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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's, 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 assemblee Canadienne Francaise 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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HUME CRONYN.

Dated November 25th, 1913.

Pub. Dec. 15—Feb. 9, 1914.

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(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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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.

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