissatisfaction is widespread and keen:

"It is with reluctance that The Daily Mail suggests the incompleteness of what is termed General Bertram's valedictory. A public duty, however, cannot be evaded, and it is a public duty to remind General Bertram that his statement, utterly lacking in detail and definiteness as affecting the criticism of the work of his committee, does not allay suspicion, but tends to strengthen

it. Major-General Bertram has been accused of enriching his private interests from business placed by the Shell Committee under his direction. He has been accused of showing favoritism in the distribution of shell orders, and of allowing prices to the manufacturers (including his own concerns) out of all proportion to the cost. Not one of these charges did he deal with in his valedictory, except in relation to the price of shells, and in this particular matter he withholds from the public the very information it desires.

"Major-Gen. Bertram would have been well advised to say more or say nothing. His latest statement, padded with information which appears to be a crude pretext for putting the public off the scent in regard to the operations of the late Shell Committee. The public is ready to be convinced that General Bertram can justify every transaction consummated under his official auspices. While it will not jump to any half-baked conclusions, it will accept definite answers to definite accusations. General Bertram, in his utter lack of frankness in defending the work of the committee, has done poor service to himself, and has very materially strengthened the demand for a public investigation of his direction of the Shell Committee."

Sir Robert Borden may desire that the operations of the Shell Committee shall be forgotten, and Sir Sam Hughes may stand up for General Bertram and his colleagues against all their critics, but when attacks like those of The Montreal Daily Mail come from within the party it is difficult to see how an investigation can be refused without increasing the suspicion, already abroad in the



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country, that waste and graft on a colossal scale attended the committee's operations.—The Toronto Globe.

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CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT NOMINATION NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Prince Rupert, that I require the presence of the said electors at the City Clerk's office, City Hall, on Monday, the 10th day of January, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p. m. of the day of the nomination; the said writing may be in the form numbered five in the schedule of the Municipal Elections Act, and shall state the names, residence, and occupation or description of each person proposed in such manner as sufficiently to identify such candidate; and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the 13th day of January, 1916, in the Council Chamber at the City Hall, Fulton Street, from the hour of 9 a. m. to the hour of 7 p. m., of which every person is hereby requested to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Qualification for Mayor.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as the Mayor of any city shall be any person who is a male British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, not disqualified under any law, and has for the six months next preceding the day of nomination been the registered owner in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the city of assessed value, on the last municipal assessment roll of One Thousand Dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who is otherwise duly qualified as a Municipal Voter.

Qualification for Alderman.

Persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Aldermen of a City shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and who are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the Registered owners, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the City of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll of Five Hundred Dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as Municipal Voters.

School Trustees.

I am notified by the Secretary of the School Board that it will be necessary to hold an election for two trustees to serve for a term of two years, to take the place of Messrs. P. W. Anderson and Dr. W. T. Kerkin, whose terms have expired, also for a trustee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. A. Kirkpatrick, to serve for a term of one year. It will therefore be necessary that nominations be handed to the Returning Officer at the place and time as in the case of Mayor and Aldermen provided by Statute as set out above.

In city school districts of the first, second or third class, any person being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, and having been for the six months next preceding the date of nomination the Registered Owner in the Land Registry Office of land or real property in the city school district of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment roll of Five Hundred Dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified to vote at an election of school trustees in the said school district, shall be eligible to be elected or to serve as a school trustee in such city school district.

Given under my hand at Prince Rupert this third day of January, 1916.

ERNEST A. WOODS, Returning Officer.

Jan. 13.

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Commencing at a post planted at the mouth of Humpback Creek, on its east side, thence 30 chains in a northwesterly direction, following high water mark; thence 1 chain, more or less, in a southwesterly direction to low water mark; thence 30 chains, more or less, in a southeasterly direction, following low water mark; thence 1 chain in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement, and containing 3 acres, more or less.
ANDREW JACKSON & CLAUD PETERSON, October 15th, 1915.

To jump at conclusions may be to vault over the rights of others.

MINERAL ACT

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Rivermouth Fractional mineral claim, situated in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District.

Where located:—At the head of Alice Arm, adjoining the Rivermouth and Cariboo mineral claims.

TAKE NOTICE that I, G. R. Naden, Free Miners' Certificate No. 94,096B, acting as agent for Carrie Pratt, Free Miners' Certificate No. 93,917B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 23rd day of December, A. D. 1915. Apr. 2.
Inserted December 29th, 1915.

NAVIGABLE WATERS' PROTECTION ACT.

RICHARD B. MCGINNIS hereby gives notice that he has, under Section 7 of the said act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the office of the District Registrar of Titles at Prince Rupert, B. C., a description of the site and of the plans for a wharf proposed to be built in Alice Arm, Observatory Inlet, British Columbia, at a point situated about 3-4 miles south of the south-east corner of Lot 1074, Range 5, Coast District, B. C.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, Richard B. McGinnis will under section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa, for approval of the said site and plans, and for leave to construct the said wharf.
DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1915.
RICHARD B. MCGINNIS, Applicant.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

IN THE MATTER OF An application for the issue of a fresh Certificate of Title to Lot Fifty (50), Block Three (3), Section seven (7), City of Prince Rupert, Map 923.

Proof of the loss of the certificate of title to the above lands having been filed in this office, Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue, at the expiration of one (1) month from the first publication hereof, a fresh certificate of title to the above lot in the name of John R. Rodcoff, which Certificate of Title is dated 15th December, 1914, and is numbered 959-1.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar, Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., December 6th, 1915. 115.

A. E. WRIGHT

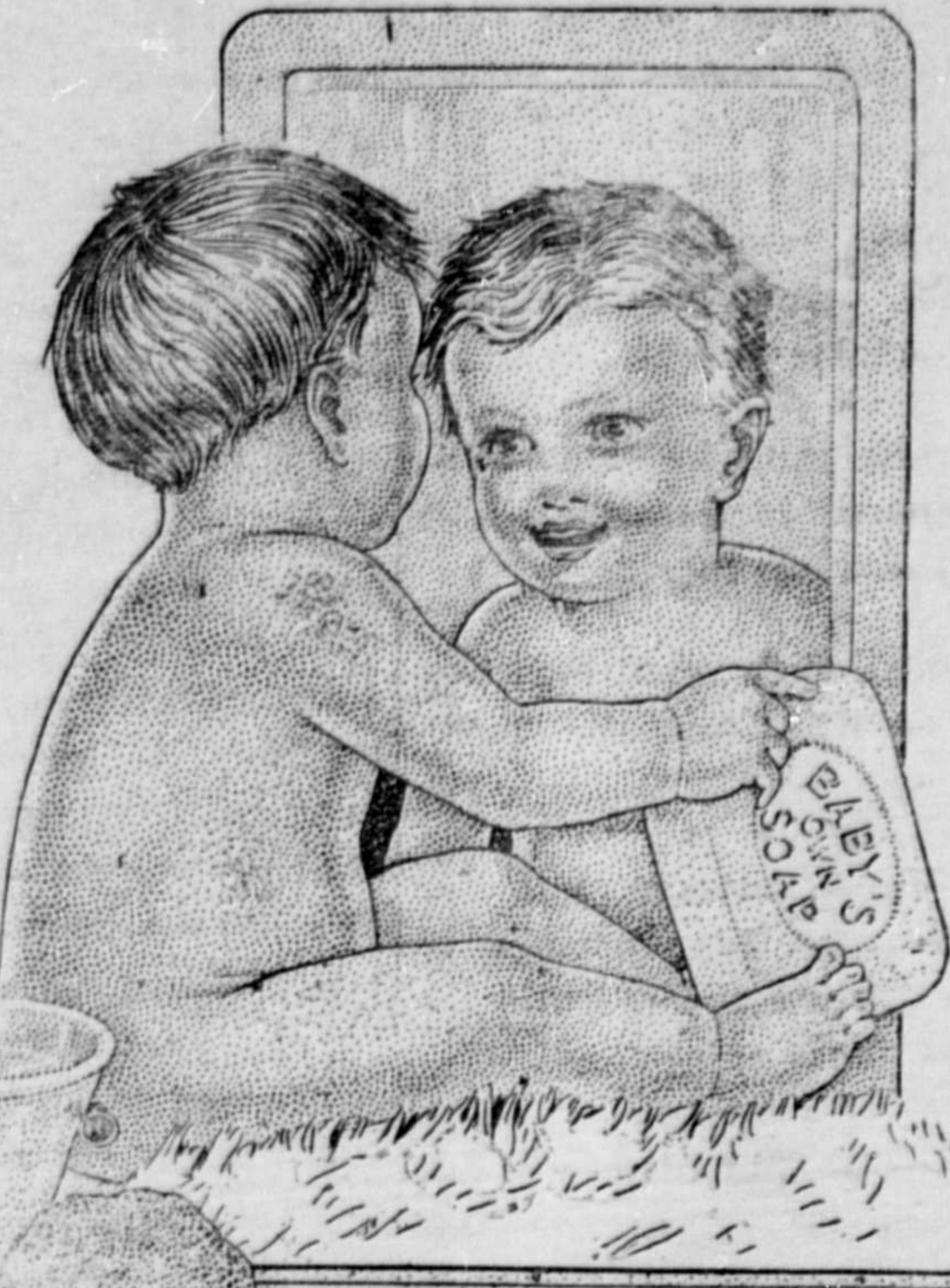
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CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session on behalf of the City of Prince Rupert for an Act containing provisions which are shortly stated as follows:—

(1) To authorize the changing debentures issuable under the bylaw in this clause mentioned, from the Sinking Fund plan to Annuity Instalment or Serial Bonds and the terms of years as herein stated:

| No. | Bylaw and Object | Amount | Term of years. |
|-----|-----------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| 97 | Local Improvement Section 1 | \$600,000 | 50 30 |
| 59 | Hydro Electric | 550,000 | 50 30 |
| 63 | Government Debt | 115,000 | 50 30 |
| 11 | Telephone Plant | 40,000 | 20 10 |
| 29 | Electric Light Plant | 66,000 | 15 10 |

and authorising the collection of instalments under such bonds with power to sell such bonds at a discount, and to use the Sinking Funds already collected towards reducing the debt; and power to raise any deficiency on sale of bonds by the issue of further bonds. Such changes to be made without submission to the ratepayers.

(2) Validating Bylaw No. 243 of said City; being "a bylaw for the purpose of authorising the renewal of certain treasury certificates and for issuing an additional amount of such certificates," and authorising the issue of bonds on the said Annuity Instalment or Serial plan for the \$100,000 mentioned in Bylaw 243 for not more than 30 years and also to ratify Bylaw 245, relating to such debentures; both without submission to the ratepayers.

(3) To provide for temporarily financing all said bonds by authorising the issue, renewal or reissue of temporary notes for not more than five (5) years from the date of such issue, renewal or reissue, pending the sale of the bonds heretofore mentioned and making provision for the payment of any loss which may be made on the sale of such temporary notes, renewals or reissue thereof:

(4) To provide for collecting instalments both for principal and interest before bonds have actually been sold. Such instalments so far as principal is concerned to be applied to reduce amount of treasury certificates or temporary notes then outstanding or to be issued.

(5) To provide for similar changes with regard to the following Bylaws, the debentures authorised by which have been hypothecated to the Bank of Montreal; but only with the consent of such Bank.

| Bylaw. | Object | Amount | Term of years. |
|--------|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 158 | Section One Improvement | \$140,000.00 | 49 30 |
| 140 | Change of Grade 2nd Ave. | 7,437 | 50 20 |
| 148 | Grading Lanes | 29,000.00 | 50 20 |
| 156 | Grading 8th Avenue | 25,000.00 | 50 20 |

(6) To provide that securities to be issued under the following bylaws, under none of which any securities have as yet been issued, Annuity Instalment or Serial bonds may be issued and such bonds to be for the term here set forth, namely:

| Bylaw. | Object | Amount | Term of years. |
|--------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| 180 | Morse Creek Bridge | \$ 35,000 | 50 30 |
| 181 | General Sewer System | 350,000 | 50 30 |
| 182 | Grading Fulton Street | 12,000 | 40 20 |
| 183 | Grading City Property, 2nd Ave. | 46,000 | 40 30 |
| 207 | Electric Pole Line Extensions. | 45,000 | 20 15 |
| 209 | Telephone System Extension | 60,000 | 20 15 |

with power to use the sinking funds heretofore accumulated to reduce the debt when incurred, and further, to cease collecting further sinking fund, and to provide for the collection of full instalments for total principal on each said bylaw from the commencement of the work authorised. The application of such instalments to reduce the amount of bonds required to be issued.

(7) To provide that no further sinking fund shall be collected under Bylaw No. 208; being "The Water Main Extension Bylaw" except sufficient to pay off \$20,000 of debentures already sold thereunder, and providing for the issue of Annuity instalment, or Serial bonds, term twenty (20) years, for the balance of the debt, namely; \$130,000, and for the use of the sinking fund already collected under said bylaw, except the part applicable to the \$20,000 already issued; to reduce the said amount of \$130,000 bonds when issued.

(8) As to Bylaws Nos. 144 and 241 relating to Market Place grading: Power to change the debentures authorised thereby from Sinking fund plan to Annuity Instalment, or Serial bonds at thirty (30) years, and to use the sinking fund already collected to purchase bonds to be issued thereunder, and to cease collection of further sinking fund:

(9) To provide for raising a reserve fund to ensure prompt payment of annual instalments to the amount of \$50,000 for present authorised indebtedness, and \$20,000 for every additional \$1,000,000.

(10) Providing that it shall not be necessary to submit to the ratepayers any bylaw making the change from sinking fund debentures to Annuity instalment or Serial bonds or changing the term of years, or the issue of new bonds to meet loss on sale of bonds or temporary notes.

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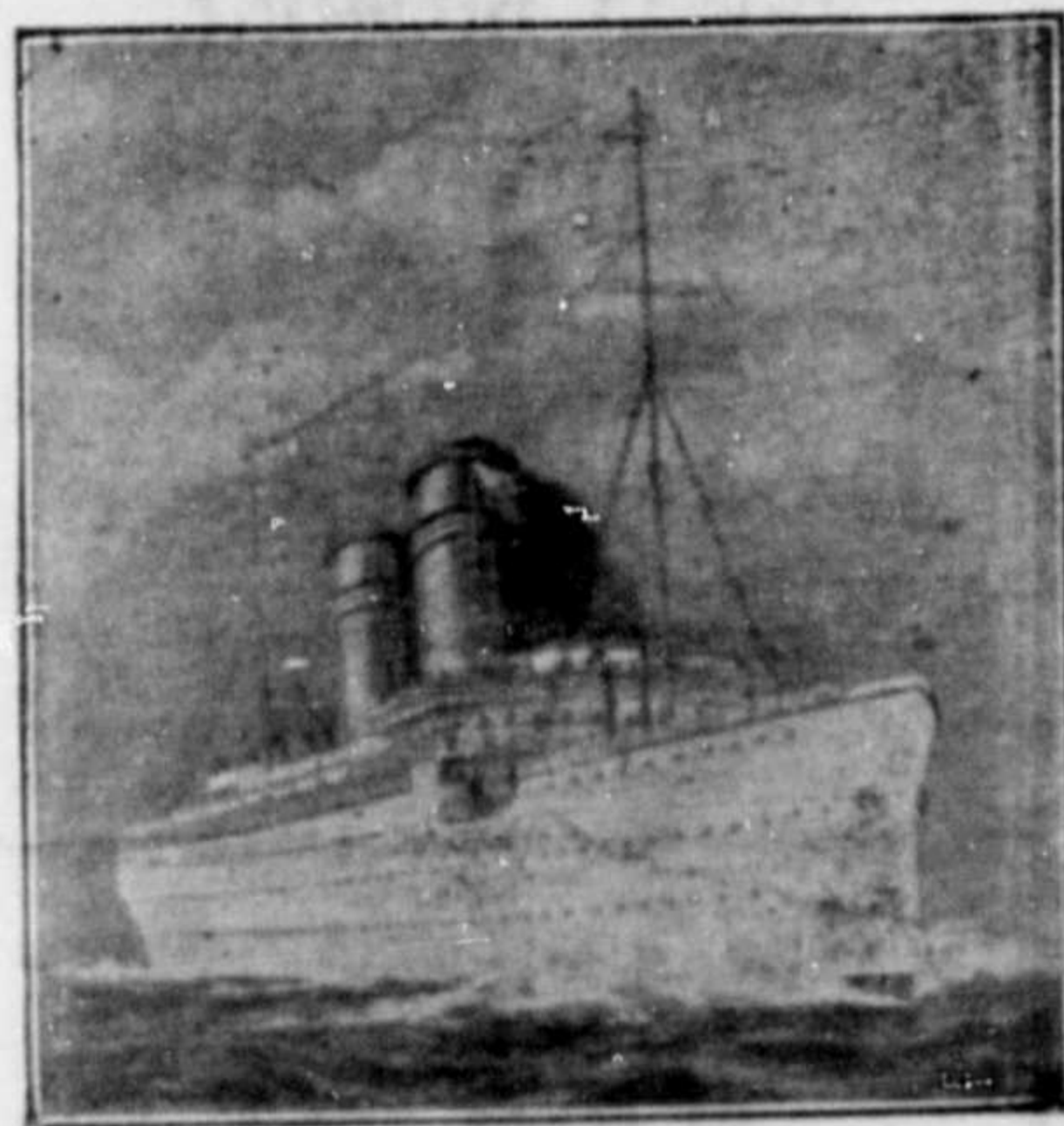
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Local News Notes

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Lieut. R. A. Stalker left for Prince George this morning to assist in drilling the recruits for the 102nd there.

Mrs. Naylor and little girl left for Edinburgh, Scotland, this morning. They sail on the Allen liner Scandinavian.

I still have quite a few pairs of felt and wool slippers left which must be closed out. Extra special reductions. Peck the Shoeman.

Word reached town yesterday that the wife of E. C. Gibbons had passed away at Sierra Madra, Cal. Interment will take place in Maine. Mrs. Gibbons, who resided in Prince Rupert for a short time, had been in poor health for about two years.

WINNERS IN DRAWING

The winners of the prizes in George D. Tite's drawing were: Mrs. Charles Embleton, White sewing machine with No. 626; Mrs. C. B. Peterson, library table with No. 657, and Mrs. J. M. Nelson, ladies' desk, with No. 81. The drawing was made at ten o'clock on Friday night by J. G. Scott.

RELIGIOUS RITES OF JAP SWORD-MAKING

That the Japanese are past-masters in the art of sword-making is proved by the splendid weapons, equal to those of Toledo and Damascus, which they turn out. The actual methods of sword-making in Japan are jealously guarded, an extraordinary feature of the industry being the religious ceremony which accompanies every process of their manufacture. The walls of every sword-making shop in Japan will be found to be covered with allegorical representations of the sword-makers and the chief goddess of the Shintos.

Evil spirits are kept away by charms consisting of bits of paper and wisps of straw, while should any woman enter the shop, disaster would certainly come to the swords that are being made and to their welders. Consequently women are absolutely debarred from entering business as sword-makers, while not only is prayer offered up before the work begins, but various religious rites, peculiar to the Japanese, are performed in order that the swords when finally completed, may be said to have been well and truly made.

Even the final processes of polishing and sharpening are characterized by certain religious ceremonies, and finally the weapons are offered, one by one, to the sword god to be blessed. This ceremony consists in placing the swords in front of the goddess of the Shintos on the wall, with an offering of sake, rice, and sweetmeats, after which prayer-scrolls are read and blessing upon the work is invoked.—Ex.

SKATING AND SLEIGHING THE ORDER OF THE DAY

While many spent New Year's Eve at the various dances or at either of the watch-night services, a lively bunch of young fellows had the time of their lives amongst the snow. Such a snow-fall being rather unusual in this mild part of the world, the sight and feel of it seemed to bring back youthful memories to many, with the result that around midnight on Third Avenue there was a regular fusillade at the corner of Sixth Street.

With a regular "back-east" tang in the air, many enjoyed sleighing on New Year's Day and yesterday, while it is to be feared that, Sunday though it was, a few were tempted to try out their skates yesterday afternoon on Morse Creek, and, judging by the bright eyes and rosy cheeks, the venture was a decided success.

"MERCILESS—"

"When peace comes," said Fraulein Dr. Kathe Schirmacher, one of the leaders of the German feminist movements, in a public speech at Kiel, "we Germans must be merciless to other countries. The whole system of German education must be changed. Knowledge of English and French is no longer necessary for a refined German woman, and the time hitherto wasted on the acquisition of these languages should in the future be utilized for open-air physical exercise, gymnastic training and military drill."—Standard.

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CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

The electors of the City of Prince Rupert are hereby given notice that it is the intention of the Municipal Council to take a vote at the coming elections on the following question:—"Are you in favor of the proposed Private Bill, notice of which has been advertised in the Daily News and the B. C. Gazette, relating to the financial position of the City, authorizing the conversion of our present debt to Annuity or Serial Bonds?" J. I. ERNEST A. WOODS, City Clerk.

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MINERAL ACT

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Boulder Mineral Claim, situate in the Skeena Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located:—On the west side of Hidden Creek, about one and one half miles from Goose Bay, and south of the Kaien Mineral Claim, Lot 2226, Cassiar District. Lawful holder, Myron Knox Rodgers; number of the holder's free miner's certificate, 94240 B. Take notice that I, Myron Knox Rodgers, of City of Seattle, in the State of Washington, free miner's certificate No. 94240 B, intend at the end of sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 85, of the "Mineral Act" must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. Dated this 10th day of December, A. D. 1915. MYRON KNOX RODGERS. By his agent, H. G. Lawson. 716.

MINERAL ACT

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT PARTNER TO J. A. ROGERS. TAKE NOTICE that, whereas I have caused to be done the assessment work for the year 1915 on the mineral claims known as "Ladybird No. 4" Mineral Claim, situated in Cascade Creek valley, north of Silver Lake, in the Stewart, B. C., Mining District; and the "Stumpy" Mineral Claim, situated on the east side of Cascade Creek at the head, in the said Stewart Mining District, and have paid for said assessment work the sum of \$200.00; unless you pay to me the sum of \$100.00 for your share of the said assessment work together with the costs of this advertisement, I shall, at the expiration of ninety days from the date hereof, apply to the Mining Recorder at Stewart, B. C., to have your interest in the said "Ladybird No. 4" and "Stumpy" Mineral Claims vested in me in pursuance of the provisions of the "Mineral Act." Dated at Prince Rupert, B. C., this 5th day of November, 1915. A. LUND. Per Alex. M. Manson, his solicitor.

WATER NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that R. B. McGinnis, whose address is Alice Arm, British Columbia, will apply for a licence to take and use fifteen second feet of water out of Trout Creek, which flows westerly and drains into Kitsault River, about 16 miles north of its outlet at Alice Arm, B. C. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 500 vertical feet above point of use, near its mouth, and will be used for power and mining purpose upon the land described as Wolf Group of Mining Claims. This notice was posted on the ground on the 25th day of October, 1915. 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 November 9th, 1915. R. B. MCGINNIS, Applicant. By H. C. Ingle, Agent.

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