
PETITION.

To the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, in Parliament assembled :

The petition of the Nelson Electric Light Company, Limited, humbly sheweth as follows:—

1. Your petitioners were, by an Act passed at the last session of your Honourable House, incorporated for the purpose of carrying an electric lighting system in and throughout the Town of Nelson.

2. By section 19 of the said Act the Company is required to have the electric lighting system established and in operation before the 26th day of April, 1893.

3. Owing to the Company having become involved in litigation the work of construction has been delayed so that your petitioners can not comply with the requirements of the above quoted section. The financial arrangements of the Company also suffered in consequence of the litigation.

4. The Company has expended some \$7,000.00 in putting in a dam and flume and in erecting a power house; \$6,500.00 has already been paid for machinery, which is now lying at Nelson, and orders for more machinery to the amount of \$3,800.00 have been given.

5. Your petitioners therefore pray that your Honourable Body will be pleased to pass an Act extending the period within which the system must be established and in operation for one year.

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 6th day of February, A.D. 1893.

THE NELSON ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY,

By ERNEST V. BODWELL,

their Solicitor.

VICTORIA, B. C. :

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