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CITY COUNCIL

The city council met in regular session Monday evening. Present: Aldermen Irwin, Wheeler, Braim, May, Crickmay and Smith. Mayor Kealy presided. Communications were read as follows: From Robert L. Docherty, secretary of the Horticultural Society, requesting that a hydrant be placed at the corner of Lonsdale and Twenty-second, and also that a two inch water connection be made with the new pavilion; water committee to act. From J. R. J. Murray, secretary of the special audit committee, asking that the auditors Kendal & Sewell, be given access to the city books; received and filed. From the Misses Dawson, with reference to the agreement as to North Vancouver hospital; hospital committee to draw agreement and have it properly executed From Alexander Philip, C.M.C., making demand, upon the part of the district council, for payment of amounts due from the city. The communication in full was as follows:

"Excerpt from the minute of meeting of council of the district of North Vancouver, held on the 1st day of June, 1908—interalia: On the motion of Councillor McNaught, seconded by Councillor Robson, it was unanimously resolved as follows:

Whereas a year has now passed since the city of North Vancouver was incorporated and a city council elected;

And whereas by the act of incorporation, prepared chiefly by those who are responsible for carrying it out, the city became charged with a specified proportion of the debt of the whole municipality;

And whereas of that proportion there still remains due to the North Vancouver Land & Improvement Company the sum of $4000, to J. C. Keith the sum of $2000, and to this corporation, conform to joint report of city and district auditors, the sum of $100,619.56, less $3396 of sinking fund and accrued interest thereon, which latter sum of $100,619.49 is nearly all borrowed by this corporation from the Bank of British North America, and secured by debenture bonds issued by the old municipality, and represents not only the capital sum due at the date of incorporation, but also a balance of $5341.69 of the interest paid by this corporation since that date;

And whereas the city council have made prolonged and ineffectual efforts to sell the debenture bonds necessary to enable them to pay up these amounts due by the city;

And whereas this council is advised that such failure has arisen through the city council placing on the market concurrently with said bonds further bonds for a very large amount, to enable them to purchase the ferry system now being operated between the city and Vancouver;

And whereas the city council, though unable to sell their own bonds, seriously propose to give the guarantee of the city to a large loan for an industrial purpose, which must further prejudice the sale of bonds to pay off the civic debt;

And whereas the delay in paying the said debt to this corporation is seriously prejudicing the interests of the district and preventing this council from carrying out much needed improvement work, and as this council may be held responsible for permitting this delay to longer continue:

Therefore this council hereby resolves respectfully to intimate to the city council that the said sums of principal and interest, due to this corporation by the city, must be paid within thirty days from this date, and that the district solicitor be instructed to prepare the necessary deeds of conveyance to the city for delivery as soon as the settlement is made, and the clerk of the council is directed to forward copy of this resolution to the city council.

Extracted by Alex. Philip, C.M.C."

Referred to the finance committee to report. From J. P. Fell, enclosing draft agreement and deed with reference to Ottawa Gardens.

Alderman May submitted finance committee's reports as follows: General, $620.15; police, $320.35; school trustees, $365; all of which were ordered paid. Ald. Irwin submitted report of board of works, shewing accounts totalling $624.59, which were ordered paid. Ald. Smith submitted report of water works committee, shewing accounts amounting to $622.24; ordered paid. Ald. Crickmay submitted the fire and light committee's report, shewing accounts aggregating $519; ordered paid.

J. D. Bressey was given permission to cut timber off of St. George's and St. Andrew's avenues north of 17th street, at price offered at last meeting.

Ald. Irwin reported that the committee appointed to revise the engineer's report with reference to the 3rd street improvements, has decided that improvements opposite the school must be paid out of the general fund, and had raised the allowance for work already done in certain cases from $250 to $350 per acre. The city's proportion of the cost was left unchanged. Report adopted.

The Mayor suggested that it would be well to call for tenders for work under the local improvement by-law already authorized. Ald. Irwin moved that the City Engineer call for tenders for improvements on 3rd, 16th and 11th streets as authorized, tenders to be in by Monday, June 15th. Carried.

The Mayor reported that certain members of the council had visited the cemetery site and recommended that a piece of ground comprising three and one-fifth acres be cleared at once. Ald. Wheeler moved that tenders be called for for clearing and grading this tract, tenders to be in by Thursday, 11th inst. Carried.

Ald. Smith reported that a hydrant is needed at the corner of Forbes & Keith Road. Authorized,

A plan of sub-division of blocks 34, 34a, and 53 district lot number 500 was submitted by the North Vancouver Land Company. Accepted.

Ald. Irwin called attention to the fact that deeds of certain alleys that were to be received from A. St. G. Hammersley were not yet to hand. The city treasurer was instructed to act.

By-law number 40 as to street signs and house numbering was read and finally adopted.

Resolutions Re Railway

Following are the resolutions adopted at the meeting of the waterfront property owners, held in the city hall, on May 27:—

Resolution 1—Be it and it is hereby resolved: That, while of the opinion that the Vancouver, Westminister & Yukon Railway enterprise should receive the assistance of the Dominion and Provincial governments,

And, while deprecating obstructions of legitimate railroad enterprise,

This meeting of ratepayers in the City of North Vancouver strenuously protests against charter extensions enabling a railway company to tie up continuously against all other development shoreline and foreshore on a chief harbour of Canada at less than market values at the date of charter extension.

Resolution 2—Be it and it is hereby resolved by this meeting of ratepayers in the City of North Vancouver,

That the Dominion Government be respectfully urged to amend the statute governing expropriations by railways to such sense that when a railway charter is extended prior to expropriation, the expropriation values shall be market values at the date of the charter extension, together with taxes and five per cent interest from the date of charter extension until the the expropriation value is tendered, and that to this end railway plans shall be considered as fyled on the date of charter extension in so far as such fyling bears upon expropriations not completed before the date of charter extension;

Still further, that expropriation values under original charters shall include taxes and interest from date of the plan fyling until expropriation value is tendered.

Resolution 3—Be it and it is hereby resolved by this meeting of ratepayers in the City of North Vancouver,

That the Mayor and Council of the City of North Vancouver be requested to send copies of these resolutions, or of such other resolutions as they may deem suitable in the premises, through R. G. Macpherson, Esq., M. P., to the minister of Railways and the Railway Commission, and that Mr. Macpherson be requested to urge the amendment of the Railway Statute in accordance therewith.

Resolution 4—Be it and it is hereby resolved by this meeting of ratepayers in the City of North Vancouver,

That a parliamentary agent be engaged, resident at Ottawa, to watch over railroad legislation in the interest of North Vancouver and to act in conjunction with a standing committee of our citizens, and in event of proposed adverse legislation to adopt such course as may be requisite to postpone action until such time as the City of North Vancouver has opportunity of being heard.

Resolution 5—Be it and it is hereby resolved by this meeting of ratepayers in the City of North Vancouver,

That the Council of the City of North Vancouver be requested to send on, behalf of the City one of their number to act as a delegate at the coming Convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities to be held in July, 1908, in Medicine Hat, in order to secure if possible united action in urging upon the Dominion Government the passing of such amendments to the Railway Act as may adjust expropriation considerations as nearly as may be in accordance with the spirit and intention of the foregoing resolutions.

Property Improvements

The North Vancouver Land and Improvement Company are making steady progress in carrying out the comprehensive scheme upon which they are operating relative to the laying out of their large property holdings in the city. As outlined in previous issues of The Express, this scheme in its entirety comprehends the laying out of a vast quadrangle having Keith Road as its base and following Queensbury avenue on the east, 23rd St., on the north and Jones avenue on the west. Included in the plan are liberal provisions for parks and public breathing spaces as Victoria Park, Ottawa Gardens and several other similar tracts.

A striking feature of the scheme is the magnificent boulevard which is to flank the property on the west. This boulevard will occupy Queensbury avenue from Keith Road on the south to 19th street on the north. Its total width is 346 feet the outer portion of which are arranged for two vehicular road ways, each 66 feet in width, with concrete sidewalks; the centre strip of 66 feet is reserved for street car and automobile traffic while the space on either side of this central roadway and between it and the outer roadways is occupied by a boulevard seventy-four feet in width in each instance and stretching continuously throughout the entire distance from Keith Road to 19th street, twelve blocks in all.

The total acreage contained in the boulevard is forty, and its cost complete will be not less than $90,000. When completed it will confer upon North Vancouver the distinction of having within her corporate limits the largest boulevard in the world. At the present time there are two contracts upon which work is being prosecuted, one for fifty acres between 10th and 19th streets and one for thirty-two acres between Keith Road and 12th street. It is expected that the clearing will be completed in about sixty days and the thoroughfare will then be ready for delivery to the city. The total cost to the city of these improvements is approximately only $100 per acre and an aggregate amount of $8000 will be due the company from the city with the completion of the present work. This sum is payable in fifty year bonds bearing five per cent. and redeemable at any time without notice at par value.

The Company have been energetically pushing the work of clearing their large acreage preparatory to offering it to the purchasing public. A total of 200 acres has now been thoroughly cleared so that scarce so much as a root can anywhere be found, an undertaking which it can readily be understood has involved the expenditure of a very large sum of money.

The whole plan as adopted by the Company and upon which so much has already been accomplished means much to the welfare of the city and its progress cannot but be of great interest to all public spirited citizens.

Dominion Day

The meeting held on Friday evening last to arrange for Dominion Day celebration, took hold of of the matter energetically and important business was transacted. President Phillipo occupied the chair. M. McDowell was appointed secretary and H. R. Heffel treasurer of the celebration committee. As A. J. McMillan, who has been custodian of the flags for the past year, desired to be relieved, Mr. Sabin was appointed to take charge of the bunting. Upon motion it was decided to appoint a general committee of eighteen members, from whom, together with the officers, there should be named six sub-committees, and that the chairmen of these sub-committees with the officers should constitute a reception and entertainment committee. The following were duly appointed the general committee: Messrs. Geo. H. Morden, Emmerson, Geo. Smith, Lailey, Sabin, J. N. J. Brown, MacKenzie, Tarn, Dr. Campbell, Martinson, Duke, Chance, Alex. Smith, jr., Shaw, Carpenter, Bunbury, Stoney and Shepherd. Sub-committees were constituted as follows: Decoration, Messrs. Sabin (chairman), Lailey and MacKenzie; field sports, Martinson (chairman), Emmerson and Tarn; aquatic sports, J. N. J. Brown (chairman); finance and advertising, Geo. H. Morden (chairman), Phillipo and Shepherd; transportation, Mr. Bunbury (chairman); music, Mr. Chance (chairman.) These committees will report progress at a meeting to be held this Friday at 8.30, in the City Hall.

Vote on Bylaws

One hundred and eighty-seven votes were cast at the polls, for and against the bylaws, submitted Wednesday. As was anticipated, the $17,000 loan bylaw received the sanction of the electors, the vote standing 117 for, 66 against, and 4 spoiled ballots, or a margin of four votes over the necessary three-fifths majority vote. The Wallace Shipyards Aid bylaw developed a wider difference of opinion upon the part of the property owners, with the result that it was defeated, the vote standing 88 for, 98 against, and one spoiled ballot.

Open Air Boxing

On Monday next, June 8, a big boxing bout is to be held at the Recreation Park promoted by Vancouver sports. The principal event is to be a 15-round contest between George Paris, boxing instructor of the Vancouver Athletic Club, and Joe Grim, known as the "Iron man," of Philadelphia. H. Springer is to be referee. Special seating is to be erected on the grounds and the contest will take place under the electric light.

New School Site

A meeting of the school trustees of the district of North Vancouver was held Friday evening, the principal business being the securing of a new school site. A suitable place was secured from Mr. Eggert, being the west half of block 2, district lot 784, for which $1250 was paid. The site is on Lonsdale avenue and a school will be erected when the occasion demands.

LOCAL NEWS

Two large scows were completed and launched from the Wallace shipyards here this week.

Mr. Bostrom, who has a contract on the G.T.P. construction, went north Thursday by the Camosun.

David Cantelon took up his residence last week in the new cottage recently completed for him on 4th street.

Considerable clearing is being done on the Lonsdale estate, effecting a great improvement in that vicinity.

Chas. M. Kittson, secretary of S. Gintzburger, Ltd., is erecting a bungalow on 15th street, near St. Andrew's Ave. The estimated cost of which is $1100.

The school trustees are planning an enlargement of the local school, more room being needed to accommodate the rapidly increasing number of pupils.

A. M. Ross has taken a lease on the store on the northwest corner of 2nd and Lonsdale, and will open up a full stock of gents' furnishings and boots and shoes.

J. A. Bierbaum, of Seattle, arrived in the city today and is a guest at the Palace Hotel. He is looking over the situation from an investment standpoint.

Boy Wanted—A well educated and industrious boy, desirous of learning the printing business, can obtain steady work at increasing wages, at THE EXPRESS Office.

The Lonsdale ave. extension of the tramline, out to 23rd street, is being rapidly constructed. The line will be a great convenience to the residents of that growing section.

Two new hydrants have been installed this week by Foreman Peck and his staff, one adjacent to the North Vancouver hotel and the other at the corner of Lonsdale and 22nd.

W. T. Murphy, who has been conducting a gents' furnishing and shoe store on Granville street, Vancouver, has leased the corner store of the Horne block in this city and has removed his stock hither.

Guests at the Palace Hotel: A. M. Ross, Victoria; G. O. Smith, H. T. Evans, J. H. Watson, P. Pemeaus, Vancouver; Mrs. Travers Justice, Clarkson, Wash.; W. H. Welbon, New Westminster.

Revising Officer Shepherd presided at the court of revision for Richmond electoral district Monday. Five hundred and forty-one names were added to the roll, and 41 struck off because of death or removal.

W. B. Bunbury, local manager of the B.C.E.R., was confined to his home for several days last week suffering from a severe attack of grip. His many friends were pleased to see him again able to discharge his duties.

Work is being vigorously prosecuted on the new addition to the Palace hotel. It is to be built of cement blocks, will be three stories in height, and when completed the hotel will cover all the ground from the street to the lane.

The new tug built at Moodyville by A. C. McDonald, particulars of which were given in last week's issue, was successfully launched on Saturday evening. The vessel is owned by the Hastings Mill people, who have decided to call it the Hydra.

G. E. Jorgenson, C.E., left this week for Nicola valley, at the head of a surveying party, and will several months there surveying crown lands and coal lands, besides performing other professional work. Mr. Jorgenson will return to the city for a short time during the early part of July.

Messrs. Wood & Son, the reliable shoe men of 2109 Granville St., Vancouver, have opened an up-to-date shoe store on Lonsdale ave., next to Steacey's grocery. They will carry a full line of the best shoes and aim to give satisfaction. They will also run a repairing department and all prices will be found reasonable.

Contractor A. G. Taylor began operations Thursday for the erection of three houses for Benjamin Gladwin, on 10th street, east of St. George's ave. They will be six-roomed houses, with stone foundations, piped for furnace and modern in all respects. One of them will be occupied by Mr. Gladwin as a family residence.

The "old timers" fire brigade of Vancouver, the originals, purpose holding their annual banquet at the Hotel North Vancouver, in this place, on Wednesday, June 12th. It will be the 22nd anniversary of the big fire in Vancouver. Mr. P. Larsen was himself a member of the Old Brigade and the comrades and their friends are sure of a royal welcome.

Kootenay District has arranged to erect a building of its own at the Dominion Fair at Calgary, for the display of fruit, minerals and timber. The building will be situated next the main industrial building and will have a frontage of forty feet on the main square of the grounds. Such enterprise is worthy of emulation and deserves success.

Jos. Saulter, a well known mining man, was here Thursday, showing magnificent samples of copper ore, taken from a property he located on Bowen island. The property is on tide water and the vein has been cut for over 400 feet up the hill. The ore carries copper and gold, with some silver. The property has just been bonded to a syndicate of capitalists.

The report in last week's issue with reference to the Empire Day exercises at the public schools, inadvertently omitted to state that one of the most pleasing items on the programme was the presentation of a large flag to the school by Alderman Irwin. This incident constituted a most appropriate accompaniment to the occasion, the unfurling of the flag appealing in strong terms to the patriotic instincts of the children. Alderman Irwin's gift embodies an excellent idea and is of permanent worth.

Messrs. Fyfe & Duke have been producing a type of one design yacht, which has been attracting a great deal of attention amongst yachtsmen on both sides of the Inlet. The boat is 21 feet over all, with a six and one-half foot beam, and is especially designed for use on the Inlet. The most notable feature of the craft is the development of considerable speed, with a very light breeze. Mr. Bunbury and Dr. Campbell each rejoices in the possession of one of these yachts and several local parties are contemplating emulating their example.

Dr. and Mrs. Denevan are amongst the lately arrived residents of the city, having taken up their residence on Sixth st. west. Dr. Denevan was compelled to relinquish a large practice in the east because of failing health, and for some time has been travelling, with the result that he is well on the way toward complete recovery. Recently he has made several trips as physician on the Empress of India and hopes at no distant date to be able to resume practice on terra firma. Mrs. Denevan is likewise a duly qualified physician of extended experience and pronounced success.

The ringing of the fire alarm called the fire brigade out at about ten o'clock this morning and they made a quick run to the new building of Elkhorne & Caine on Lonsdale avenue, where dense volumes of smoke appeared to presage a serious conflagration. It was discovered, however, that a tar pot in which the tar was being prepared for the roof had caught fire and was burning furiously. Fortunately it was somewhat removed from the building, so that by throwing water copiously on the walls the tar was allowed to burn itself out harmlessly. The prompt manner in which the fire laddies responded to the calls is cause of much gratification to the citizens.

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VOTE ON THE BYLAWS

The fact that one hundred and eighty-seven out of a possible sixteen hundred and seventy-seven votes were cast in the polling with respect to the bylaws on Wednesday, constitutes a strong comment upon the interests the great body of the electors does not take in matters of great public moment which are submitted from time to time. After the most liberal allowance has been made for those who were absent from the polls, because of circumstances which they were not able to control, and which constituted a good reason for such absence, the stubborn fact remains that to a very great extent the extremely light vote is due to laxity of interest upon the part of the many who might have voted without considerable inconvenience. Nevertheless, the vote as it stands may be accepted as a reliable expression of the mature judgment of that portion of the electorate that had carefully considered the issues involved. Had the vote been larger, there is no sufficient reason to conclude that the result would have been any different.

The success of the special loan bylaw is probably due to the desire upon the part of the electorate to set free the largest possible proportion of this year's revenue for expenditure upon needed public improvements, and to see active operations carried on in this regard.

The defeat of the Wallace Shipyards Aid bylaw may be attributed to two main causes: first to a strong sentiment against the principal of bonusing industrial concerns in any form, and second, to a deep seated conviction in the minds of the electorate that the credit of the city in the money market must not be depleted, but that it must be conserved and strengthened by every available means. Certainly there exists upon the part of the citizenship no sentiment other than that of the most cordial good will toward the industrial firm most nearly interested in the result. This point cannot be too strongly emphasized, as that goodwill was everywhere in evidence throughout the entire discussion of the situation. THE EXPRESS is but voicing the thought of the citizenship at large, in stating that the desire to see such an institution established here is unanimous, and the hope is universally entertained that the company may be able to devise means whereby this result may be accomplished in the near future.

DOMINION DAY

The signal success that has attended the local celebration of Dominion Day for two years past, together with the manifest advantage that have accrued to the city therefrom in the way of advertisement from the large number of visitors and the large sums of money added to local circulation, combine to make the occasion one of very great value to the city. The putting on of a program that will prove creditable to the city and attractive to holiday seekers is an object that is well worthy the combined and hearty effort of all classes of the community. The transportation companies, the city and district councils, the local merchants and the citizens at large are all interested in the promotion of the celebration to the highest point of success. Inasmuch as neighboring cities have shewn every disposition to relinquish competing celebrations in favor of North Vancouver, it is advisable that every effort be made to provide such an annual program as will be recognized by those cities as adequate to the purpose, and will thus retain for North Vancouver undisputed possession of this desirable advantage. This can not be done by leaving the preparation of the program in the hands of a few or allowing the matter to divide the local forces. Here, as elsewhere, "union is strength," and satisfactory results from the civic standpoint call for the hearty unanimity and co-operation upon the part of all parties. The celebration in prospect this year bids fair to uphold the reputation already established in all respects. Properly speaking the portion of the program for the day which is being put on by the city as such, will be composed of field sports on the athletic grounds and aquatic sports on the inlet. In addition to this, the Horticultural Society will throw open their new pavilion for the first time, and the occasion will be celebrated by an attractive program in the afternoon and evening. The Local Camp of the Sons of Scotland has also in hand preparations for a monster picnic of all the camps on the lower mainland and Vancouver Island, which, with the large attendance, the musical features and the Caledonian games, will doubtless prove one of the chief factors in the celebration. Every possible act that can go to show these visitors that they are welcome should be forthcoming upon the part of the citizens and the city. It requires only that this diversified program be marked by a cordial display of assistance upon the part of all, to render the greatest possible assistance the one to the other and thus as far as possible to weld the different parts into a symmetrical whole, in order to give a celebration that will go on record as conspicuous for attractiveness and success. No individual portion of this program will suffer the slightest detraction because of cordial assistance rendered to another portion, but rather the success of each will be enhanced, and the goodfellowship and enjoyment of the entire day will be greatly promoted thereby. Surely it is the very essence of the eternal fitness of things, that the anniversary of the birth of Dominion confederation should be marked by the strongest possible local confederation.

Church Notices

ST JOHN'S THE EVANGELIST, SEVENTH AND THIRTEENTH STREETS.

Holy Communion, 8 a. m.
Morning prayer, 11
Evening prayer, 7.30
On the first Sunday in the month there will be a second celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a.m.
Rector: Rev. Hugh Hooper.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SIXTH STREET.

Services will be conducted as usual on Sunday by the pastor.
Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.
Service at Moodyville school at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting on Wednesday 8 o'clock.
All are welcome.
Pastor: Rev. J. D. Gillam, M.A.

METHODIST CHURCH, N. W. CORNER FOURTH ST. AND ST. GEORGE'S AVENUE.

Morning service, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m; evening service, 7:30 p.m.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Preaching in Lynn valley on alternate Sunday afternoons.
Sunday school at Moodyville at 11 a. m.
Rev. B. H. Balderston, B. A. pastor.

NORTH VANCOUVER CATHOLIC INDIAN MISSION.

Sunday Services — Mass at 9 a. m., Sunday school at 2:30 p.m., Benediction at 3 p. m.
Pastor: Rev. E. Peytavin, O. M. I. V. G.

BAPTIST CHURCH, ORANGE HALL, LONSDALE AVENUE.

Service at 11 o'clock a. m in the Orange hall; Sunday school at the close of the service
Pastor: Rev. David Long.
All are welcome.

A Va'uable Book

The Year Book of the North Vancouver Board of Trade for the year 1907 to 1908 is just off the press and makes a volume of considerable size, and it should prove of practical benefit to the city and district. The book comprises 84 pages, with a panoramic view of the city inserted before the front page and an excellent plan of the city inserted after the last page. It is printed on good paper, the letter press is of fine quality, and the illustrations are copious and high grade. The subject matter covers a very wide range of topics, giving useful information upon practically every subject of interest to the inquiring public. There are also several pages of carefuliy tabulated statistics. All through the Board of Trade is to be congratulated upon the success of this their initial effort along this line. Copies of the Year Book may be obtained from the secretary, J. R. J. Murray, at 25 cents per copy. It is deserving of a wide circulation.

Lynn Creek Notes

A. McIntyre has just completed clearing two acres on his property, district lot 2023, and the ground is now ready for the plow.

The frame of the new building being erected by Mr. Fromme on the pipe line road, is now in position and the work will now move rapidly forward.

J. L. Cripps, greatly daring, has opened a restaurant on the crest of the pipe line road and visitors to Lynn Creek on the 25th freely showed their appreciation of the venture. He has chosen a spot where the traveller on a hot day feels most the need of refreshments and his flag pole will doubtless be a welcome sight to many throughout the summer.

The young son of S. J. Probert had a narrow escape from a serious accident on Tuesday. The little fellow, in playing with his school fellows essayed to run across the flume when he tripped and fell into the water. The strong current carried him off his feet and was carrying him helplessly along. Fortunately a party of workmen was employed at the flume a little below the point at which the accident took place and they were able to catch the lad and to extricate him from his perilous situation.

Local Meetings

Knights of Pythias, Second and Fourth Tuesday, 8 p.m.
Athletic Club, First Monday, 8 p.m.
Lady Maccabees, second and fourth Thursdays
Horticultural Meeting, Second Wednesday 8 p.m.
Firemen's Practice, every Friday, 7.30.
City Council Meeting, Monday, 8 p.m.
District Council Meeting, first and third Fridays, at 8 p.m.
Board of Trade, Third Tuesday, 8 p.m.
Board of Trade Executive, First Tuesday, 8 p.m.
School Board, First Friday, 8 p.m.
W.c.T.U. meets third Wednesday in each month at 3.30 p.m., in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.
Wallace camp, Sons of Scotland, meets second Wednesday and Fourth Thursday in K P. hall.
North Vancouver L O.L. No. 1840, meets second and fourth Fridays in month.

Many Climb Mountains

Last Sunday 23 members of the Alpine Club, recently organized in connection with the Vancouver Athletic Club, made a successful ascent of Grouse Mountain, gaining an elevation of 5000 feet above sea level. Two ladies were in the party, which was under charge of J. J. Trorey. The club purposes making an ascent of Crown mountain as its next outing.

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North Vancouver Mails

Mails close for despatch as follows: For Vancouver and all points 8 a. m., 11:15 a. m., 4:15 p. m.; for Lynn creek, 11:15 a. m.

Mails arrive: Vancouver and all points, 9:10 a. m., 12:45 m., 5:45 p. m.; from Lynn creek 2 p. m.

Outgoing mails for Lynn creek after 11:15 a. m. should be delivered at the wicket.

NEW WESTMINSTER LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF NORTH VANCOUVER

TAKE NOTICE that Francis William Caulfeild, of the City of Vancouver British Columbia, Gentleman, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the southeasterly corner of Lot 811, Group 1, New Westminster District, thence south 0.. the east boundary of said Lot 8[illegible] produced 27.00 chains, thence west 30.[illegible] chains, thence north 30[illegible] west 17.5 chains more or less to the northeasterly corner of District Lot 447, thence southeasterly, easterly and northeasterly along the northerly shore of Burrard Inlet to the place of beginning, and containing sixty-three acres more or less

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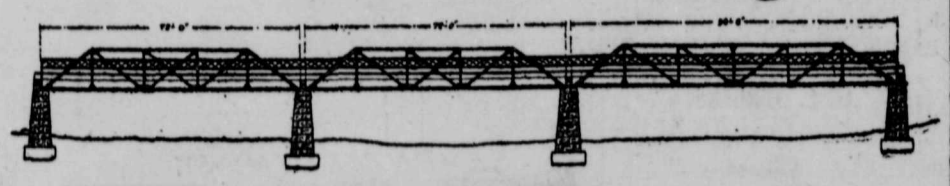

LYNN CREEK BRIDGE
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This bridge is being erected by the district council of North Vancouver and is of streel. The contractors for the steel work of this bridge, Messrs. Langley aud Williams, have notified the council of the delivery of the steel, and that the work of erection will be begun forthwith.

The bridge consists of three spans—one 90 feet, and two of 72½ feet, on concrete abutments and piers. The concrete work of all but the east abutment was finished last fall, and a temporary foot bridge was thrown across. A month ago the old wooden truss, which was badly decayed, was removed and the work of piling for foundation and building the east abutment was put in hand, to be in readiness for the steel superstructure.

The work already done has stood the winter and spring freshets well and the further work in the bed of the creek will make it more stable and prevent floods from breaking through on the western side.

The steel work is of the low truss rivetted pattern, with wooden joisting and decking, resting on steel floor beams. The clear width is 16 feet and the bridge is capable of carrying an 18 ton street car, the weight of the present cars being between eight and nine tons loaded.

The whole work should be completed in about six weeks. This bridge and another over the Seymour creek will supply a much felt want in the eastern part of the district.

North Vancouver Hospital.

In the establishment of a local hospital a very pressing problem has been solved for the city and district. A representative of THE EXPRESS paid a visit to the institution and was kindly shewn through by the nurse in charge. The location at the corner of 15th street and St. Andrew's avenue is very desirable for the purpose, being quiet and otherwise suited for those who are convalescing after illness. The building, while not built for hospital purposes, is nevertheless well designed to answer all present requirements The rooms are all spacious and airy and command an excellent view while the large verandah on the second floor is an ideal spot for the hours of returning strength. There is accommodation at the present time for six patients and this can very readily be increased to twelve should occasion arise.

With the Misses Dawson the institution has certainly fallen into capable hands. The three sisters are all trained professional nurses of extended experience, one being a maternity nurse, graduated at Queen Charlotte's hospital, London, England, and the other two graduated at the Hull infirmary. In addition to this, one of the sisters is a duly registered nurse, giving additional prestige and assurance of practical knowledge and ability, while thirteen years of continual engagement in the profession has given them a familiarity with the general run of cases such as cannot but be of the greatest benefit, to those who may have occasion to commit themselves to their care. The city and district councils have cause for gratification in the fact that they have succeeded in effecting such a happy solution of what bid fair to be a difficult problem. The cordial good will and the hearty support of the public is now all that is required in order to give permanence and success to the institution.

Dominion Day Celebration

The several committees appointed last Friday evening to complete arrangements for the civic celebration on Dominion Day, have been making satisfactory progress, with the result that the programme is now rounding into form. From present indications the events will fall into three departments, viz., aquatic sports on the waterfront; firemen's events on 2nd street, between Lonsdale and St. Andrew's; and field sports, including probably a baseball or a lacrosse match on the Athletic grounds. The effort is being made to allocate the places for holding the several portions of the program and to arrange matters generally so that all the interests involved will receive due consideration. The general committee meets this evening in the city hall when reports will be received and matters pushed forward as far as possible.

Drowned in False Creek

Fred Elliott, a resident of this place, was drowned in False Creek, Vancouver, just at the foot of Burrard street last Friday. Deceased had accidentally fallen into the water and his body was recovered shortly after. A little while before his death he had been talking to Capt. Cates, and the latter put off in a launch and assisted in bringing ashore the body. Mr. Elliott was a shipwright by trade and leaves two brothers in Vanconver. He was 40 years old, 19 of which he had spent in these parts.

Development Started

On Tuesday the B. C. American Mining & Development Co. sent out a huge stock of supplies to the Bank of Vancouver group of mineral claims, at the head of Seymour creek, development of which will be pushed all summer. The supplies were sent in by way of Howe Sound, and a number of men were sent along to do the packing. Had the Lillooet trail been opened through from here, the supplies would have been purchased from local merchants, distributing much money.

Eagles to Organize

An aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be instituted here on Wednesday evening next, June 10. The charter list has been numerously signed, the majority of the signers intending to be initiated the first night. Many brethren will be over from Vancouver to assist in the work. The paraphernalia for the new aerie has arrived and deposited in the Larson-McMillan hall, which is being fitted up as a meeting place.

Guests at Hotel North Vancouver: M. G. Wheeler and wife, Nelson; E. Benard and wife, E. R. Vogler, E. R. Thomas, J. N. Hillis, C. E. Hall, Dr. W. Moody and wife, Dr. Ford and wife, Baron von Bodenhauser, H. Bambrick, Vancouver; F. A. Hutchinson, Montreal; A. Jackson, Rossland; Mr. Bostrom, Prince Rupert; Dr. G. Clemens and wife, Germany.

Mrs. E. Godfrey, who has been a guest at Hotel North Vancouver, departed this week for England where she will make her permanent residence.

CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

TENDERS WANTED FOR CLEARING

SEALED TENDERS, marked "Tenders for Clearing and Grading," will be received by the undersigned up to 5 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, the 11th day of June, 1908, for the clearing and grading of 3 1-5 acres on the South-Easterly corner of D.L. 1620 to be used for cemetery purposes.

Drawings, specifications and general conditions of contract may be seen by intending offerers on and after Monday, 8th inst., at the office of the City Clerk or the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

City Hall, North Vancouver,
June 4th, 1908.

CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WANTED FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

SEALED TENDERS appropriately marked, will be received by the undersigned up to 5 o,clock P. M. on Monday, the 15th day of June, 1908, for the following Local Improvements to be carried out in the City of North Vancouver.

1. Clearing and grading of 16th street between St. Andrew's and Ridgeway Avenue, 950 feet thereby.

2. Clearing and grading of 11th street, between St. George's and Ridgeway Avenue; also laying 6-foot sidewalk between these two points, 1475 feet or thereby.

3. Clearing and grading of 13rd street between Mahon and St. David's Avenues, 4500 feet or thereby.

4. Laying 6-foot sidewalk on 3rd street between Mahon and St. David's Avenues.

Drawings, specifications and general conditions of contract may be seen or obtained by intending offerers on and after Monday 8th inst., at the office of the City Clerk or City Engineer.

Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque equal to 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender and the successful tenderer must provide an approved guarantee for the satisfactory completion of the work.

The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

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TENDERS FOR TIMBER LIMIT

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received by the Hon the Chief Commissioner at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, up to noon on Wednesday, July 1st, 1908, from any person who may desire to obtain a special timber license, unde the provisions of Section 57 of the Land Act, for the purpose of cutting timber from the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of Lot 508, New Westminster District; thence west 38.80 chains to the south-east corner of Lot 2,417; thence north 37 chains to the south-west corner of Lot 2,423; thence east 52 68 chains to the north-west corner of Lot 1,530; thence south 55 chains to Lot 1,529; thence west 17.65 chains to Lot 508; thence north 14.30 chains to point of commencement.

The competitor offering the highest cash bonus will be entitled to a special timber license covering the limit, renewable annully for a term of twenty-one ears.

Each tender must be addressed to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, securely sealed and marked "Tender for Timber License," and must be accompanied by two marked cheques, one cheque being for $110.60, the amount of the first year's rental and the other for the amount of bonus tendered.

All cheques require to be payable to the order of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, at par at Victoria.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Short, moderately worded letters on topics of general public interest will be published in THE EXPRESS.

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The Ferry Question

TO THE EDITOR OF THE EXPRESS.

Sir,—It is an ill wind that blows nobody good. As a trader of the ambitious city, I hereby tender my thanks to the ferry company for making things so unpleasant to the inhabitants of North Vancouver that some of them are compelled to patronize local trade in spite of themselves, and at the same time the said ill wind won't blow long, as the influx of residents will cease, and those already here will be getting too disgusted to stay and so we will suffer in the end. We look for salvation to the B. C. Electric Railway Co., Ltd., as the only solvers of the present outrageous situation. Yours truly,

PIONEER TRADER.

LOCALS

Capt. Pybus has given the contract for the erection of a second cottage on 1st street, east of Lonsdale ave. The cottage will be a duplicate of the one recently completed on the adjoining lot.

The detailed description of the new Lynn creek bridge, which appears in this issue, was kindly prepared for THE EXPRESS by D. Cameron, engineer for the district municipality, while the accompanying cut is loaned by the B.C. Mining Exchange.

The B. C. Mining Exchange and Engineering News for May is to hand. A conspicuously illustrated and carefully compiled description of Prince Rupert and the adjoining country constitutes the leading feature, while the whole forty pages are replete with live matter of real merit and interest.

The staff of the city hall is swelled to unwonted proportions these days through the addition of Messrs. C. S. Turner, R. B. Webster and G. L. Austin, representatives of the firm of Kendall, Sewell & Co., chartered accountants, who are engaged upon the independent audit of the city's books.

The Diplock-Wright Lumber Co., has been busily engaged making shipments of lumber to Vancouver for some time past. On Thursday a shipment of 83,000 feet was made and on Monday next a shipment of 550,000 shingles and 30,000 feet of lumber will go forward. Facts such as these should cause contractors to see that the local mills are given opportunity to bid on lumber bills for local buildings before orders are placed with outside firms.

The Outpost is the latest product of journalistic genius to make its appearance in local periodical circles, but it will not be by any means the least amongst its contemporaries, if future numbers measure up to the standard set by the initial effort. A well written and excellently illustrated article on the schools of Vancouver is the leading feature. The editorial matter is timely and readable, and the short stories, of which there are many, are bright and entertaining. Altogether, the magazine is deserving liberal patronage.

"The Private Secretary."

A large and fashionable audience assembled in Larson's Pavilion Wednesday night to witness the initial performance of the farcical comedy, "The Private Secretary," by a company of well known local amateurs. The scenery was good, and in view of the unsuitability of the hall for a theatrical performance, the stage arrangements were highly creditable. The incidental music was played by J. Alexander, J. Love, violins; and Mrs. Alexander, piano, and were greatly enjoyed.

It would be invidious to mention one actor more than another, for all gave an excellent rendering to their parts, but the honor as far as providing the fun, easily fell to H. A. Scriven, as The Private Secretary. His habit of forgetting to take with him his complete wardrobe, and his confiding innocence in regard to his diet, kept the audience in continual laughter. Miss D. C. Dean Pitt, as the landlady, and as Eva, a companion to Mrs. Marsland's daughter, showed decided talent in her impersonations. The fussy and peppery old uncle from India, was capitally played by Colin F. Jackson, and the blunders of the Bond street tailor, trying to get on to the "upper crust" of society, were amusingly portrayed by G. B. Williams. Mrs. C. F. Jackson, as a spinster, with strong partiality for spooks; Miss Cameron, as the vivacious Edith Marsland; W. J. Butler, masquerading as the Rev. Rob. Spalding; H. L. McPherson, as the young man about town and nephew of Mr. Marsland; F. L. Diplock, as a country squire, and Gordon Runkle, as a writ server, were each and all sufficiently entertaining. The comedy was repeated on the following night.

City Fire Bylaw

The full text of clause 14 of the city fire bylaw, to which the attention of property owners was called in last week's issue, is as follows:

All lots or parcels of land or ground, within a radius of one hundred feet from any building, costing $200 or over, already constructed, or under course of construction, shall be cleared and kept clear of all combustible or inflammable material, such as dead or fallen trees, dry logs, stumps, underbrush, and rubbish of any and all kinds; and upon a receipt of a written report from the owner, agent, lessee, or tenant of such building, complaining of probable danger from fire, because of such combustible or inflamable material, situated within the radius above mentioned, it shall be the duty of the council, if satisfied that such danger exists, to cause a notice to be sent to the last known address according to the assessment roll of the current year, or otherwise, of the owner, owners, agents, or lessees of such lots or parcels of land or ground, notifying them that such danger exists, and that, if within such length of time as may be specified by the council, the owner, owners, agents or lessees of such parcels or lots of land or ground, failed to have removed the cause of such danger, the council may order the necessary work done and the owner or owners shall pay the costs, charges, and expenses and the interest thereon, and the same may be recovered at the suit of the city in any court of competent jurisdiction.

Selkirk vs Western Corporation

THE EXPRESS has been requested by A. D. Taylor, solicitor for the defendants, to insert the following as an exact statement of the process of settlement of the case of Selkirk vs the Western Corporation: "The suggestion of a settlement in the case came from the plaintiff's counsel, at the close of the plaintiff's case, the plaintiff Selkirk offering to withdraw all imputations of fraud. The defendants then offered to buy the fifteen shares which the plaintiff had paid for, and which the company maintained were of full value. This was done by Mr. Diplock, who gave for the exchange of the fifteen shares a lot in North Vancouver, and the allotment to Mr. Selkirk of the unpaid shares was cancelled.

The following is a copy of the memorandum of settlement which was filed in the supreme court:—"The plaintiff hereby withdraws all charges or imputations of fraud or fraudulent misrepresentations or concealments, as set forth in the statement of claim in this action, or otherwise. It is agreed that the action shall be declared settled out of court, each party paying their own costs."

F. O. E.

NOTICE

Candidates for initiation into the North Vancouver Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, will kindly take notice that they will be required to get their Medical Examination Papers for Membership filled out on or before the 10th inst. Application papers can be obtained at either Doctor Campbell's or Doctor Verner's offices.

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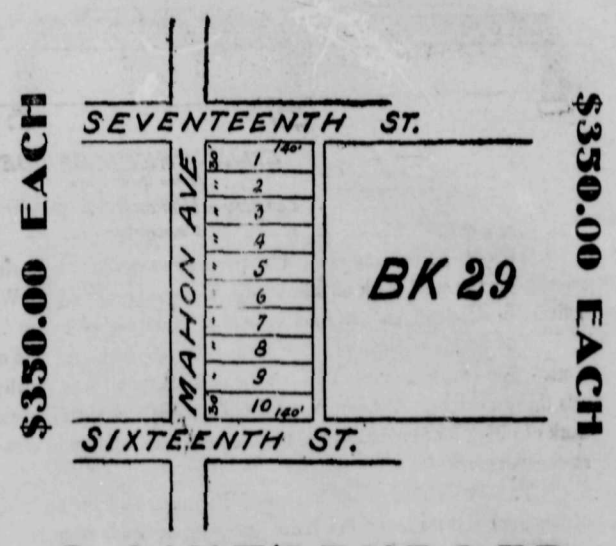

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