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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Those wishing copies of our CHRISTMAS NUMBER can still obtain them at this office ready for mailing. There are a limited number left and it would be well to bear that in mind. We have also a few copies of our initial number of August 25th left. The two for 25 cents.

Reeve Kealy hit the nail on the head when he told the council the other night, that Dr. Carroll had intimated to him that he (the doctor) wanted 9,000 inches of water for the benefit of North Vancouver. "Why can't we look after our own water supply?" queried the reeve. And echo answered *why?*

The question of having no wards in the new city is being discussed freely. There is much to be said on both sides, but we think the city would be served better by aldermen if they were elected by the whole electorate. One thing it would do away with some voters voting in every ward, and the principle of one man one vote would prevail.

It appears that it has been the custom for contractors to allow the roads, which they are building, to be used by teams. Now, the question comes up that contractors are responsible for their maintainance and for any accidents that might possibly occur during the period of construction until they are formally taken over by the municipality. For instance, the bridge being re-adjusted was used before it was out of the contractors hands. The council showld adhere to some rule in this regard.

The time has arrived when something should be done in the way of providing a home for old men and women. At present the home for men at Kamloops is full and the hospital at Vancouver is also used as an infirmary, although not for the homeless old. There is a move at present being made to induce the different municipalities to contribute for the maintainance of an institution for the care of old people. The reeves' convention meets at New Westminster on January 9, and it is to be hoped, that this matter will be brought up and united action taken, and something done. It is, indeed, a crying shame to allow this state of affairs to drift thiswise.

We have noticed at different times that contracts have been let for municipal work to the lowest tenderers, the prices for which have been far below the actual cost mark. Later on these adventurers threw up the jobs, sometimes losing their deposits and at other times saving them. This is most unfair to *boni fide* contractors, who, later on, get the work at their own previous figures. This matter, we are pleased to note, has been brought to the attention of the municipal council, and it has been decided by it to note the records of contractors doing future municipal work. Surely the engineer could furnish estimates for the guidance of the council as to what would be proper prices to pay, below which tenders must not be accepted—for the municipality does not want its work done for nothing, but on honest figuring. Reliable contractors to deal with, and stability of construction at fair rates, are all the council can expect, and upon these at all times it must insist. Again due preference should be given to resident tenderers.

DR. CARROLL'S GRAB GAME

Sat Upon by the Local Municipal Council.—Contracts Let For Clearing and Grading Several Streets.—Large Grist of Communications Dealt With.—Special Meeting Next Monday Evening.

The municipal council held its bi-monthly regular session on Wednesday evening in the municipal hall. Reeve A. E. Kealy presided and councillors Morden, May, Allan and Bell present. Clerk Philip was also in his place. There were over a dozen visitors present. The following business was disposed of:

William J. Emery, et al., petitioning protesting against the way work on the Lynn valley road has been done.

The engineer reported that the work so far as done is a fairly good job.

Questioned by the reeve, the engineer said the sills were embedded on the ground instead of in it.

On motion of councillor Bell the matter was referred to the Board of Works and to report on same at a special meeting on Monday afternoon.

Conway & Kaynes asked to be relieved of their contract on Seventh street. Request granted and tenders to be called for again.

John Claverie and Emil asking for a two-plank walk on Keith road. Referred to Board of Works.

J. A. Catherwood, secretary Reeves' Association, stating that a meeting would be held in New Westminster on the 9th of January. The reeve was requested to attend.

A. F. Beasley asking for two-plank-sidewalk on Nineteenth street. Referred to Board of Works.

Mabel Seal re state of Seventh street. To be acknowledged by clerk.

Hope, Gravely & Company, withdrawing the offer re lot 144, group 1. Agreed to.

Constable D. H. Dick reported for month of November and December: Two arrests and convictions.; Thirty-one road tax reseipts issued and $62 collected; Fifteen head of stock impounded and fines collected, $26.90.

Dr. Dyer reported regarding Mr. Handcock's condition, and that there was no home for old men. It was decided to communicate with Dr. Underhill on the case.

Thos. Storey, contractor, re Lynn valley road, asserting that the work is being properly done. Referred to Board of Works.

Tenders were opened for work on St. George's road as follows:

Askew & Kennedy....$375
Jacob & Miller..... 575
J. G. Brassey..... 525

Messrs. Askew & Kennedy's tender was accepted.

The following tenders for work on First street were opened:

William Snider $4,200,—$3 per 10 lineal feet.

Askew & Kennedy $6,900,—$2.50 per 10 lineal feet.

Brassey & Quinn $6,900,—$3.50 per 10 lineal feet.

J. C. Williams $3,995,—$6 per 10 lineal feet with certain reservations.

McLennan & McDaniel $6,888,—$2 per 10 lineal feet.

Mr. Williams' tender was accepted.

Krigfaum & Ryan, offering to put bridge in on the Esplanade for $125. Board of Works instructed to deduct for work included in the contract in connection with the space not covered by proposed bridge, and to call for tenders for the erection of bridge.

The committee reports were of a routine nature and passed as read.

It was decided to ask Mr. Sperling to attend the meeting of the council on Monday.

The matter of Dr. Carroll applying for 9,000 inches of water from the Capilano creek next came up for consideration.

Councillor Bell said that the Water committee thought that the municipality should be protected and a protest made.

Reeve Kealy said that he had had a conversation with Dr. Carroll regarding this matter. The doctor had said that one reason for building the proposed dam would be for the benefit of North Vancouver. The reeve thought that the municipality should look after its own water supply. He also thought that the council should have a notice placed below the present city dam, as it was proposed to move the dam higher up. If this were done application would be made and the council should apply in time. The municipality should apply to the government for say at least 1,500 or 2,000 inches, not altogether that it was needed just at present, but it was necessary for the protection of the water supply.

Councillor Morden moved and Councillor Bell seconded a motion that the municipality apply for 2,000 inches from the Capilano creek. Carried.

The council then adjourned till Monday, 7:30 p. m.

A Talking Cockatoo.

A talking, laughing, acrobatic cockatoo, is the kind of a bird that visited THE EXPRESS office on Thursday. Of course the bird didn't come in alone. Mr. Bryce, the trainer and owner of the bird, had his shoulder cocked up on one side which served as a roost, and in that manner travelled with the talking and hollering cockatoo from Pete's to this office. Naturally, the bird had to show its clever tricks, and more especially in a newspaper office, with everyone from the "devil" to the night editor, standing with their jaws ajar sizing it up. The first-named employee of the office was very much stuck on the bird, as the following lines will show:

There was a trained cockatoo
Got off funny jokes quite a few:
The accents were Swede
And I have to consede
That for fun hear Bryce's cookoo.

The bird thoroughly understood what was said to it, and the many clever tricks it did caused a roar of laughter from the onlookers.

TOWN AND COUNTRY

Who will go to the polls. ?

The week of good resolutions.

Bad news never spoils by keeping.

Waterfront property is selling at $65 a foot.

New Years' Eve was celebrated in royal style at Moodyville.

Victoria poultry show takes place on January 10th to 13th.

Capt. C. Cates has returned from a trip 100 miles up the coast.

C. Pederson, of Vancouver, paid the town a flying visit on Monday.

The average politician gets all the exercise he wants running for office.

Man wants room and board in North Vancouver. Apply EXPRESS office.

Wanted to rent cabin or small cottage in North Vancouver. Apply EXPRESS office.

There is quite a demand for Wellington lump coal, which may be had at the wharf.

Martin's Dancing Club held an enjoyable dance in Morden's hall on Thursday night.

"Public opinion," is the judgment of the "incapable many" opposed to the discerning few.

Never contract friendship with one who is not better than yourself—at least, in some particular.

The pull of a politician and the pull of a dentist are somewhat similar—they both cause others pain.

Well, if the municipality is not properly run next year it will be because some people fail to do all they have promised.

Messrs. Middleton and Berry, of Sydney, Australia, were guests this week at the Hotel North Vancouver.

The Horticultural Society will hold its annual meeting on January 11. A full attendance is requested as election of officers takes place.

Among those who attended "Buster Brown" at the Vancouver Opera House on Thursday night were Mrs. Kealy and Miss Weeks.

James B. Elliot, of Billings, Montana, was a guest at the Hotel North Vancouver on Wednesday. He was here on business matters.

C. Williams, who was awarded the tender for the First street work on Wednesday night, has threw up his contract and forfeited his tender.

Birt Campbell, the popular local tonsorial artist of the Esplanade, will open an up-to-date shop, equipped with baths, etc., on Lonsdale avenue shortly.

Among those of North Vancouver who will exhibit their dogs at the forthcoming canine show at Vancouver will be C. Piers, of the ferry company, and Mr. Bryce, of Hotel North Vancouver.

The new voters' list for North Vancouver will approximately show 2,095 names for the four wards, namely, ward 1, 368; ward 2, 596; ward 3, 700; and ward 4, 431. Of course several of these names are repeated in each ward as owners of different properties.

Over 40 couple accepted the invitation of the Western Corporation Social Club who gave a very successful and enjoyable ball on Tuesday evening. The affair was held in the Pavilion from 8:30 p. m. to to 3:33 a. m., and Harpur's orchestra furnished the excellent music. The committee of management were: Messrs. C. E. Durston, W. Blake and S. Martin, they are to be complimented for the result of their untiring efforts. Messrs. J. N. J. Brown and Dan Martin as floor managers gave satisfaction to those who "merrily, merrily whirled the wheels of the dizzying dances."

Robt. Brownlee, of Big Timber, Montana, registered at the Hotel North Vancouver on Tuesday. He is much impressed with the prospect of the new city, and will return shortly.

R. W. Dick, the candidate for councillor, was the first in the field for municipal honors, and was also the first on the ground to make a deposit in the Bank of British North America here.

The present members of the council are all spoken of as likely candidates for re-election. Besides these R. W. Dick and P. J. Cornish will be in the field as aspirants for membership on the council board. Councillor Bell is being urged to run for the reeveship.

An enjoyable Christmas tree was held at Moodyville on Thursday night. The ferry made a special call there on the return trip to the city. Among those at the wharf to see their friends off were Miss Stevens and Miss Mee, who led in the singing of "Good Night Ladies," etc.

According to the *Farmers' Advocate* any increase in the tariff will surely lead to agitation and instability, with an ultmate return to a fairer tariff and a consequent shearing of the lambs who have invested in the too-highly protected industries.

During the past few weeks there seems to have been something doing in the B. C. liberal ranks. A new lieutenant-governor is to be appointed shortly. Mr. Riley, M. P., for Victoria seems to be the choice, but then he wants a senatorship, and so does Robt Kelly, of Vancouver. "Hon. Senator Kelly" looks swell.

On account of the terrible ship wrecks off Vancouver island during the past couple of years a correspondent suggests that the government station a powerful deep sea tug, something which would stand a heavy sea, on the west coast. During the summer it could be used for other purposes. The government boat Kestrel, is idle half of its time, so it is said, and why not do away with it, and spend the money as suggested.

The provincial government has a majority of one, yet it cannot be said that either it or the opposition is strong. In units the liberals may be, but in policy they are very weak. In Great Britain the conservatives had a large majority in the house, but the liberal opposition was robust enough to force the resignation of the Balfour ministry. Governments are only good when there is a strong opposition, "just as the planets are held in place by the opposition of forces," says a writer.

This morning things were very active at the wharf. There were no less than five big scows loaded down to the waters edge—two with lumber, one crushed rock, one sand, and one was loaded with cordwood for False creek. The last-named was the first big consignment of cordwood sent to the city from this municipality. Mr. H. C. Wright says that this will be the last at least, for some time, as it is almost impossible to get the cordwood out of the bush on account of the bad roads. Also several big loads of rails came off the ferry, and other wagons loaded with supplies for the camps.

BANK OF B. N. A.

Opens a Branch in North Vancouver, with H. R. Heffell, as Manager, and G. B. Williams, as Teller and Acccountant—Open Saturdays 5:30 to 7:30

The Bank of British North America opened its branch at the corner of Lonsdale avenue and the Esplanade, North Vancouver, on Tuesday, January 2, with H. R. Heffell, as manager, and G. B. Williams, as teller and accountant. Besides doing a general banking business, special attention will be given to the savings bank department. On Saturdays the bank will be open from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. to enable wage-earners as well as others to make deposits and cash cheques, etc. The Bank of British North America is the first to establish here, and it is to be hoped that it will be well patronized by the residents and those doing business hereabouts. THE EXPRESS wishes the new concern a prosperous year.

Mr. Heffell, the local manager, is well and favorably known in British Columbia, having been with the Bank of British North America for a number of years. He opened the Trail branch for the bank and has been manager at Ashcroft and several of the provincial points. He resigned the managership of the clearing house at Vancouver to take charge of the branch here. In Mr. Heffell North Vancouverites will find a painstaking and courteous banker who will do all he can to accomodate them.

Mr. Williams, the teller and accountant, comes among us highly recommended. He has been connected with the Bank of British North America, too, for some time, having served the institution at Toronto, Midland and London, Ont., before coming to the coast two years ago. He also was with the National Provincial Bank of England for six years.

Rails Arriving.

The B. C. Electric Railway Company started hauling rails for the new tram system to be installed this year, on Wednesday morning. The rails are being placed on Third street, eastwards from St. David's street, en route to Lonsdale avenue and the waterfront. At St. David's street the distributing station will be erected and the laying commenced. The company is making all possible speed with the work, also the installation of the lighting system, both for the streets and private residences.

It is to be regretted that the Western Corporation will not attempt to ship any more than the one big scow load of cordwood to Vancouver on account of the bad state of the roads leading from the bush. Otherwise, a large number of hands would be well employed during the winter. The council should certainly make an effort to open up and keep in fair condition some of these most important roads. It is a great loss to the community to have burned ruthlessly thousands of cords of the very best cordwood on account of bad roads in order to clear up the land when such a good market is so close at hand.

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The Elephant's Eye.

"To my mind two things strike the observer vividly when standing close to wild elephants in their native haunts," writes a traveler. "The one is the gigantic size and his own comparative smallness. The other is the expression of the eye. This organ, which is surprisingly small in proportion to the size of the animal and set far back in the head, is of a pale blue color much resembling that of a wall eye in a horse. Even when an elephant is at rest his eye has an unmeaningly cold and sinister look."

The bear skin purchased by H. Durham, of Brandon, last week from the Galician who shot the animal in the Riding mountains in now on exhibition in his shop. The bear was a fine black one; the carcass after the skin was removed weighed 572 lbs. The skin measured from paw to paw in front six feet, and from the tip of the nose to the tail seven feet.

Great Medicine.—Tonti, one of the pioneers of French Canada, lost a hand and wore an iron hook as a substitute. He was in the habit of boxing the ears of refractory Indians with this iron hand, and they have remarked that it was "great medicine." Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is great medicine; it takes hold of pain with an iron hand and knocks it out of the system.

An old copper fish hook and an ancient axe blade have been discovered in Port Arthur and will be sent to the Dominion of Canada Museum at Ottawa. The axe is of solid copper and probably was in use when the town was inhabited by mound builders. The copper fich hook is about eleven inches in length, and was gathered in a fisherman's net in Schreiber Point, and is a souvenir of the early days of the American continent. Both relics are held by Mr. J. G. King.

Speechless and Paralyzed.—"I had valvular disease of the heart," writes Mrs. J. S. Goode, of Truro, N.S. "I suffered terribly and was often speechless and partially paralyzed. One dose of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gave me relief, and before I finished one bottle I was able to go about. To-day I am a well woman."—42

The Post Office Department at Ottawa has received a dispatch from London, dated Nov. 25th, stating that the parcel post service to Russia, which has been temporarily suspended, has been resumed.

"Weak Heart"

—— Palpitation and irregular action of the heart are due largely to a thin, watery condition of the blood. The heart and nerves refuse to perform their proper work for want of support. Pale, weak, or anæmic people should use "PSYCHINE" and avoid heart troubles. "PSYCHINE" makes rich blood, tones the system, regulates the heart action and restores vitality. All weak people should have a bottle handy in case of sudden heart troubles.

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MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

Growth of the Sentiment In Favor of the System.

The voting population in the United States is the most intelligent in the world. The time is past when men go to the polls like dumb, driven animals. They are reasoning and figuring, and, as might be expected, they take a very selfish and practical view. The sentimentality of party devotion has almost entirely disappeared. The presidential election of 1896 was a triumph of material interests. Thousands upon thousands then drifted away from ancient ties of party fealty and obeyed the instincts of self preservation, fearful lest their accumulation, large or small, might be adversely affected. The same feeling was paramount in 1900 and 1904. The municipal election in Chicago was a logical result of those campaigns. Elections in the future will be determined by the same cause. The voters will consider, first of all, their own interests. They will give little heed to platforms and candidates, except as these appeal to personal and practical considerations.

There is truth in Judge Dunne's statement that the movement in favor of municipal ownership of all public utilities has taken deep root among the intelligent people of this country. "It is no passing sentiment," he says. "It is here to stay. Municipal ownership and operation of these utilities and governmental ownership of railroads, telegraphs and express transportation are practical questions, upon which the people must pass within a very short time; and the politicians and parties who ignore these questions must be prepared for a short lived career before the people." The movement is based upon the popular belief that municipal ownership of public utilities means that the people and not a few fortunate stockholders will share the profits.

Curiously enough, the United States government has done more than any other single agency in instilling this belief into the population. During the past two or three years the United States consuls abroad have contributed an interesting and valuable series of reports upon the various phases of municipal ownership in Great Britain, and almost without exception these reports have been arguments in favor of the system. These documents have been widely circulated throughout this country, and they have stimulated the idea of municipal ownership to an extraordinary degree.—Henry Litchfield West in Forum.

The Alps Lowered.

The Swiss Alps have suddenly lost ten feet of their height by a curious official blunder.

As a result of the recent calculations of the federal topographical department it is given out that all altitudes given on Swiss official maps and plans are ten feet eight inches greater than they should be.

In the lake of Genera is a rugged block of stone known as the Pierre a Niton, supposed to have been used in ancient days as an altar to Neptune. In 1820 a bronze tablet was placed on the stone recording its exact altitude as being 1,236 feet 5 inches above sea level, and from this stone all the Swiss altitudes were then officially calculated and registered.

It now appears that the Pierre a Niton is really only 1,225 feet 8 inches above sea level, and thus all the Swiss altitudes are too great by more than ten feet.—London Express.

Royal Greetings.

President Loubet of France asked the advice of the government as to the form he should employ in addressing King Edward, King Alfonso and other royal personages. As "Your good brother," President Faure once signed himself when writing to the king of Denmark, even as the old kings of France were wont to do. The emperor of Russia addresses M. Loubet as "My dear and great friend," and the president has to reply, "Sire" and "Your majesty." Napoleon III., writing the saddest letter of his life, his surrender at Sedan, addressed the king of Prussia, while the citadel was a blaze of fire, as "Sire, my brother," and subscribed himself "Your good brother" and received the king's reply commencing "My brother" and ending "Your loving brother."

Keep Out the Flies.

The question as to whether the common house fly is a factor in the spread of tuberculosis is considered by Dr. J. O. Cobb in a recent issue of American Medicine. Several observers have demonstrated that the fly can carry tubercle bacilli on its feet and in its stomach. This is an argument for screening all food supplies from the possibility of contamination. Wherever in any part of the world tuberculosis is present there also is the fly found as a pest.

Growing Trees In the Arid Region.

The growing of trees in the arid region of Kansas and Nebraska has passed the experimental stage. This fact is evidenced by the large number of forest and fruit trees that have been shipped to that section this season. One agent alone claims to have sold 10,000 forest trees this year. There is no longer any doubt about the trees growing, and they are planted there with as much confidence as elsewhere. —Maxwell's Talisman.

An Artificial Face.

An old soldier of 1870 has been going about Paris for thirty years with no features, eyes, cheeks, lips and nose, having suffered severely by the explosion of a shell. Modern science has restored his face. A mask was made, part of silver, part of wax, neatly tinted two eyes in enamel, an excellent nose and serviceable lips in rubber.

Faith

You cannot be expected to have faith in Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, as a cure for Colds, Coughs and all diseases of the air passages, if you have not tried it. We have faith in it, and we guarantee it. If it doesn't cure you it costs you nothing. If it does it costs you 25c. That's fair. Try it to-day.

Shiloh has cured many thousands of the most obstinate cases, and we do not hesitate to say that it will cure any Cold, Cough, Throat or Lung trouble. If we did not believe this we would not guarantee it. Shiloh has had an unbroken record of success for thirty years. It has stood every possible test without failure. Further

Proof

is found in the many testimonials of those who have tried Shiloh and been cured. Mrs. Archie Taylor, Asaph, Pa., writes:—

"I bought a bottle of Shiloh's Consumption Cure and found it very beneficial. I have two children, and they had a terrible cough. I gave them everything I could think of, but they got no better, until one evening my husband bought a bottle of Shiloh. We gave it to the children when they went to bed, and they slept all night. It cured them completely. I shall always keep it in the house." 603

SHILOH

25c. with guarantee wherever medicine is sold.

The employees of the King elevator at Port Arthur are seing things at night. At midnight each evening a supposed lady, dressed in flowing white garments, is to be seen at the large elevator, and when chased, makes for the Pigeon River company's saw mill and disappears from view. The lady is very interested in the works of the elevator, as each evening the ghost is to be seen standing near the boiler house and gazing steadily at the big elevator. The other men engaged at the works and residents of the town are wondering where those who have seen the phantom have been taking unlimited quantities of hot liquor.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper..

The Ontario government has entered into a new arrangement in regard to prison labor and binder twine. The manufacture has been handed over to the Colonial Cordage company, which has contracted to pay the government 50 cents per day per man for prisoners employed.

There is nothing equal to Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator for destroying worms. No article of its kind has given such satisfaction.

An Ottawa dispatch says that the Dominion Parliament will likely be called on January 3rd.

An End to Bilious Headache.—Biliousness, which is caused by excessive bile in the stomach, has a marked effect upon the nerves, and often manifests itself by severe headache. This is the most distressing headache one can have. There are headaches from cold, from fever, and from other causes, but the most excruciating of all is the bilious headache. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will cure it—cure it almost immediately. It will disappear as soon as the pills operate There is nothing surer in the treatment of bilious headache.

President Jackson, of the Chicago Board of Trade, says that the Western Canada winter wheat is the very best in the world.

I was cured of lame back, after suffering 15 years, by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Two Rivers, N.S. ROBERT ROSS.

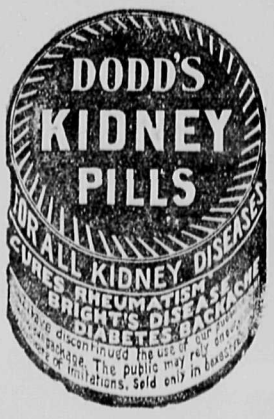
I was cured of Diphtheria, after doctors failed, by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Antigonish. JOHN A. FOREY.

I was cured of contraction of muscles by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
MRS. RACHEL SAUNDERS.
Dalhousie.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce, which recently advertised for 50 Scotch lads to come out to this country as junior clerks, has been informed that the full number has been secured. A number of the boys are already on their way out, and it is intended that the remainder should sail within the next few days. This will be the largest number of boys ever brought to Canada by a Canadian Bank, and is the result of the rapid extension of the branch bank system throughout the Dominion. In the past it has been found that Scotch lads, when secured at an early age, make very good bankers.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Traces of gold were discovered by G. T. P. graders on the route northwest of Austin, Man., recently. Several miniature nuggets were picked up by the men of Strevel's gang. The grading was in progress in a slough bottom, which it is thought was an old river bed. Mr. Heaton, one of the foremen, secured quite a valuable souvenir in the form of a nugget the size of a small pebble.



THE BUDDHIST HADES.

Eight "Easy Stages" of the Most Awful Kinds of Torture.

The place of torment to which all wicked Buddhists are to be assigned on the day of final reckoning is a terrible place of punishment. This Buddhistic hell is divided into eight "easy stages." In the first the poor victim is compelled to walk for untold ages in his bare feet over hills thickly set with redhot needles, points upward. In the second stage the skin is all carefully filed or rasped from the body and irritating mixtures applied. In the third stage the nails, hair and eyes are plucked out and the denuded body sawed and planed into all sorts of fantastic shapes. The fourth stage is that of "sorrowful lamentations." In the fifth the left side of the body and the denuded head are carefully roasted. Yema, the Buddhistic Satan, superintending the work. In the sixth stage the arms are torn from the body and thrown into an immense vat among the eyes, nails and hair previously removed. Then in plain hearing of the sore footed, blind, maimed, roasted and bleeding victim the whole horrid mass is pounded into a jelly. In the seventh stage the other side of the victim and his feet are roasted brown, and then comes the eighth and last stage, in which the candidate is thrown into the bottomless pit of perdition.

RHEUMATIC SUFFERERS

Will Find a Certain Cure in the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Rheumatism is a disease of the blood. Every doctor now admits this to be the fact. Doctors used to think that rheumatism was brought on by colds in the joints and muscles. Now they know that cold never started the disease—cold only sets the pains going. Rheumatism can only be cured by curing the bad blood which causes it. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills always cures rheumatism, because they actually make new rich red blood, which drives out the poisonous acids, loosens the stiffened, aching joints and muscles, and restores the rheumatic sufferer to health and happiness. Dr. William's Pink Pills have cured thousands and thousands of rheumatic sufferers, some of them when they were almost hopeless cripples. Mr. T. H. Smith, Caledonia, Ont., says:—'For a number of years I was badly troubled with rheumatism, and was so crippled I could scarcely do any work. I tried quite a number of medicines, but they did not help me. Then I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills advertised as a cure for this trouble, and got a supply. After I had taken a few boxes I saw they were helping me, and I continued taking the pills throughout the winter, and am now completely cured. I have since worked out of doors in cold weather without a coat, and did not feel even a twinge of the trouble."

If you are suffering from any disease due to bad blood or disordered nerves, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure you, because they make new rich blood, which goes right to the root of the disease and drives it from the system. That is why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure such troubles as anaemia, indigestion, palpitation of the heart, neuralgia, headaches and backaches, kidney and liver troubles, St. Vitus Dance, paralysis, and the special secret ailments of girlhood and womanhood. But only the genuine pills can do this, and these always have the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People," on the wrapper around each box. Sold by Medicine dealers everywhere, or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, by writing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

LOVE OF NATURE.

The More Man Loses Out of Door Life the More He Admires It.

The more man has become engaged in the conflicts of civilization, in intellectual disappointment, the more he has felt the uselessness of knowledge, the more he has turned to certain expressions of art as an escape. He has addressed poems to nature, has painted landscape more and more, has shown in every way that such an escape was a dream. Art has existed from the very beginning, even before the first man stuttered out his naming of the animals and expressed their character by the sound of their name. The dances of savages, as we call them—that is to say, of people of earlier forms of civilization—invented before the arts of design, record in a poetic way what they do and the seasons of such doing and even the appearance of nature—the storm, the rain, the clouds blowing across the sky, the lashing of the sea against the shore. In Fiji they have a dance where the women spread out their arms like the wave lines of the surf, and the children, springing up behind them, represent the foam of the wave crests. From these beginnings we know that tragedy and comedy, as we call them, have grown. Then, as all these disappear in fact, they are recorded in the art of painting. And as man more and more leaves behind him a life of out of doors in so much does he desire to admire it.—McClure's Magazine.

Arabian Horses.

Arabian horses show remarkable courage in battle. It is said that when a horse of this breed finds himself wounded and knows instinctively that he will not be able to carry his rider much longer he quickly retires, bearing his master to a place of safety while he has yet sufficient strength; but if, on the other hand, the rider is wounded and falls to the ground the faithful animal remains beside him, unmindful of danger, neighing until assistance is brought.

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NO MONEY REQUIRED

Think of it, a beautiful Ruff of Blue Fox, the most fashionable fur worn, given absolutely free. Such an offer was never made before. The only reason we can afford to do it is that we arranged for these handsome Furs during the dull season in the summer and got them nearly at cost. The Ruff is 41 inches long, nearly 4 inches wide, made of the handsomest Blue Fox Fur, very rich, soft and fluffy. It is warmly padded, lined with the same shade of satin and ornamented with four long tails of Blue Fox also. Such a handsome Fur has never before been given away, and you can get it so easy. Just send us your name and address, plainly, and we will mail you 2 doz. sets of

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to sell at 10c. a set (4 cards to a set.) They are beautifully colored, all the rage, and sell like hot cakes. Such an opportunity was never offered before to the women and girls of Canada. You couldn't buy anything in the Fur Stores that would look richer, be more becoming or more stylish, and remember, it won't cost you one cent. Write to-day. We trust you and send the Picture Post-Cards postpaid. Colonial Art Co., Dept. 167 Toronto

Imperial Maple Syrup

ALWAYS SATISFACTORY

Ask your dealer for Imperial Maple Syrup. Do not allow him to substitute an inferior article because it is cheaper.

E. H. Berry, of Cypress River, has a simple explanation of the scarcity of the prairie chicken this year. He says that the great trouble lies in the practice of so called sportsmen going out in motor rigs and shooting the chicken in this way. This he declares to be a very unsportsmanlike practice, and suggests that the public do everything in its power to stamp it out. Another reason for the scarcity of the chicken, he says, is due to the fact that there were some heavy storms in the early part of the year. These storms not only killed the young prairie chicken, but also made serious inroads on the poultry of a large number of farmers.

Twitchy Muscles and Sleeplessness.—The hopeless heart sickness that settles on a man of woman whose nerves are shattered by disease can best be pictured in contrast with a patient who has been in the "depths" and has been dragged from them by South American Nervine. George Webster, of Forest, Ontario, says: "I owe my life to it. Everything else failed to cure."—44

The Dominion Government has accepted the invitation of the New Zealand Government to exhibit at the exhibition to be held at Christchurch, New Zealand, next year. The officers of the exhibition branch of the Department of Agriculture will lose no time in preparing a first-class exhibit, which will aid in furthering trade between Canada and New Zealand

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The self-leveling bunk for the prevention of sea-sickness which has been experimented on for some time on one of the Dover-Calais boats has been found so successful that it is proposed to install it on all the steamers on the service.

Itch, mange, prairie scratches, Cuban itch, on human and animals, cured in 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion. It never fails. At all druggists

A company named the "Lebensmittelexportexpresszugsgesellschaft" has been formed at Pressburg, in Hungary, for supplying London, Paris, and Berlin with Hungarian beef, mutton, and pork. The long name means "Company for exporting provisions by express train."

The use of a Barometer

The everyday convenience and usefulness of reliable barometers is becoming more and more recognized by Agriculturists and the general public.

A guaranteed Aneroid Barometer (made by Short & Mason, London, Eng.) will be sent prepaid by Diamond Hall for $6.50.

A complete treatise on "Weather Instruments for the Home" will be mailed to your address for 25c., or included free with any barometer.

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The big drug merger, about which there has been so much talk lately, has been consummated. It is a combine of all the wholesale drug houses in Canada, twenty-one in number, effected from within, and is the biggest company in the drug business in the world. The National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, as the new concern is called, has a capital of $6,000,000.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

S.S. Service with New Zealand.

Victoria, B.C.—A contract has been awarded to the Bucknal Steamship Company of London, according to an Ottawa dispatch, for a steamship service between British Columbia and New Zealand, with twelve sailings a year, for which a subsidy of $100,000 a year will be given, half to be contributed by Canada and half by New Zealand. The Bucknall Steamship Company own thirteen steamers ranging from 1,764 to 2,819 tons.

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BATHING IN THE SEA.

It Originated in England in the Eighteenth Century.

Sea bathing had its origin in England before 1750, when Dr. Richard Russell published his treatise on the virtues of sea water. The healing virtues of the sea bath were not understood, nor was the practice of sea bathing generally resorted to. There seems to have existed a horror of the sea; indeed, in mediaeval times a compulsory dip in its waters was a sentence often passed on the public offender. In the earlier decades of the eighteenth century western Europe suffered heavily under "king's evil," the popular name for that tuberculous affection which scourged all classes from peer to peasant.

Dr. Russell, a Sussex practitioner, had observed that dwellers on the coast used to drink of the sea water, bathe in it, even wash their sores in it and bind them up with sea weed. Having satisfied himself as to the efficacy of the practice he began to prescribe for his patients with most satisfactory results. His treatise resulted in the coasts becoming largely patronized by the ailing, and the demand for seaside lodgings was soon a growing quantity. This gradually spread to the continent. Then people commenced to see that fresh water was a good thing, and the vital importance of the skin as an excretor of waste was greatly emphasized somewhat later (in 1834), when the morning "tub" was instituted and has since acquired a worldwide reputation.

OLD JEWISH TRADITION.

The Way the Israelites of Old Lost Their Third Eye.

The Jews of eastern Palestine and Asia Minor have a queer tradition which has survived from ancient times and tells of a remote period in their history when every fully devolped Israelite was equipped with three perfect eyes. The two main optics were situated in the front part of the head, just as eyes are today, but the third was located in the back part of the head just above the nape of the neck in the edge of the hair. This wonderful third eye in man was not "evoluted" out of existence, but was closed by divine injunction on the day when Moses was given the tables of stone on Sinai.

You remember that God's command on the day that the tables were renewed was to the effect that no man should be seen in the vicinity of the holy mount. (See Ex. xxxiv, 3.) The believers in the three eye tradition say that Moses supplemented God's command by ordering the faithful who were encamped in the valley to turn their heads from the mountain. This they did, but took good care to uncover the eye that was situated in the back of the head. Moses, noticing this show of duplicity on the part of his followers, asked God to close the third, or rear, eye, and since that day the Israelites, in common with the remainder of humanity, have been forced to depend on two eyes only.

Bears of Okefinokee Swamp.

The great Okefinokee swamp begins not far from Waycross, Ga., and extends due south for a distance of about forty miles, running over into Florida. Here in this vast tract of desolate bog and swamp are thousands of black bear and deer and wild turkeys without number. The whole region is a hunter's paradise, and yet so abundant is the game in this remote and desolate country that it does not seem to diminish in spite of the nimrods. The bears weigh from 200 to 300 pounds and put in a great part of their time preying upon the pigpens of the farmers. If forced into a fight they are dangerous antagonists, and no prudent hunter will attack one save at a point of vantage.

Sea Gypsies.

In the archipelago of Mergui, off the coast of lower Burma, Asia, live the "sea gypsies." Instead of carts they own covered boats, in which, with their families, dogs, cats, chickens and pets, they float about on the sea and wander from island to island. By day they fish or harpoon turtles or dive for oysters, but every night they put back to the shore. If the weather is bad at sea they land with their dogs and then poach, catching porcupines, squirrels, armadilloes, hog deer and the like, of which they make savory stews, like our gypsies.

An Artist's Criticism.

Probably no two artists ever criticised each other more severely than did Fuseli and Northcote, yet they remained fast friends. At one time Fuseli was looking at Northcote's painting of the angel meeting Balaam and his ass. "How do you like it?" asked Northcote after a long silence. "Northcote," replied Fuseli promptly, "you're an angel at an ass, but an ass at an angel."

Why We Can't Be Great.

Emerson defined greatness as simplicity. "Indeed, to be simple is to be great." The question emerges, Is life simple today? If not, will it be simpler tomorrow? If not, then how can there ever again be such greatness as in the past in a world of ever increasing complexity?

Why She Left.

"Yes, my wife attended but one session of the club."

"What caused her to quit it?"

"She found out that the rules put a time limit of five minutes on all speeches."

To Enliven the Liver

Kidneys and Bowels--To Prevent Disease by Cleansing the System--You Must Use

DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS

There is a need in every home of a medicine that will promptly cure biliousness, kidney derangement, and constipation.

A medicine that by cleansing the filtering and excretory organs will remove all poisonous waste matter, and by so doing prevent fevers, colds and such deadly diseases as dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease.

No medicine satisfies the need so well as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

This is no idle boast, but an absolute fact that is backed up by the testimony of a hundred thousand homes.

The reputation of Dr. A. W. Chase as author and physician is the guarantee which first made this great medicine popular.

Now it stands on its record of cures—a record which has seldom, if ever, been paralleled in the history of medicine.

Miss Julie Langlois, Manor, Sask., writes:

"For a long time I suffered from liver complaint and biliousness, and could find nothing to help me until I used Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I have recommended these Pills to many of my friends and they have all been well satisfied with the results. You can use this letter for the benefit of women who are suffering as I did."

As a treatment for backaches, headaches, indigestion, aching limbs, liver derangements, kidney disorders and constipation, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are prompt, thorough and effective.

Once their merit is tested they are kept in the house and relied on in cases of emergency. By keeping the liver active and the bowels regular they positively prevent serious disease.

One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. Dr. Chase's Backache Plaster promptly eradicates pain and may be used on any part of the body

The Great Northern Railway is advertising its annual winter excursions to Eastern Canada, at the reduced rate of $40 for the round trip to Montreal and points west thereof in Ontario. Tickets are on sale from Dec. 4 to 31 inclusive. Liberal stop-over privileges will be granted going and returning, and every means will be taken to insure the pleasure and comfort of the patrons of this popular route. Full information regarding the excursions can be obtained from D. T. Cummings, C.T.A., 447, Main Street, Winnipeg, Man. Telephone No. 195.

Great Northern Steamship Co. Sailings from Seattle for the Orient:—S.S. Dakota, Dec. 16; S.S. Minnesota, Feb. 1, 1906.

RHEUMATISM AND PARALYSIS.

Their Complete Home Cure. Post Free to Readers of This Paper for Limited Period Only.

A handsome illustrated treatise, giving full description of Rheumatism and Paralysis, with instructions for a complete home cure, describing the most successful treatment in the world, recommended by the Ministry and endorsed by medical men. This highly instructive book was written by W. H. Veno, a gentleman who has made a special study of these diseases. The preface is by a graduate of the University of Wurtzburg. Send postal to-day and you will receive the book free by return.—Address, The Veno Drug Company, 24 King Street, West Toronto.

Contracts for seven or eight hundred thousand feet of timber for G.T.P. construction have been let to British Columbia mills.

When all the Canadian forces are in control at Halifax, the strength of the garrison will be 720 infantry, 525 artillery, 100 engineers, and 200 made up of details of army service corps. This will make the total strength between 1,550 and 1,600.

Manly Strength and Womanly Beauty depend on purity of the blood, and much of that purity depends on perfect kidney filtering. If these organs are diseased and will not perform their functions, man will seek in vain for strength and woman for beauty. South American Kidney Cure drives out all impurities through the body's "filterers."—repairs weak spots.—46

The North American Live Stock Association, which has established an industry at Port Arthur, has now 3,000 sheep feeding there, the screenings from the elevators furnishing excellent fodder.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

Charles M. Schwab, the steel king, is not satisfied with possessing a private car, but has arranged for the purchase of a special train of Pullman coaches. Mr. Schwab will be the first individual to own and operate such an expensive luxury as an entire train of cars.

Of the people in this country who have lived a hundred years few are Canadian born. Mr. Wagner, who has just left Galt to make her home with a granddaughter in Toronto, is one of the rare exceptions. She was born 102 years ago in Cobourg, Ont. President Madison was her grandfather. Madison himself was born in 1751, and died in 1836. Thus Mrs. Wagner's line runs back 154 years on this continent. She can, indeed, be said to be of the old English stock in North America. When her grandfather, the President, died, she was a woman of 33.

Itching, Burning, Skin Diseases Cured for Thirty-five Cents.—Dr. Agnew's Ointment relieves in one day, and cures Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Eczema, Barber's Itch, Ulcers, Blotches, and all eruptions of the skin. It is soothing and quieting, and acts like magic in the cure of all baby humors. 35c.

Nineteen vessels were wrecked in the disastrous storm that swept the great lakes during the closing days of November.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Princess Maud becomes Queen of Norway, while her cousin, the daughter of the Duke of Connaught, is the Crown Princess of Sweden, and will become Queen of that country. Now it is rumored that the daughter of the Princess Beatrice, Princess Henry of Battenberg, will soon be Queen of Spain. The King's relations to the reigning houses of Europe are very extensive. His Majesty's nephew is Emperor of Germany. His wife's nephew is the Czar of Russia. His brother-in-law is King of Greece. His father-in-law is King of Denmark. His daughter is Queen of Norway, while two nieces are liable to become queens.

They Are Not Violent in Action.—some persons when they wish to cleanse the stomach resort to Epsom and other purgative salts. These are speedy in their action, but serve no permanent good. Their use produces incipient chills, and if persisted in they injure the stomach. Nor do they act upon the intestines in a beneficial way. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills answer all purposes in this respect, and have no superior.

The greatest asset we can possess is character. The honest man or woman in any vocation in life is the one who is sought after. In the daily activities of business life the honest man is in demand. He may have many excellent qualities, but the one thing to be cherished above all else is unquestionable integrity. In business confidence is the corner-stone. Upon it the employer can grow and develop. Let a man be thought to be worth watching, or let him come under the bane of suspicion, and his commercial reputation is seriously impaired.

Your Money Refunded by the dealer from whom you buy Sunlight Soap if you find any cause for complaint.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way.

$5,000 reward will be paid to any person who proves that Sunlight Soap contains any injurious chemicals or any form of adulteration.

Equally good with hard or soft water.

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LIFE ON THE RAIL IS A HARD ONE

C. P. R. Engineer's Experience with Dodd's Kidney Pills.

They Brought Back His Strength When He Could Neither Rest Nor Sleep.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 4.—(Special).—Mr. Ben Rafferty, the well-known C. P. R. engineer, whose home is at 175 Maple Street, is one Winnipeg man who swears by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Long hours on the engine and the mental strain broke down my constitution," Mr. Rafferty says. "My back gave out entirely. Terrible, sharp, cutting pains followed one another, till I felt I was being sliced away piecemeal. I would come in tired to death from a run. My sole desire would be to get rest and sleep, and they were the very things I could not get. Finally I had to lay off work.

"Then I started to take Dodd's Kidney Pills, and the first night after using them I slept soundly. In three days I threw away the belt I have worn for years. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me."

Accent on the Operatic Stage.

No Englishman with daughters could do a rasher thing than permit them to take lessons from eminent professors with a view of going on the stage. The opera stage in England scarcely exists. At Covent Garden a woman who can speak good English can only get in by force of social influence, and abroad a foreigner has very great difficulty because she cannot speak or sing with a perfect accent. The foreign lady or gentleman comes across here and on occasion will venture to sing in English, and their mistakes bring nothing more than a smile to the faces of the audience. But let an English singer go to France or Germany, and something totally different happens.

In 1897 Tamagno sang at Monte Carlo before an audience which was mainly French. He mispronounced a word, and a peal of derisive laughter covered even his stentorian notes. In Brussels I heard an American tenor laughed at because some of his vowels were not quite pure—Brussels, where their French is the most villainous patois I have ever heard. In Germany I have heard both French and English artists laughed at because their accent was not absolutely correct.—London Saturday Review.

Russian Discipline.

General Dragomiroff, the Russian military expert, rose from the ranks and always dressed according to the army regulations for the common soldier. One day while driving about St. Petersburg in his carriage he noticed a soldier with hair longer than the regulations called for. He had the horses stopped, alighted and, taking off his hat, ordered the soldier to seize him by the hair. The soldier hesitated. He feared to lay violent hands on his general; besides, the hair was clipped too close to afford a hold for the hands. The general surveyed the soldier sternly for a few moments, then, twining his fingers in the latter's locks, he literally wiped up the street with him, the victim not daring to resist. Finally, having impressed the lesson thoroughly, he re-entered his carriage and drove on, ordering the soldier to follow. At the first barber's shop they came to he again alighted and had every vestige of hair shaved from the soldier's head, then turned him loose as a horrible example to his fellows.

King James' Books.

Some very fine binding was executed for King James I., who during his entire life was an enthusiastic patron of letters and art. In some of his books the thistle is introduced with heavy corner pieces, and the arms in the center. One fine piece of work, now in the British museum, is in bright brown calf, powdered with flower-de-luce. Another folio in crimson velvet has the arms of England embroidered on both sides with gold thread on a groundwork of yellow silk. The king's initials are worked above. The lettering is in leather, and the boards are tied together by red ribbon, constituting a regal book in every particular. John Gibson, in Scotland, and the Barkers, in England, were appointed to be the king's binders, but there is little trace of their work now extant.

He that hath no inward beauty perceives none, though all around is beautiful.—Young.

TEETHING TROUBLE.

Teething is generally accompanied by nervousness, irritability and stomach disorders, which may lead to serious consequences if not promptly treated. Baby's Own Tablets is the best medicine in the world for teething children. They allay the inflammation in the tender swollen gums, correct the disordered stomach, and help the teeth through painlessly. Mrs. T. Nutt, Raymond, Ont., says: "My baby suffered terribly while teething, but as soon as I began giving him Baby's Own Tablets he improved in every way and is now a bright, healthy child." The Tablets also cure colic, constipation, diarrhoea, indigestion, simple fevers and destroy worms. They are guaranteed to contain not one particle of opiate or harmful drugs, and may be given with equally good results to the new-born baby or the well-grown child. Sold by all druggists or sent by mail at 25 cents a box by writing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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The excellent results obtained by the use of Beecham's Pills have proved them worthy of the confidence they enjoy. They have helped thousands and recommend themselves.

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Election Sentences.

Three men have been sentenced to prison for illegal voting in the recent New York city and county elections. Albert Farrar and Thomas McCall were each sentenced to the penitentiary for one year, and Bartholomew Wallace was sentenced to the Elmira reformatory. All were convicted for voting twice.

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District of North Vancouver

The Annual meeting of the Ratepayers of the District will be held in the Municipal Hall, North Vancouver on Wednesday the 10th day of January 1906 at 8 o'clock p. m. to receive the Annual Report of the Council.

By Order of the Council.

ALEX. PHILIP, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the tract of land in the Vancouver District, comprising the following lots, namely: Two hundred and sixty-five (265), Two hundred and seventy-one (271), Two hundred and seventy-four (274), Five hundred and forty-four (544), Five hundred and forty-five (545), Five hundred and forty-six (546), Five hundred and forty-seven (547), Five hundred and forty-eight (548), Five hundred and forty-nine (549), Five hundred and fifty (550), the easterly portion of Five hundred and fifty-two (552) being the *portion lying to the north of said lot* Two hundred and sixty-five (265), and containing about One hundred and fifty (150) acres, and lot Six hundred and sixteen (616), in Group One (1) New Westminster (now Vancouver) District, now forming part of the Municipality of the District of North Vancouver, and the portion of lot Two hundred and seventy-two (272) (known as Moodyville), and lot Two hundred and Seventy-three (273), in said Group One, as a corporation under the name of "The City of North Vancouver," and to make provision for the division of the existing assets and liabilities of the Corporation of the District of North Vancouver between the new City of North Vancouver and the remaining portion of the said District Municipality, and for other purposes and for a special charter for "The City of North Vancouver" granting to the Council of the said City *among other things power to pass* by-laws for *(inter alia)* any of the purposes or any of the objects following:

To provide a Ward system or other system of Division of the City; to provide under certain conditions for the inclusion of further outlying Districts in the City limits; to limit and define localities, in which particular trades or businesses may be carried on, to regulate trades or businesses and the times of closing stores or shops, and to provide for Sunday closing; to prohibit or regulate trading by pedlars, hawkers, and petty chapmen; to erect public wharves and impose and collect tolls for the use thereof; to purchase, construct and operate gas, and electric lighting and power and telephone systems; to administer oaths and examine witnesses under oath in civic inquiries; to enter into contracts extending over a period *of years; to borrow money for specific* purposes, giving as security the undertaking and guarantee of the City; to make provision for the placing of telephone, electric and other wires underground; to provide a fund for the insurance of civic buildings and property, and a fund for the superannuation of Municipal officials and employees; to licence clubs; to prohibit slaughter houses within the City or to prohibit and regulate existing slaughter houses and cow sheds or stables which may in the opinion of the Council, be a nuisance; to regulate and prohibit the erection, removal and the repairing of buildings and the pulling down of buildings erected, removed or repaired in contravention of any by-law; to charge property owners with the cost of sewers running past or adjoining their premises by way of a rental; to regulate the subdivision of City lots; to make provision *for the qualification of voters; the mode* of electing to civil offices, and the conduct of elections, and to deal with disputed elections and offences at elections, and corrupt practices; to provide for the compulsory ejectment of persons having unlawfully encroached upon the streets or roadways; to provide for acquisition of additional water sheds and means of increasing the water supply; to provide for the acquisition of railways and tramways wholly or partially running within the City and also to provide for such other amendments, powers and authorities as may be necessary or expedient for the public welfare and the government of the said "The City of North Vancouver."

TAYLOR, BRADBURN & INNES,
Solicitors for Applicants.

DATED the 5th day of December, 1905.

District of North Vancouver.

A BY-LAW

To locate, open up and establish Lynn Creek Road (North) from the Water Works Intake to the North Boundary of the Municipality and other roads adjoining same.

Be it enacted by the Reeve and Council of the Corporation of the District of North Vancouver, in Council assembled, as follows, viz.:

1. By authority of Section 50, Subsection (127) of the Municipal Clauses Act, as amended by Section 9 of the Municipal Clauses Act Amendment Act, 1904, Roads are hereby located, established and opened up, and the said Corporation enters upon, expropriates and takes with a view to the making, preserving and using as Public Roads or Highways to be known as Lynn Creek Roads (North) All and Singular those parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Province of British Columbia, in the District of New Westminster and in Group One, being composed of parts of Lots 1016, 999, 998, 1414, 1430 and 1431, and which may be more particularly known and described as follows (all Bearings given being Astronomic, Magnetic Variation 23 degrees 45 minutes East) that is to say:

First. Commencing at a point in *the cement dam of North Vancouver* Waterworks Intake, marked Station One, said point being distant as follows from the Southeast Corner Post of Subdivision "B" of Lot 1016, Group One, New Westminster District, Westerly along South Boundary of said Subdivision "B" 762.7 feet, thence North 206 feet, thence N33 deg. 05 min. east 351.1 feet, more or less, to said point in cement dam. Thence, with a width of 120 feet N13 deg. 50 min. W 189.5 feet to the East bank of Lynn Creek, thence N14 deg. 15 min. W. 683.2 feet, thence N82 deg. 00 min. W 180 feet, thence N25 deg. 05 min. W. 132.5 feet, thence N60 deg. 02 min W. 98.2 feet, thence N57 deg. 50 min. W. 117.6 feet, thence N51 deg. 25 min. W. 204.0 feet, thence N37 deg. 30 min. W. 158.7 feet, thence N18 deg. 10 min. W. 236.0 feet, thence N15 deg. 50 min. W. 222.4 feet, thence N12 deg. 05 min. W. 160.0 feet, thence S8 deg. 05 min. W. 191.0 feet, thence N23 deg. 28 min. W. 191.0 feet, thence N39 deg. 10 min. W. 272.8 feet, thence N45 deg. 32 min. W. 162.0 feet, thence N8 deg. 58 min. W. 212.0 feet, thence N8 deg. 58 min. W. 206.0 feet, thence N25 deg. 00 min. W. 84.5 feet, thence N21 deg. 45 min. W. 138.5 feet, thence N62 deg. 20 min. W. 206.5 feet to a point on the West bank of Lynn Creek, thence N58 deg. 30 min. W. 32.3 feet to a point on the West Boundary of said Lot 1016, distant 457 feet Southerly from North West Corner of said Lot 1016, all having a width of 120 feet.

Thence again in Lot 998, Group One, New Westminster District, N8 deg. 25 min. W. 206 feet, thence N35 deg. 25 min. W. 208.7 feet to a point on the North Boundary of said Lot 998 distant 181 feet Westerly from the North East Corner post of said Lot 998, all having a width of 120 feet. Thence within Lot 999, Group One, New Westminster District, N1 deg. 50 min. E 250.0 feet, thence N2 deg. 07 min. W. 230.7 feet, thence again N2 deg. 07 min. W. 362.0 feet, thence N19 deg. 37 min. W. 211.0 feet, thence N19 deg. 57 min. W. 271.0 feet, thence N19 deg. 57 min. W. 133.5 feet, thence N16 deg. 28 min. W. 106.0 feet, thence N16 deg. 05 min. W. 193.0 feet, thence N23 deg. 03 min. W. 303.8 feet, thence N7 deg. 35 min. E. 172.0 feet, thence N30 deg. 30 min. E. 261.0 feet, thence N6 deg. 00 min. W. 225.6 feet, thence N32 deg. 40 min. W. 140.0 feet, thence N8 deg. 25 min. W. 375.0 feet, thence N10 deg. 35 min. E. 157.5 feet, thence N9 deg. 50 min. E. 188.0 feet, thence N6 deg. 00 min. E. 360.0 feet, thence N10 deg. 45 min. W. 151.7 feet, thence N17 deg. 45 min. W. 216.2 feet, thence N11 deg. 30 min. W. 218.3 feet, thence, N3 deg. 00 min. E. 255.0 feet, thence N17 deg. 30 min. E. 113.3 feet, thence N19 deg. 00 min. W. 212.5 feet, thence N1 deg. 00 min. W. 150.0 feet, thence N4 deg. 00 min. [illegible] feet, thence N1 deg. 00 min. E. 145.0 feet to a point on North Boundary of said Lot 999, distant 400.6 feet Westerly along the North Boundary of said Lot 999 from the North East Corner of said Lot 999, all having a width of 120 feet. Thence within Lot 1414, Group One, New Westminster District, N1 deg. 00 min. E. 20.0 feet, thence N15 deg. 00 min. E. 167.7 feet, thence N11 deg. 40 min. E. 271.0 feet, thence N7 deg. 00 min. E. 167.0 feet, thence N0 deg. 50 min. W. 143.3 feet, thence N16 deg. 05 min. W. 378.8 feet, thence N9 deg. 00 min. E. 195.5 feet, thence North 150.5 feet, thence N25 deg. 10 min. W. 245.8 feet, thence N8 deg. 55 min. E. 183.2 feet, thence N8 deg. 55 min. E. 288.5 feet, thence N8 deg. 55 min. E. 300.0 feet, thence N8 deg. 55 min. E. 224.5 feet to a point in the North Boundary of said Lot 1414, and distant 296.8 feet Westerly along the North Boundary of said Lot 1414 from the North East Corner post of said Lot, all having a width of 120 feet. Thence within Lot 1430, Group One, New Westminster District, N2 deg. 10 min. W. 323.0 feet, thence N0 deg. 25 min. W. 382.5 feet, thence N7 deg. 35 min. W. 306.0 feet, thence N14 deg. 30 min. W. 244.0 feet, thence N11 deg. 55 min. W. 374.0 feet, thence N7 deg. 30 min. W. 238.5 feet, thence N1 deg. 05 min. W. 66.5 feet, thence N8 deg. 00 min. W. 193.0 feet, thence N2 deg. 05 min. E. 228.7 feet, thence N8 deg. 30 min. E. 325.0 feet to a point on the North Boundary of said Lot 1430 distant 151.0 feet Westerly along the said North Boundary from the North East Corner post of said Lot 1430, and all having a width of 120 feet. Thence within Lot 1431, Group One, New Westminster District, N8 deg. 30 min. E. 56.0 feet, thence N1 deg. 35 min. E 272.5 feet, thence N19 deg. 05 min. E. 192.5 feet, thence N1 deg. 05 min. W. 202.0 feet, thence N12 deg. 15 min. W. 280.5 feet, thence N3 deg. 25 min W. 204.0 feet, thence N10 deg. 30 min. W. 336.5 feet, thence N6 deg. 40 min. W. 308.5 feet, thence N27 deg. 40 min. E 127.5 feet, thence N27 deg. 40 min. E. 257.0 feet, thence N4 deg. 50 min W. 181.0 feet, thence N12 deg. 45 min. E. 173.0 feet, more or less to a point on the North Boundary of said Lot 1431 distant 292.0 feet Westerly along the said North Boundary from the North East Corner Post of said Lot 1431, said North Boundary of Lot 1431 being the Northern Boundary of North Vancouver Municipality—and all having a width of 120 feet.

Second. Commencing at the North East Corner post of said Lot 1430, thence Westerly along the North Boundary of said Lot 1430, and the south Boundary of said lot 1431 330 feet more or less to the East Boundary of No. 1 Road before described, and having a width of 25 feet to the North within Lot 1431, and 70 feet to the South within Lot 1430.

Third. Commencing at the North East Corner Post of said Lot 1414 thence Westerly along the North Boundary of said Lot 1414, 296.8 feet more or less to the East Boundary of Road No. 1, before described, and having a width of 66 feet to the South of said North Boundary of said Lot 1414, and all within said Lot 1414.

Fourth. Commencing at a point on the North Boundary of said Lot 999, at the intersection of the Westerly Boundary of Road No. 1 before described with the said North Boundary of Lot 999, thence Westerly along the North Boundary of Lot 999 760 feet, and having a width of 66 feet, to South of said North Boundary, and all within Lot 999.

Fifth. Commencing at the North West Corner Post of said Lot 998, thence Easterly along the North Boundary of said Lot 998 2440 feet more or less, to the West Boundary of Road No. 1 before described, and having a width of 66 feet to the South of said North Boundary of Lot 998, and all within Lot 998.

Sixth. Commencing at the South East Corner Post of said Lot 998, thence Northerly along the East Boundary of said Lot 998 2640 feet more or less, to the North Boundary of said Lot 998, and having a width of 66 feet to the West of the said East Boundary of Lot 998, and all within said Lot 998, excepting that part or parts which may have already been described in Roads No. 1.

Seventh. Commencing at a point in the cement dam of North Vancouver Waterworks Intake and Numbered station 1, thence approximately S33 deg. 05 min. E. 351.1 feet more or less with a width of 27 feet on each side of the boundaries of the present gazetted road, thence South 206 feet, thence S2 deg. 02 min. E. 95.0 feet, thence S11 deg. 00 min. W. 160.0 feet, thence S8 deg. 45 min. E. 356.0 feet, thence S53 deg. 00 min. E. 366.5 feet more or less, to the intersection with the South Boundary of said Lot 1016, and having all a width of 27 feet on each side of the boundaries of the present gazetted road as aforesaid, the foregoing description being approximately the center line of the present gazetted road, with Astronomic Bearings and a Magnetic Variation of 23 deg. 45 min. East.

Eighth. Commencing at a point in the North Boundary of Subdivision "A" of Lot 1016 distant 722.7 feet Westerly along the said North Boundary of Subdivision "A" from the North East Corner-post of said Subdivision "A"; thence following North Boundary of aid Subdivision A Westerly 340 feet. Thence Northerly in a line to the East Boundary of Lot 1016, 600 feet. Thence Easterly in a line parallel to the North Boundary of said Subdivision A 340 feet, thence Southerly in a line parallel to the West Boundary of Dam Site 600 feet more or less to point of commencement, excepting any such portion of above described land which shall have already been appropriated for a road or highway, the remaining part containing an area of 3.57 acres more or less. All which lands hereby appropriated for Public Roads been shewn colored red on a Map or Plan deposited in the Land Registry Office at Vancouver and numbered....

2. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as The Lynn Creek Roads North By-law, 1905.

Passed by the Council on the 29th day of November 1905.

Reconsidered and finally adopted by the Council and signed and sealed on the Sixth day of December, 1905.

ARNOLD E. KEALY,
Reeve.

ALEX PHILIP,
C. M. C

Seal

District of North Vancouver.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given to the Electors of the Municipality of North Vancouver, that I require the presence of the said Electors, at the Municipal Hall, North Vancouver, in the said Municipality, on

Monday, 15th January, 1906, at 12 o'Clock Noon,

for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Reeve and Councillors.

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as Proposer and Seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and two o'clock p. m. on the day of the nomination. And in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on

Saturday, 20th January, 1906,

between the hours of Eight o'clock a. m. and Four o'clock p. m. of the said day, at the said Municipal Hall, of which every person is required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

"The qualification for Reeve shall be *his being a male British subject, and* having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry Office of land or real property, situate within the Municipality, of the assessed value on the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll of five hundred dollars or more over and above any registered *judgment, and being otherwise qualified* as a voter."

"The qualification for Councillor shall be his being a male British subject, and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination, the registered owner in the Land Registry Office of land or real property, situate within the Municipality, of the assessed value on the last *Municipal or Provincial* Assessment Roll of two hundred and fifty dollars or more over and above any registered judgment, or being a homesteader or pre-emptor who resided within the Municipality for the space of one year or more immediately preceeding the nomination, and who is assessed for five hundred dollars or more on the last *Municipal or Provincial* Assessment Roll, over and above any registered judgment, and being otherwise qualified as a voter; but nothing herein contained shall be held to disqualify a Councillor whose qualification at the time of his election was that of a homesteader or pre-emptor, should he acquire a title to his land during his term of office."

Given under my hand, at North Vancouver, this 4th day of January, 1906.

ALEX. PHILIP,
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