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CITY COUNCIL

The aldermen were all present at the adjourned meeting of the city council on Wednesday evening. Mayor May presided.

Bylaw No. 67, to raise $10,000 for ferry purposes, was read a last time and finally passed.

The streets regulations bylaw was likewise given its final reading, passed and, with its passing, came into effect.

The peddlers' bylaw, which had developed several minor difficulties, was satisfactorily adjusted, read the last time and finally passed, thereby becoming law.

The committee, appointed by the ratepayers meeting to complete the incorporation of a ferry company, reported progress. The articles of association were complete and were submitted to the council for consideration. The committee recommended, that, in purchasing shares in the company, the city put the ferry in at actual cost, plus such amounts as may have been spent in repairs, and that the shares be taken at par value. With respect to the wharves, the committee recommended that the city place these in first-class shape and then lease them to the ferry company, instead of selling them. There were two reasons given for this recommendation, first, because Lonsdale avenue wharf is situated on a street end, and legal difficulties would probably arise to deeding a street end to a company; and second, should occasion arise to treat with the C. P.R., or the board of railway commissioners relative to the Vancouver landing, the representations of the city would have greater weight than those of a company. With respect to the appointment of the board of directors, the committee recommended that the council select a number of ratepayers suitable for the position, and submit their names to the people, with the understanding that those receiving the highest number of votes will be appointed at the shareholders' meeting. The report of the committee was received.

Alderman Schultz and E. Mahon were appointed a committee to interview the city solicitor, and to have him prepare an agreement to accompany the articles of association.

The articles and memorandum of association, as submitted by the committee, were carefully considered by the council and approved. The capital stock is $150,000, divided into 150,000 shares of one dollar each. The number of directors is to be three, and at the close of the term, if so requested, all shares held by individuals are to be offered the company, for a period of thirty days at par.

A flat rate of 75 cents return for a wagon load hauled by two horses, was adopted by the council for the ferry.

Sunday baseball games came up for discussion, but no action was taken.

VICTORY FOR B. C. E. R.

After a prolonged session the provincial executive council has decided to grant the application of the Vancouver Power Company, a subsidiary concern of the B. C. Electric Railway Co., for leave to raise its dam at Coquitlam lake, subject, however, to restrictions and conditions which will completely safeguard the interests of those who appeared in opposition to the plan. The order in council which embodies these conditions is a long one and will not be made public until it has received the signature of the lieutenant-governor.

The Vancouver Power Company already has a large dam at Coquitlam lake, where water is stored for the generation of power, and the present plan is to raise the dam, with the result that many thousand horsepower will be obtainable. The plan was bitterly opposed by some of the Coquitlam people, who feared that the water might go out, a catastrophe which would probably be followed by loss of life. The New Westminster people also opposed the application on the ground that the purity of their water supply, which is drawn from the same lake, might be contaminated by the flooding of a larger area of land.

Several sittings were held by the council, at which a great deal of expert and other evidence was given, the net result of which appeared to be that both the results feared might be avoided by proper methods of construction and precautions. The order in council will specify what steps must be taken in order to render the work perfectly innocuous to all concerned.

OPPOSED TO SUNDAY BALL

The announcement that it is proposed to hold professional league baseball match, on the local athletic grounds on Sunday next, has aroused opposition upon the part of a section of the citizens, and such steps as are possible, at the short notice given, are being taken to stop the game, if possible. A deputation of citizens waited upon F. R. Glover, assistant manager of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, in Vancouver, this morning. They submitted to him the undesirable features of the project and, amongst other points, contended that such a performance is prohibited by the terms of the lease of the grounds from the Athletic Association to the lessee. The clause in the lease to which reference is made reads as follows: "The second party shall not suffer or permit any unlawful trade, occupation or performance, to be engaged in or be carried on within the said athletic grounds * * * * and a breach of this condition shall, ipso facto involve forfeiture to the company, of the second party's interests under this lease."

Mr. Glover expressed himself as appreciating the position of the deputation and promised to communicate with the promoters of the ball game, along the lines suggested. In addition to this effort, a strongly worded telegram has been sent to the attorney general, apprising him of the movement, and requesting from him the requisite authority to enable the police to prevent the game.

BASEBALL FOR N. V.

Professional baseball is to be played in North Vancouver, the first game of the season to be played on Sunday afternoon next. The competing teams will be Vancouver and Aberdeen of the regular Northwestern League. The game will take place at the Recreation grounds at 3.30, a band concert being held first starting at 1 p.m. A large crowd is expected over from Vancouver, and special arrangements have been made to handle the crowds, by tramcars, autos, and tallyhos. It is stated the regular Sunday games of the league from the Vancouver end will be pulled off in North Vancouver throughout the season.

LUMBER SHIPMENTS

The Diplock-Wright Sawmill Company have now nine teams employed in hauling lumber, at the rate of over twenty loads per day. The firm recently made a shipment of 20,000 feet to New South Wales, getting the material out and across the Inlet upon short notice, about eighteen hours. A shipment of 60,000 feet was likewise made to New Zealand. The total output for the month of April will exceed 500,000 feet, and it would have been much larger had not the removal of the ferry steamer St. George, interfered with shipping arrangements.

RENSHAW DEFEATED

Rodney Renshaw, of North Vancouver, the well known wrestler, who recently entered the professional ranks in order to meet Virgil Venable, of Seattle, met with a disastrous defeat last night in the latter city

Venable won the match in two straight falls, the first in 29 minutes and 15 seconds, the second fall in 13 minutes. Each fall was won from a bar and head chancery hold. There was only a small crowd present at the match, which was very fast, Venable being the aggressor throughout.

REAL ESTATE ACTIVITY

The leading feature of the real estate market for some days past, both here and in Vancouver, has been the phenomenal demand for Capilano acreage. The investing public appear to have awakened at last, to the unexcelled opportunity offered for investment by this superb district. Those agents who are fortunate enough to have a list of these properties are doing a rushing business. While many owners are willing to sell at least a portion of their holdings at present prices, there is nevertheless beginning to develop a stiffening of terms, with a pronounced upward tendency as to prices.

PROGRAMME FOR HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

The Horticultural Association has made out the following programme of entertainment for 1909-10, the events to be held in the society's pavilion:—

May 19—Dance
May 24—Public dance
Sept 17—Exhibition, promenade concert in evening.
Sept. 18—Exhibition, dance in evening.
Oct. 13—Dance
Dec. 1—Dance
Jan. 1910—Poultry show.

Other fixtures will be announced from time to time.

MAY DAY

The May Day celebration tomorrow gives every promise of proving a conspicuous success. The children are greatly enthused over the prospect and have succeeded in imparting a great deal of their anticipations into the minds of their parents and others of mature years, so that a large attendance of old and young is assured. The advance sale of tickets was so large that the original supply became exhausted and a second issue had to be made. The arrangements for the programme are now completed in all respects, and the efficient committee in charge has given very careful attention to detail, so that every item will appear in its place and the entire proceedings will move without a hitch. Mayor May will preside at the function in the Horticultural hall at 3 and at 7.30 p.m.

SIDEWALK QUESTION

Editor Express'

Sir,—It is a question whether North Vancouver has a board of aldermen looking after the interests of the residents, or catering to the non-residents of North Vancouver, and incidentally encouraging a proposition of the almighty dollar. The cause for this letter is so glaring, that the ratepayers' association should immediately get together and let their voices be heard on the subject, of whether residents can have a reasonably sound sidewalk to their residences in exchange for their taxes, or whether the council should spend money on accommodating other people, non-residents of our shore, to play on the one day out of seven, whereas the residents who travel every day, cannot get a sidewalk because of the cry, "no money." Yet on 22nd street there is a 12 foot sidewalk being laid, where there is not a single residence, while on Lonsdale ave., a trunk road, they permit a miserable delapidated stretch of rotten wood to be used by thousands in the course of the seven days. Yours truly,

THOS. S. NYE

LYNN CREEK NOTES

In last week's report of the vestry meeting of St. Clement's church, the name of H. Worth should have appeared as elected one of the churchwardens. This name should appear instead of that of John M. Duval.

A jolly party was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Maginnis on Tuesday evening, in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Clara. A large party of young folk was present and a thoroughly enjoyable time was had.

An incipient blaze started in the roof of the Institute hall during the practice held on Monday evening, for the concert on Thursday next. Fortunately it was discovered early and plenty of help was at hand, so that it was quickly extinguished.

TO ADVERTISERS

The attention of advertisers is called to a standing notice at the head of the editorial columns of The Express, that changes of advertisements must be in the hands of the printer not later than Wednesday of each week to ensure publication. Positively no variation from this rule will be made.

A Jap, named R. Madiokora, who has some six Japs in his employ, and who refused to pay the government revenue tax, was summoned to appear before the reeve, but as Mr. Madiokora was ready to pay when he arrived in response to the summons, proceedings were stayed and the taxes plus costs to date found their way into the provincial coffers.

Mr. Bowden and family will move to town shortly and will reside on 10th street, near Ridgway avenue.

LOCAL NEWS

William Woods is erecting a small house on 4th street east.

Geo. Phillips, jr., is building a new house on 19th street east.

Passenger rates between Seattle and Victoria have been cut to 25 cents.

Monday morning, John Jones a D. & D., was fined $10 and costs in the local police court.

The sternwheel steam boat Strathcona was on the ways at the Wallace shipyards this week.

The last dance of the season by the Merry Widow club will be held tonight, in the Eagles' hall.

The Scots of the city held an enjoyable and successful dance in the Eagles' hall, last Monday night.

The painters have been busy with the Russell house, on 1st street east, effecting a decided improvement.

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See ad. on another page. Just a few more electric irons left; act quick if you want one. Call at B.C. El. Co. office, Lonsdale avenue.

For the latest information, with reference to ferry matters, read the report of the adjourned council meeting, in another column.

A new tramcar was brought over from Vancouver yesterday for the local street car system. There are eight cars in service here now.

R. E. Macnaghten purposes visiting Prince Rupert on May 8th, to inspect the townsite, preparatory for the big sale on May 25th.

Malcolm McMillan went up to Harrison Hot Springs, Thursday, for a week's sojourn, for pleasure and for the improvement of his health.

The local St. Andrew's & Caledonian Society will attend divine service on Sunday morning, May 2nd, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

W. A. Dewey has purchased the eight roomed house of Mrs. Gilbertson, on 4th street, near Mahon ave. The purchaser has bought the house for rental purposes.

Miss Murray, whose home is at Sooke, Vancouver Island, and who has been visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Philip, returned to her home on Thursday.

The Lonsdale ave. wharf has been repaired and strengthened by the city. An arc light has also been placed at the boat landing, effecting a decided improvement.

Keith road, west of the Capilano, has been receiving some attention of late, with a view of eliminating some of the troublesome hills that abound along its western extremity.

J. Cooper Keith, of Vancouver, recently purchased the west half of lot 376, group 1, Port Moody, at a figure which would indicate that prices in that busy town are not lessening. So says the New Westminster Columbian.

The B. C. E. R. Co., are extending their lines to Hastings townsite. A new line is also to be built out Westminster road from 9th avenue, Vancouver. The 9th ave. line is also to be extended to Park Drive, making a new belt line.

North Vancouver found a prominent place in the prize list of the recent Vancouver horse show, Lady Claud, owned by John Lawson, Capilano, having secured second prize in her class. Lady Claud is a standard bred mare, recently imported by Mr. Lawson from Ontario, where she captured thirty first prizes in five counties adjacent to Toronto.

Petitions are being presented to council for cement walks in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Halls have taken up their residence in suite 9, Keith block.

Dr. A. Lowe, who promised to open dental parlors here, has quit the city, leaving traces of his brief sojourn here.

Norman MacLean is about to begin building operations on a new residence, at the corner of 6th street and Mahon ave.

The last issue of the B. C. Gazette contains the official notice of the appointment of W. Owen as chief constable of Atlin district.

Dr. Morrison has opened a dental parlor in the Keith block He comes here highly recommended and is considered a first class dentist.

W. Seale, who has recently arrived with his family from the United States, has rented a house on 11th street east, near St. Andrew's avenue.

A numerous contingent of local Oddfellows went to Vancouver on Sunday, to attend the annual church parade of the brethren in that city.

H. J. Thorne, of Vancouver, has removed with his family from Vancouver, and is residing on 10th street east, in the house formerly occupied by H.R. Heffell.

The new rock crushing and road making plant for the district was shipped on April 3rd, per the Blue Funnel liner Antiolochus, and is due to arrive shortly.

Under the new bylaw just passed by the council, no opening can be made on the streets for any purpose without a permit being first obtained from the city engineer.

A. A. Campbell, of Campbell & Miller, together with his family, will occupy one of the new residences recently completed by the firm, at the corner of 12th street and Ridgway avenue.

The new street regulations bylaw provides that a bell shall be rung from the firehalls at 9 o'clock at night, after which no minors under fourteen years of age shall be allowed upon the streets, unless accompanied or authorized by parents or guardians.

The board of works held a protracted session on Thursday evening, wrestling with the problem of the petitions on file for improvements under the local improvement bylaw. The several projects will be carried out in rotation, in the order in which they were received.

The contract for the construction of the provincial government wharf at Prince Rupert, was awarded yesterday to the Westholme Lumber Company, Limited, of Victoria. It is the same firm that has the contract for grading and planking the streets of the northern town.

The C.P.R. held an important sale of real estate in Vancouver on Wednesday, being property lying south of 9th ave. and west of Granville street. The results far exceeded expectations, every lot offered being sold. The total values amounted to $177,000

Registrar Shepherd will hold a court of revision Monday, on the Richmond voter's list.

At the preliminary hearing under the information against Dr. Thomas Verner, held in Vancouver, on Thursday, only the evidence for the prosecution was submitted, the defence reserving their evidence for the higher court. Counsel for the defence elicited the admission from the witness for the prosecution that an effort had been made to extract money from Dr. Verner before laying the information.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE

Editor Express:

Sir,—I have read what Mr. Henderson has to say relative to the facts given by me in my letter of 25th March. I wish he also had given some facts from his own experience in "the design and execution of main drainage work of great magnitude." Beyond his bare statement, we have nothing to go by.

The following from the fifth report of the British commission, 1908, "appointed to inquire and report on methods of treating and disposal of sewage," and "presented to both houses of parliament by command of His Majesty" sufficiently disposes of his assumptions.

Separate and Combined System of Sewers. 296. In recent years there has been a tendency to favor the adoption of separate sewers to carry what is called surface water, and some local authorities have obtained by means of local acts, special powers enabling them to call upon frontagers in private streets to lay down two sewers in place of one.

In the public health bill of last session (1907) a clause, dealing with this subject, was originally included, but it was omitted during the passage of the bill through parliament.

In our opinion the cases in which the provision of a separate system can properly be justified are rare, and it appears to us that the relative merits of the separate and combined systems have not always been sufficiently considered.

It is obvious that the provision of two systems of sewers and two sets of house drains would very largely increase the initial outlay on drainage works, the exact amount of increase depending on local circumstances.

It seems generally to have been assured by advocates of the separate system that the liquid brought down by surface water sewers is sufficiently pure to need no purification, and further, that by excluding this water from the ordinary sewers a much smaller area of land or filters, as the case may be, will suffice for the purification of the sewage.

Neither of these assumptions is altogether justified.

301. As regards the cases in which the adoption of a separate system for surface water may be allowed, we may refer to the evidence of Dr. Fowler, Mr. Watson and Mr. Wilkinson. These gentlemen have had considerable experience and they expressed the view that in large towns the separate system is impracticable, that in urban districts a combined system is justified on sanitary and economical grounds, and that only in villages, country districts, and suburban areas, where there is little traffic and where the surface water will not be very foul, may the separate system sometimes be adopted with advantage.

With these views we generally concur, and we think it would be unwise to confer on all local authorities power to enforce the adoption of the separate system of sewerage, and the provision of two sets of drains in every house."

I am, etc.,
J. W. BALMAIN, C.E.
North Vancouver, April 29.

In last week's issue of The Express, it was asserted that A. Campbell Hope, who has rented a house on 1st street east, was a member of the firm of Pearce & Hope, architects. The Express is informed that Messrs. Pearce & Hope have not been associated in business since last June. The partnership, which existed then, for a period of six months, has been dissolved.

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PROCLAMATION

His Worship Mayor May has been pleased to recommend that the afternoon of Saturday, May first, be observed as a public holiday, in order that an opportunity may be given all citizens to participate in the May day celebration. By command,

THOMAS SHEPHERD.
City Clerk.

Notice to Contractors

TENDERS WANTED

SEALED TENDERS marked "Tender—Third Street Macadamizing and Sidewalks," will be received by the undersigned up to 8 o'clock p.m. on Monday the 3rd day of May, 1909, for grading draining, boulevarding and macadamizing Third Street from Mahon Avenue to St. David's Avenue, and for laying to grade a sidewalk on the north side, and constructing a 6-ft. sidewalk on the south side of said portion of said street, 4,900 feet or thereby.

Drawings, Specifications, Forms of Tender and General Conditions of Contract may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer.

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THE CITY COUNCIL

At the adjourned meeting of the city council, held Monday evening, there were present Mayor May, presiding; and Aldermen McRae, McNeish, Dick and Schultz.

A letter from the board of trade, enclosing a resolution with regard to council granting a street end or other suitable site for the location of a wharf and slip for the transportation of freight cars across the Inlet, was received and it was resolved to request the committee to meet the council on Monday evening next.

A letter from F. Cummer, re blasting of stumps near his property, was referred to the board of works.

Letters from Sir Wilfred Laurier, Hon. Wm. Templeman, and R. L. Borden, acknowledging receipt of resolutions, were filed.

A letter from Robert Ward, Limited, declining to agree to the building of a road along the east bank of MacKay creek, on the local improvement plan, was filed.

City Engineer Hanes submitted a report upon Lonsdale ave. wharf, to the effect that, in making the recent repairs, it had been ascertained that the teredos had destroyed the floats beneath the present landing stage. The wharf should be extended an additional eighteen feet; a new float should be constructed at once; the landing of the ferry steamer St. George should be placed in line with the centre line of the wharf; the life of the new float would be four or five years, before which time, requirements as to a permanent wharf will be clearly defined; suitable waiting rooms should be constructed on the wharf; the cost would be as follows: Cost of new float, $8500; cost of the waiting rooms, $2500. The report was laid over for further consideration.

Two plans of subdivision, for parts of D.L. 616, were referred to the city solicitor.

A bylaw, authorizing the raising of a temporary loan of $10,000 on the ferry, was given three readings.

A statement of account, totalling $660.65, from the Diplock-Wright Sawmill Co., for logs for the ferry wharf, was ordered paid.

The board of works reported upon the advisability of securing anchors, to hold the wings of the ferry slip in place. Two anchors were in sight, one weighing 1000lb and the other 900lb, which could be bought for $65 and $52 respectively. Referred to a committee, comprising the assistant manager, the captains of the ferry steamers, and Ald. McNeish.

It was resolved that council meet again Wednesday evening, and that the committee appointed by the ratepayers to incorporate a joint stock company and to prepare a bylaw to authorize the changing of the ferry to a limited liability company, be requested to report as to the progress made.

The waterworks committee was empowered to act in the matter of a telephone for the caretaker of the system.

The city clerk was authorized to purchase certain law books, to cost $40.

The board of works was instructed to repair Keith road within the city limits. The district council will be requested to place the cemetery road in good repair.

The streets regulations bylaw was given three readings.

Mayor and council were invited by the district council to accompany the party which would proceed with Premier McBride and his colleagues, to the opening of Seymour creek bridge, on Monday next. Accepted with thanks.

FERRY MATTERS

Editor Express:—

Sir,—I have been following very closely the procedure in regard to the formation of a joint stock company, to take over the assets of the ferry service, and while the principle is commendable, there exists a grave doubt in the minds of many electors as to the desirability of certain of the details,

There have been five men chosen by a public meeting to undertake the direction of this company, but it is open to serious question whether this method represents the true opinion of the large body of electors generally. One of these men—who was connected with the old ferry company—has objected to every proposed improvement in the service. This gentleman kicked at the reduction in the fares, and, I understand, now objects to the duplicating of crews on the steamer North Vancouver, in order to provide a half hourly service throughout the day. The qualification of certain of the other gentlemen on this committee is also open to question.

The question that the citizens have to face is this, viz:—Did the electors vote for the ferry bylaw because they liked municipal ownership, or was it to secure a better ferry service? For myself, it was for the better ferry service, and if we are going to place reactionaries on the directorate, how much better off are we? I submit, sir, that the proper course for the council to adopt is to call for nominations, and to elect this committee by ballot of the electors, which is the only means of obtaining a true expression of opinion.

Failing this, I have every reason to believe that the ferry bylaw will be defeated when it is submitted to the people.

Yours faithfully,

PERCY KING

April 28, 1909.

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All changes in contract advertisements must be in the hands of the printer by Wednesday evening to ensure publication in the next issue.

NORTH VANCOUVER, APRIL 30, 1909

A NOTABLE VISIT

The approaching visit of Premier McBride, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works Taylor, and possibly other members of the provincial government, which is set for Monday next, May 3rd, under the auspices of the district council, is an event which on the one hand will afford the highest gratification to the ratepayers and residents of both city and district and which on the other hand will doubtless accomplish all that is needed to place the entire community on the north shore in its rightful place, in the perspective of the government.

The formal opening of the new steel bridge across Seymour creek will be one of the features of the occasion, and while highly interesting to all who attend, it will doubtless prove particularly gratifying to the premier, who, it is understood, has long been a strong advocate of the building of steel structures by municipalities, but the opening of Seymour creek bridge will be the first function of the kind which he has attended, which will enable him to see his theories in this regard carried to completion. This is the case for the reason that North Vancouver district is the first in the province to build bridges of this class.

A conference will likewise be held between the representatives of the government and the district council, relative to important matters, concerning which negotiations have already been carried on to some extent. A letter from the chief commissioner was read in district council recently, in which the commissioner intimated that he would pay a personal visit to the district in the near future, for the purpose of conferring with reference to the construction of roads. North Vancouver has a most favorable case to present in this regard.

The Express has previously pointed out that the district has built and maintained entirely at its own expense, some forty miles of trunk roads, and that these roads have afforded the only means of access to governmental lands lying beyond. Absolutely no provincial money was expended on these roads, although they are roads of that particular character which are usually heavily subsidized by the government. While expenditures to a considerable amount have been made of late in the district by the government, and further appropriations are now being utilized, it is nevertheless safe to say that the total governmental expenditures completed, or authorized to date, do not equal in amount that proportion of the cost of roads built by the district, which, under ordinary conditions, should have been provided by the government. This fact, together with the many natural advantages enjoyed by the district for residential purposes, ensuring steady influx of population upon the construction of good roads, should prove sufficient to favorably dispose the government toward liberal treatment of the district in this regard.

It would appear probable that advantage will be taken of the opportunity to discuss upon the ground, the purchase of the local Indian reserves. Reeve McNaught intimated upon his return from Ottawa that he had taken up this matter with the dominion government, and had secured their acquiescence in a scheme, whereby a certain portion of the purchase price would be paid the Indians in cash, the lands to be sold to the public by auction and the remainder, above the percentage referred to, to be invested for the benefit of the Indians, so long as there remained any claimants on the same. Should the last claimant at any time disappear, the ownership of the fund to be decided by adjudication as between the dominion and the provincial government. Just what the attitude of the provincial government is toward this solution, has not been publicly declared, but it is reasonable to suppose that the matter will not be lost sight of, at the approaching conference.

A most enjoyable termination for the day's proceedings would result, if the proposition which has been made, to hold a public function in the form of an informal banquet in the evening, can be carried into effect. Not only would such a function be valuable from a social point of view, but, by being brought into close relationships under such conditions with a large body of the intelligent electorate of North Vancouver, the members of the government might have suitably impressed upon them the fact, that the local constituency, as at present constituted is most unsatisfactory, and that the North Shore of Burrard Inlet has now attained that position which renders it in the interests of good government that she be made a separate constituency, with the privilege of a member to represent her interests in the house.

North Vancouver Horticultural Society

TENDERS are invited up to 6 p.m. on Monday, May 11th, for installing hot air heating apparatus (Tilden, Gurney or McClary preferred) in hall.

Particulars as to requirements may be obtained from Mr. W. L. Keene, 15th street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

SYDNEY TYLER, Sec.

North Vancouver Horticultural Society

ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1909

May 19—Dance
May 24—Public dance
July 3—Flower show
Sept 17—Exhibition, promenade concert in evening.
Sept. 18—Exhibition, dance in evening.
Oct. 13—Dance
Dec. 1—Dance

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Jan —Poultry show

Date of lectures will be published as arrangements are made.

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Agents who have a demand for good close-in North Vancouver city lots will please take notice.

Maps, price lists, and further particulars will be forwarded on application.

Intending purchasers who cannot conveniently call during office hours will please telephone us for an appointment any evening.

FOR SALE

Intending purchasers of choice acreage west of the Capilano or in any other part of the District will profit greatly by consulting our large and exclusive list before negotiating for purchase elsewhere.

This being the fourth year of our establishment in business in North Vancouver we are thoroughly posted as to the various properties that may be offered for sale and their values.

We are the sales agents for a number of estates in North Vancouver city and district and have a very good list of properties for sale at prices which were prevailing in 1907 and 1908 during the period of financial depression, and as we are now apparently on the eve of a period of great prosperity we consider the present time very opportune for investors to make a selection of North Vancouver property before the greater period of activity sets in.

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Non-resident owners of property in North Vancouver who are unable to give personal supervision to the management of their estates are requested to correspond with us, being the oldest duly incorporated Company with its headquarters in North Vancouver, and being financially responsible in every respect, we can give the best assurances possible that business will be conducted along lines as accurately and surely as any banking establishment throughout the country.

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SEATTLE AT EXPOSITION

One of the revelations of the past month in the development of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle, has been the sudden appearance of two buildings, one of them among the largest on the grounds, near the music pavilion, on the left side of Rainier vista, at the foot of the court of honor. The two structures seemed to arise as if by magic, and a few days after they were first observed, the entire frame-work was in place, and scores of workmen were busy with exterior and interior finishing. The workers on the exposition grounds, who had supposed that all of the large buildings were already constructed, hastened to inquire about the new buildings, and learned that they are the Canadian government building, and the Grand Trunk railway building.

Canada has erected on the A.-Y.-P. grounds a handsome building that will contain as large an exhibit as some of the main exhibit palaces, and there has already arrived for the display, a shipment of several carloads, containing the exhibit of Canada at the Franco-British exhibition at London last summer. This shipment will form the nucleus of the Canadian display, but the Canadian commissioner has gathered from throughout the dominion, and especially from British Columbia, a complete exhibit of the agricultural, mineral, timber, and fisheries resources of the country.

Canada will make a strong feature of the facilities of her lands for dairying purposes, and will be a strong contender in the live stock show, which will be held at the exposition in September, and will be the largest live stock exhibition ever gathered in the west. Canadian breeders of high grade stock have already made numerous entries for this event, and will make a strong showing against the entries from the other side of the line.

The Canadian building will be completed in a day or so, leaving a full month for the installation of exhibits. The building occupies one of the choicest sites on the fair grounds, especially in regard to the view it commands. From the balcony of the building, a sweeping view of the exposition may be obtained, while lake Washington lies at the foot of a slope to the eastward, and the Cascades loom up beyond. Mt. Rainier is seen to the south east, and lake Union to the south west, with a distant glimpse of the Olympics beyond Seattle's hills. The formal gardens, a feature of the landscape work on the exposition grounds, lie at the foot of the Cascade court, and extend past the Canadian building. Nearby is the music pavilion, where the finest bands in America will play during the summer.

The Grand Trunk building, next the Canadian structure, is a smaller affair, but very attractive in design, and will exploit the wonderful region which this railroad is opening in the dominion.

The North Vancouver boating club propose holding a public meeting at Larson's hotel, on Monday, May 3rd, at eight o'clock, with a view to re-organizing the club. Anyone interested in rowing, sailing, or swimming, will be heartily welcomed. There has been but slight interest in the past paid to aquatic sports, and it is hoped to rekindle enthusiasm therein.

W. Arneson, one of the employees of Wallace shipyards, was the victim of an accident on Thursday, when by some means a heavy timber fell from the upper deck of the steamer Strathcona, at present on the ways. The timber struck him with full force across the instep causing painful bruises, but fortunately not breaking any bones He will be around again in a few days.

The water pipes on the east side of Queensbury avenue will be in place by the end of this week, and it is also hoped that pipes on Lonsdale avenue north will be laid within the same period.

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Further, as certainly as North Vancouver becomes a city of importance, so surely will these lots go to ten times their present market value. This view will probably be accepted when it is considered that 20 years ago the best residence lots in Vancouver were purchasable at $500 each and at present cost $10,000. This is a fair statement of the average advance in value of Vancouver property.

PROOF: In 1888 (about 20 years ago) the assessed valuation of Vancouver city was under $3,500,000. Now, or say just 20 years later, it is over $72,500,000, or 20 times as much. The average yearly increase for 20 years all over the city was doubled on the average every year for 20 years. This means that $10,000 put in Vancouver 20 years ago would be worth $200,000 now, less taxes paid in interim. The larger Vancouver grows the larger North Vancouver will grow. There can be no doubt that in the future North Vancouver will become as large as Vancouver is now, and when Vancouver has the proportions of Liverpool, North Vancouver will be larger than Vancouver is at present.

A WORD TO THE WISE: In all human probability to buy in North Vancouver now is parallel to buying in Vancouver 20 years ago. Electric car runs whole length of boulevard; and water is now being installed.

Also 100 lots in close proximity to boulevard at $700 to $800 each for insides, according to position; double corners $1,650 to $1,750.

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DRAMATIC CLUB DANCE

The North Vancouver dramatic society scored a pronounced success, in their supper and dance, held in the Horticultural hall, on Tuesday evening. The attendance was excellent, comprising fifty couple. The music was furnished by Mr. Drainie, and was the subject of much favorable comment. The supper was delightful and was arranged with exquisite taste. The stage curtain was lowered during the first portion of the dance programme, and at the conclusion of the dance preceding the supper, the lights in the body of the hall were extinguished as the curtain rose, displaying the tables, laden with dainties, decorated with ferns and flowers and presenting a most enticing picture to the eyes of the dancers, thoroughly ready for a rest and for refreshment. The refreshments were provided by the ladies and the arrangements were superintended by Mrs. Colin F. Jackson. The proceedings were brought to a close at 2 o'clock a.m. The financial proceeds will leave a balance on the right side when all expenses are paid.

LYNN CREEK NOTES

A particularly fine entertainment is promised for May 6th, to be held in St. Clement's hall, Lynn creek. The programme is made up of over 24 different items, consisting of tableaux, dialogues, charades, shadow pictures, songs and recitations. The proceeds are to go into the building fund.

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PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT

RICHMOND ELECTORAL DISTRICT

TAKE NOTICE that I have received objections in writing to the following list of names being retained on the List of Voters for the Richmond Electoral District, on the grounds set opposite each name.

AND TAKE NOTICE that at the Court of Revision to be held on the 3rd day of May, 1909 at the City Hall, North Vancouver, B.C., at ten o'clock in the forenoon I shall hear and determine the said objections and unless the persons objected to or some other Provincial voters on their behalf, satisfies me that said objections or any one of them are not well founded, I shall strike the names off the said Register.

Dated this Seventh day of April, 1909.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,

Registrar of Voters for Richmond Electoral District

LIST OF NAMES OBJECTED TO

Reg. No.	NAME	Residence	Profession, Trade or Calling	Ground of Objection
6	Acheson, Dobson	14th street, North Vancouver	Labourer	C
27	Ames, Erson	Eburne	Farmer	C
34	Anderson, John	Richmond	Farmer	L
35	Anderson John	Lulu Island, Steveston	Farmer	L
38	Andrew, Thomas	North Vancouver	Gentleman	C
44	Anson, Bert	Durham ave., North Vancouver	Expressman	C
50	Archibald, Robinson	Lynn Valley	Woodsman	C
53	Armstrong, John	The Dam, North Vancouver	Caretaker	C
58	Arthur, John Geo.	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Farmer	C
70	Atkinson, William	3rd street, North Vancouver	Teamster	C
93	Banks, Eliphalet	Fromer's Camp, N. Vancouver.	Contractor	C
104	Barnes, Newton	1st street, North Vancouver	Janitor	C
123	Batchelor, Robert Alex.	4th street, North Vancouver	Master Mariner	C
130	Bavis, Walter E.	Sea Island	School Teacher	C
137	Beagrie, George	Hotel, North Vancouver	Labourer	C
141	Beattie, Wells	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Logger	C
152	Bell, Edmund	4th street, North Vancouver	Architect	C
157	Belyea, Ernest H. S.	Lonsdale ave., N. Vancouver	Teamster	C
158	Belyea, Hanford S. A.	12th street, North Vancouver	Contractor	C
233	Bowness, Thomas	13th street, North Vancouver	Carpenter	C
261	Brobeck, Eric Reinhold	North Vancouver	Civil Engineer	C
268	Bronson, George	North Vancouver	Rancher	C
301	Buckley, Peter	Steveston	Miner	C
311	Bunt, Richard Edward	Great Northern Cannery	Caretaker	C
322	Burnett, Wm. Ken. McK.	2nd street, North Vancouver	Bank Clerk	C
332	Burrows, James	North Arm Road, N. Vancouver	Farmer	C
335	Burton, John Joshua	2nd street, North Vancouver	Carpenter	C
338	Buss, George	Lulu Island	Labourer	C
339	Bustamante, Jose	2nd street, North Vancouver	Store-keeper	C
344	Buttrum, Harold	Sea Island	Farmer	C
369	Campbell, William Henry.	1st street, North Vancouver	Miner	C
370	Canheld, James	1st street, North Vancouver	Fisherman	C
377	Carruthers, Matthew	15th street, North Vancouver	Logger	C
381	Cassels, Geo. Murdoch	1st street, North Vancouver	Axeman	C
402	Chisholm, Alex.	Lynn Valley	Woodsman	C
403	Chitty, Arthur Fred.	Sea Island	Labourer	C
404	Christian, Val. J. R.	North Vancouver	Reg. Clerk	C
419	Clarke, Andrew R. D.	4th street, North Vancouver	Despatcher	C
424	Clarke, Jas.	4th street, North Vancouver	Customs Officer	C
425	Clarke, James Austin	Terra Nova	Farmer	C
427	Clarke, Thos. Robert	4th street, North Vancouver	Tel. Operator	C
444	Codocedo, Benjamin	2nd street, North Vancouver	Fisherman	C
450	Collier, Charles	North Vancouver	Carpenter	C
451	Collier, Sydney	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Woodsman	C
460	Connon, Wm. Gordon	Fraser River Cannery	Engineer	C
492	Coutts, Fred J. W.	2nd street, North Vancouver	Bank Clerk	C
497	Crabb, Robert Samuel	Capilano road, North Vancouver	Mill Owner	C
500	Crane, George Henry	Lonsdale ave., N. Vancouver	Builder	C
501	Crawford, Ezekiel Miller	13th street, North Vancouver	Miner	C
517	Crowston, Angus Alex.	1st street, North Vancouver	Broker	C
521	Cummings, Hiram A.	Sec. 29, B. 5N R.6W. Sea Island	Farmer	C
529	Dalgleish, John Moody	English Bay, South Vancouver.	Gentleman	C
538	Davidson, Alex. L.	North Vancouver	Compositor	C
541	Davidson, Jas. Gregory	1st street, North Vancouver	Contractor	C
557	Deans Samuel	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Woodsman	C
564	Deeming, James	Eburne	Butcher	C
573	Descoteau, Michael	North Vancouver	Farmer	C
578	Dick, David Henry	Lonsdale ave., N. Vancouver	Constable	C
589	Dill, Jas. Peers	Eburne, Sea Island	Postmaster	C
596	Dixon, Joseph	Lulu Island	Farmer	D
598	Dixon, Wm. Archibald	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Logger	C
616	Dowden, Wm. Horace	13th street, North Vancouver	Carpenter	C
617	Dowding, Isaac	Steveston	Section Boss C.P.R.	C
636	Duffy, Patrick	Hastings Camp, Hastings	Whitesmith	C
661	Elliott, Albert Thomas	North Vancouver	Photographer	C
663	Elliott, Frederick H.	North Vancouver	Shipwright	C
668	Ells, Hallett Daniel	Esplanade, North Vancouver	Blacksmith	C
671	Emery, Wm. Frewin	Frommer's Camp, Lynn Valley.	Farmer	C
676	Errington, John Thomas	Sea Island	Farmer	C
687	Evans, Harold Thomas	1st street, North Vancouver	Civil Engineer	C
688	Evans, Roland Henry	Lonsdale ave., N. Vancouver	Baker	C
761	Fortune, James R.	Lulu Island	Canneryman	C
766	Fox, Adam Wellington	1st street, North Vancouver	Quarryman	C
776	Fraser, Russel Lloyd	North Vancouver	Lumberman	C
778	Fraser, Thomas Clyde	3rd street, North Vancouver	Lumber Merchant	C
789	Frymire, Conrad H.	North Vancouver	Farmer	C
802	Gardener, Albert Victor	North Vancouver	Clerk	C
822	Gibson, John B.	Lonsdale ave., N. Vancouver	Blacksmith	C
826	Gilbert, William	North Vancouver	Woodsman	C
850	Goodhand, Robert	Lynn Valley	Teamster	C
857	Gordon, Robert Gunn	North Vancouver	Gentleman	C
860	Gosden, Thomas	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Logger	C
862	Grafton, Thomas	North Vancouver	Farmer	C
869	Grant, Allan	Rice Lake Camp, Lynn Valley	Woodsman	C
873	Grant, John	4th street, North Vancouver	Miner	C
884	Gray, Thomas	Eburne	Labourer	C
902	Gregory, James	Sea Island	Carpenter	C
924	Haasanen, William	No. 4 road, block 10, lot 4, Lulu Island	Fisherman	C
932	Hall, John Fowler	Columbia hotel, N. Vancouver.	Logger	C
937	Halliday, David	North Vancouver	Labourer	C
946	Hamilton, Thomas B.	Gulf of Georgia Cannery	Foreman	D
950	Hansel, John Masich	Moodyville	Logger	C
969	Harrison, Joseph Fred.	Eburne	Schoolmaster	C
994	Hayden, John Edward	North Vancouver	Clerk	C
997	Healy, Geo. Stringer	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Woodsman	C
1007	Henderson, Ernest	Lots 16, 17, block 85, D.L. 549.	Accountant	C
1008	Henderson, John Wm.	North Vancouver	Porter	C
1049	Holland, Harry	Lynn Valley		C
1071	Hoskins, Joseph	Pre-emption L. 1, 707 Lynn Valley	Farmer	C
1100	Hunt, Edward Stanley	Steveston	Musician	C
1109	Hurley, Gilbert Thomas.	Lynn Valley	Woodsman	C
1131	Iverson, Wm. James	1st street, North Vancouver	Cashier	C
1141	Jackson, Robert	Moodyville	Accountant	C
1150	Jefferson, Robert	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Lumberman	C
1153	Jeffrey, John	Burrard Inlet Cannery	Fisherman	C
1170	Jones, Alexander	Steveston	Farmer	C
1212	Kelly, William	2nd street, North Vancouver	Logger	C
1226	Kent, Oliver Arthur	10th street, North Vancouver	Gentleman	C
1256	Kirkbridge, John Ed.	2nd street, North Vancouver	Porter	C
1258	Kirkness, John	Lynn Valley	Labourer	C
1270	Kolosoff, Alex. John	Eburne, Lulu Island	Farmer	D
1280	Lamb, John	Palace Hotel, North Vancouver	Teamster	C
1287	Lander, Eli	Burnaby	Farmer	C
1294	Langstaff, John James	10th street, North Vancouver	Printer	C
1305	Lazenby, Fred Arthur	3rd street, North Vancouver	Labourer	C
1309	LeBlanc, Joseph Arthur	North Vancouver	Carpenter	C
1318	Lee, Henry	Steveston	Hotel-keeper	D
1342	Livingstone, John Hortwell	19th street, North Vancouver	Barrister	C
1370	Lusk, Archd. Belsey	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Edgerman	C
1389	MacDonald, Roderick	Eburne	Gardener	C
1450	Manuel, Elihu	Eburne, Lulu Island	Clergyman	C
1457	Marriott, William R.	15th street, North Vancouver	Agent	C
1460	Marsden, Richard S.	St. John's school, Lynn Valley.	Clerk in Holy Orders	C
1465	Martin, Donald Smith	3rd street, North Vancouver	Boatbuilder	C
1466	Martin, Herbert Allan	Lynn Valley	Teamster	C
1471	Martin, Malcolm	3rd street, North Vancouver	Boatbuilder	C
1478	Mathers, Joseph	1st and Lonsdale, N. Vancouver	Shoemaker	C
1486	Matson, Wm. John	Lot 28, block 5N Range 7, W. Sea Island	Labourer	C
1487	Matson, Wm. John	Sea Island	Farmer	C
1500	May, Hugh	Palace Hotel	Book-keeper	C
1528	Mill. Harry Leighton	Moodyville	Logger	C
1531	Millard, John	Lots 4 and 5, Section 26, block 5N Eburne	Rancher	C
1532	Miller, Alexander	Rice Lake Camp, Lynn Valley	Lumberman	C
1562	Mitchell, Fred White	5th street, North Vancouver	Logger	C
1596	Mosher, Hy. Philip	North Vancouver	Carpenter	C
1613	Murphy, John Smith	Lulu Island, Eburne	Farmer	C
1626	Myers, George George	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Woodsman	C
1653	McConnell, Joseph Andrew	Lot 28, B. 5N.R. 7W. Sea Island	Farm Labourer	C
1666	McDonald, Duncan	Lonsdale ave., N. Vancouver	Woodsman	C
1671	McDonald, James	Eburne	Foreman	C
1698	McGee, Hugh	McGee road, South Vancouver	Farmer	D
1724	McKenzie, Hugh	Sea Island	Miner	C
1725	McKenzie, Hugh	Section 318, Sea Island	Teamster	C
1729	McKern, William	Fromme's Camp, Lynn Valley	Logger	C
1741	McLaren, Fred H.	Lynn Valley	Lumberman	C
1756	McMillan, John	Moodyville	Teacher	C
1767	McPherson, Alex. Joseph.	North Vancouver Hotel	Hotel Manager	C
1787	Nelson, Jas.	Lulu Island, Eburne	Farmer	C
1791	Newlands, William Potter	Sea Island	Farmer	C
1799	Nichol, Walter Laidlaw	12th street, North Vancouver	Missionary	C
1832	O'Donnell, Hugh B.	Sea Island	Canneryman	C
1835	Oliver, George	Eburne	Farmer	C
1866	Paton, Thomas	Sea Island	Farmer	C
1885	Perkett, Edward O.	Lot 401, Howe Sound	Contractor	C
1899	Pettley, Frank Frederick.	North Vancouver	Traveller	C
1922	Poohe, Alexander	Lulu Island	Farmer	C
1937	Pratt, George	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Labourer	C
1944	Price, Arthur Alfred	Fire Hall, North Vancouver	Engineer	C
1949	Prior, Arthur James	North Vancouver	Labourer	C
1971	Rainey, Edwin	North Arm, Burrard Inlet	Horse Trainer	C
1977	Rankin, Daniel	Lot 319, Group 1, Eburne	Fisherman	C
1986	Redmond, James	Moodyville	Carpenter	C
2002	Renshaw, John	17th street, North Vancouver	Farmer	C
2038	Robinson, James	North Vancouver	Gardener	C
2039	Robinson, James Bravender	North Vancouver	Farmer	C
2045	Robinson, William	Lynn Valley	Millman	C
2051	Rogers, John A.	Eburne	Sawyer	C
2059	Root, Ernest	Eburne	Fireman	C
2074	Routley, Frank W.	North Vancouver	Boatbuilder	C
2120	Scatterly, Alex.	2nd street, North Vancouver	Bank Clerk	C
2122	Scherf, Amos	Moodyville	Carpenter	
2173	Shiels, William	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver	Mill-hand	C
2182	Simms, John	Lynn Valley	Logger	C
2227	Smith, John Richard	Richmond Cannery, Eburne	Labourer	C
2233	Smith, Robert	Hotel North Vancouver	Fireman	C
2257	Snarr, Matthew Henry	19th street, North Vancouver	Labourer	C
2286	Stead, Walter	Richmond Cannery	Engineer	C
2292	Steeves, Rose A,	Lot 25, block 5N Range 4N	Farmer	C
2323	Stones, Wm. Jr.	South Vancouver	Steward C.P.R.	D
2390	Thomas, William	North Vancouver	Carpenter	C
2394	Thompson, Robert Joseph	Moodyville	Miner	C
2430	Tucker, John Traffles	Mahon Ave., North Vancouver	Contractor	C
2442	Tweede, Prescott Herbert	North Vancouver	Teamster	C
2460	Vanderstine, Spurgeon	Lynn Valley, North Vancouver.	Teamster	C
2486	Walker, Dan.	Lulu Island	Farmer	C
2502	Wall, Walter	North Vancouver	Clergyman	C
2516	Watson, Thos.	2nd street, North Vancouver	Painter	C
2529	Wells, James	Eburne	Farmer	C
2541	Westin, Axel Solomon	North Vancouver	Porter	C
2558	Whittaker, Benjamin	Eburne	Farmer	C
2585	Williams, Gresham Wm.	Esplanade, North Vancouver	Banker	C
2635	Woodburn, Alfred James.	North Vancouver	Telegraph Manager	C

Abreviations. Grounds of objection.

"C" denotes that person objected to has ceased, for a period of six months next before the holding of the Court of Revision, to reside in Richmond Electoral District.

"D" denotes that person objected to is dead.

Thomas Gas Generator

A recent number of Gas World a technical paper, published in London, Eng., has a detailed article on the new gas process invented by Walter Thomas, of Vancouver. This is the process which is to be installed in North Vancouver, by the North Vancouver Gas, Heat, Light & Power Company, the franchise for which was adopted in its final form at the meeting of the city council, held Tuesday evening of last week. As the description is of a more minute and technical character than any which has yet appeared locally, it will doubtless prove of interest. The article reads as follows:

Particulars have reached us of a new gas generator, invented by an English trained gas engineer who has been long resident at Vancouver, B. C., as manager to the Vancouver Gas Company, and now associated with the Northern Gas and Power Company, Limited, of Vancouver, who are exploiting the invention. We refer to Walter Thomas, who received his training at Romford and St. Albans, and who has brothers managers at Lymington and Wellington, respectively. In designing the new generator, Mr. Thomas was apparently guided at first by a desire to find a profitable outlet for the mountains of sawdust around the lumber mills of Vancouver, for which no better use had been found than to commit them to the flames; and so successful had he been in this direction that there is now running in Vancouver a model power and lighting plant driven by a 7 horse power Crossley gas engine, supplied with gas made from sawdust.

The Thomas generator is, however, equally serviceable for the manufacture of carburetted water gas, using coke as fuel, or in the manufacture of producer gas from bituminous coal. Some details of the new generator will, therefore, be acceptable to readers of the Gas World, as the plant seems as applicable to English gas works conditions as to the lumber districts of Canada. It may be stated that the Thomas plant has been patented in this country.

The plant consists of three shells connected near the upper end, with the necessary blowers, connections and valves.

Assuming that it is desired to make carburetted water gas, all the three chambers are filled with fuel and raised to incandescence in the usual way, by blowing air in at the bottom of all three vessels. The resulting gas escapes through a stack valve on the middle chamber. The air blast is now shut off, and steam admitted to the middle vessel only, and oil sprayed in at the top of this vessel. The mixed water gas and oil gas formed in the middle vessel pass right and left to the side vessels and down through the incandescent fuel in these to a take-off pipe leading to a holder.

It will be seen that the gas is "fixed" in incandescent fuel, and not in hot checker brickwork, as is the usual practice. It follows that the producer gas from the blast is not required for the heating up of the plant. When, therefore, the three vessels have been once heated up, the stack valve on the middle vessel is closed, and the producer gas from subsequent blasts is conducted into a holder.

This producer gas can be used as it is, or it can be brought back to the generating vessels, where it is carburetted and passed on to the enriched gas holder. If blue water gas is the product desired, all three vessels are steamed, and the resulting water gas is passed to the holder on the right hand side.

The valve operating levers are all brought together at one convenient point, and they may be interlocked, to ensure a proper sequence of operations.

FIRE AT CAPILANO

John Hart, who resides at the waterfront at Navvy Jack's place, Capilano district, 4½ miles from this city, lost his residence and practically all its contents by fire, Friday evening. The fire broke out about 6 o'clock, and was first noticed in the upper story of the house and close to the chimney. Mr. and Mrs. Hart, with the assistance of neighbors, attempted to check the flames by water thrown from buckets, but were unsuccessful, and the house was destroyed in a few minutes, together with most of the furniture and clothes of the occupants.

The loss was about $1000, with no insurance. Mr. Hart is a brother-in-law of J. Lawson, one of the prominent men of the Capilano district.

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Dr. H. Dyer, of Vancouver, was in the city on Wednesday, and completed arrangements for opening an office here. Dr. Dyer is well and favorably known to the old time residents of this side of the Inlet, having been located here a few years ago, and having occupied the position of medical health officer. Dr. Dyer removed from North Vancouver about two and one-half years ago, going first to the Okanagan and later to England, where he spent some months with prominent practitioners and in the hospitals. His decision to resume practice here is another sign of the growing prominence of North Vancouver in public opinion, all of which are particularly pleasing to north shore residents.

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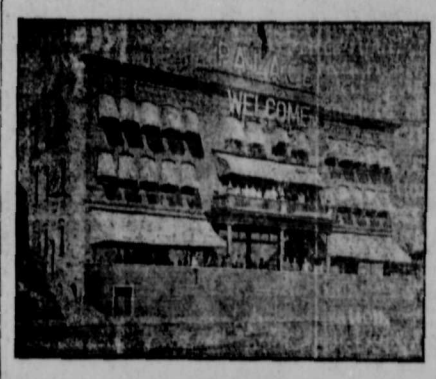
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Stephen Spence met with a slight accident at the Wallace shipyards this week, which laid him off for a few days.

The high price of wheat and flour has caused an increase in bread prices here, the rate being 16 loaves for $1. or four for 25c

Rapid headway is being made with the proposed steam laundry here. Part of the machinery has already arrived.

A. E. Haswell and W. D. Duke left Thursday morning, on a hunting expedition, to the north They will return in about one week.

Foreman Duff and his gang of men have been busy putting the finishing touches on the approaches to the new Seymour creek bridge.

Tomorrow afternoon is a civic half-holiday, by order of the mayor, in order that the citizens may participate in the May Day celebration.

Ald. Braim is erecting a fence around his extensive property, on Victoria park east.

Guatav Berman is a recent arrival at Hotel North Vancouver, direct from Stockholm, Sweden.

The new hotel now about completed for P. Larson, at Canyon view, will be opened on Saturday, May 15th. A motor car service will be run from the end of the tramline on Keith road to the hotel.

Tickets for the grand derby sweepstakes, of which H. V. Baker, the genial clerk at Hotel North Vancouver, is secretary, are selling very rapidly, and the success of the venture is assured. The drawing takes place on May 25th.

No definite statement has as yet come to hand from Premier McBride as to his ability to be present, on Monday next, to open the new Seymour creek bridge. On account of this fact the event will not be held on Monday, but will transpire a little later in the week.

The planting of shrubs and seeding along the Grand Boulevard are practically completed, and with the growth of vegetation a decided improvement is to be noted in the appearance of things. The boulevard will become one of the show places of the north shore of the Inlet.

Road Foreman Eva with his gang has just completed work on the Capilano road, near the hotel. The road is now in the best of condition and is the subject of most favorable comment by auto drivers and others. Foreman Eva will next undertake the work ordered on Essex street.

The Pythian castle hall association of this city is meeting with great success with their venture, sufficient shares having been disposed of to complete payment of lots. The association has two lots on the corner of Chesterfield and 4th streets, and already the property has materially advanced in value. It is the intention to ask tenders this fall for the erection of a $15,000 building on the property.

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