The Express

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AN INTERESTING COUNCIL SESSION

PROBLEMS OF THE TENT COLONY

Ald. Smith's Motion Defeated
Speeches from Canvas-town Residents

Between fifty and sixty tent-dwellers, most of them laboring under the delusion that they had been described as "undesirable," assembled in the City hall on Tuesday night to demonstrate to the council their complete respectability and prove to that honorable body the hygienic advantages of their life on the waterfront.

The topic of the waterfront canvas-town, as Ald. Henderson has called it, was primarily introduced by the clerk's reading of three letters—one from the Medical Officer of Health, one from the Chief of Police, and one from the Fire Chief.

Dr. J. J. Thomson wrote as follows: "I had occasion to report in April of this year in regard to the sanitary condition of the camps on the foreshore. I drew your attention to the lack of proper sanitary arrangements and the difficulty of improving the same; also the difficulty of the disposal of all kinds of garbage. I am asked to further report, and I cannot find anything further to add that did not appear in the previous report, excepting to draw your attention to the increased number of tenters, and consequently the greater crowding. This matter has been one which has affected numerous other cities at periods of their growth. I can merely site the instance of the city of Melbourne, where the authorities allowed camping grounds to grow to such an extent that in order to eliminate such dwellings they had to make each individual tenter pay a license fee to the city for that mode of living. My object, therefore, is to point out that to allow such a precedent after taking into consideration the instances of other cities is at once contrary to the best interests of the city and the community generally."

Chief Davis wrote to the effect that "it will be in the best interests of the city if the camps on the waterfront are removed, as it has come to notice of the police department that there are certain undesirable persons taking up residences in that locality. Recently we have had several robberies pulled off in the city and, from information secured, we are of opinion that the perpetrators are somewhere on the waterfront. Yesterday, one large concern reported that one roll of wire netting and two tons of coal have disappeared from their works, and other things are continually disapearing. I could cite many other occurrences that have come to our attention, but it would not be advisable, as our department is reluctant to give information to outsiders, but any official of the city has the right and privilege to examine our books. I do not pretend to say that there are not respectable persons living there, as I am personally acquainted with quite a number, but it would be better for them to live in some other locality. I may say that the city of Vancouver was up against the same problem about fifteen years ago, and the authorities removed them."

Fire Chief Findlay's report was as follows: "On making an inspection of the tents I find that on the south side of the Esplanade west, they are far too closely congested. In some cases I find a very small space between each, thus causing a great risk to the lives of occupants in the event of fire, especially during the night, during which time more difficulty is experienced in being able to quickly notify the fire department. There is no telling what the result would be. I also find the same risk on Esplanade east, until McDougal, Jenkins' premises are reached; then I find twelve in particular on the west side of the above premises. Three are close alongside of the aforesaid premises, the other nine being in close proximity. Some of the above are of shingle sides with canvas roofs, these having a larger and greater burning power that the tents entirely made of canvas. There have been two tents burned down on the north side of the Esplanade, west, this month, and, owing to there being no wind blowing and the speedy arrival of the fire department, they were able to confine the fires to the seat of their origin. Hoping something may be done to reduce the great fire danger now existing to the aforesaid occupants."

Mayor McNeish:—I see that there are quite a number of gentlemen present interested in this matter. I suggest that they nominate three of their number as spokesmen.

Mr. Wake (rising suddenly):—I claim I am a respectable citizen.

Ald. Smith—All the council here present will bear—

Mr. Wake—Are you Ald. Smith?

Ald. Smith—I am.

Mr. Wake—Pleased to meet you Ald. Smith.

Ald. Smith—I wish to say that I never mentioned such a thing as—

A voice—We are neither undesirable nor uncivilized.

Ald. Smith—I deny using that word I was reported to have said that in the "News-Advertiser," but it was quite incorrect.

The Mayor—The words attributed to Ald. Smith were not uttered by him.

Ald. McRae—The question to be considered is what is to be done or not done, not what has been said.

Mr. Wake—All we want to do is to live in a sanitary condition. I defy anyone to call us uncivilized.

Another speaker, Mr. Brook, said he had noticed cretain references to the quality of the people who were living in tents. As a resident in that part of the city, he could not see why he should not live in a tent house. He had experienced nothing undesirable of any nature.

Mr. Tindall was the next to address the council. "I have lived in this city," he said, "for seven or eight months now. It is my intention to live in the open air as much as possible. As regards being unsanitary, I differ from such an idea. I ask the persons who say so to come down and see into these things personally before writing to the newspapers."

Mr. G. V. Storkey—"I have lived here now several years. I am not an undesirable citizen. A lot of fuss has been made out of a mole hill. We live in the open air because we enjoy it. There are many worse spots than the waterfront in the residential sections of this city. I have been there now seven months, and have never seen a policeman down there. Fires can take place anywhere in the city. It has been mentioned that these fires were a menace to the place. Are not fires on Lonsdale a menace? If there are undesirables there, let the police get them out. We want them out as much as anybody else."

Mr. M. B. Curtis—I have lived here two years. I came over for the express purpose of improving my wife's health. It has improved very rapidly, and she is in fine health at the present time.

Mr. Denman said he lived in tentland because of the inordinate price of houses and rooms in the ctiy. He felt that this controversy hit himself and family. He regretted that such a topic had arisen. There had certainly been two fires down there, but both had been caused through gross negligence of the occupants. He wondered whether gentlemen who thought them "undesirables" would be loth to come down among them and get their votes on the eve of the election.

Other speakers addressed the council in the same strain, most of them plainly of the opinion that the two words "undesirable" and "uncivilised" were essential tto their remarks.

The mayor then asked them to listen to the views of the council.

Ald. Henderson—I seconded Ald. Smith's resolution at the last meeting of the council. Personally I would like to say that there has been a great deal of misrepresentation in regard to what Ald. Smith said. He mentioned that it had been reported that there were undesirables on the waterfroont.

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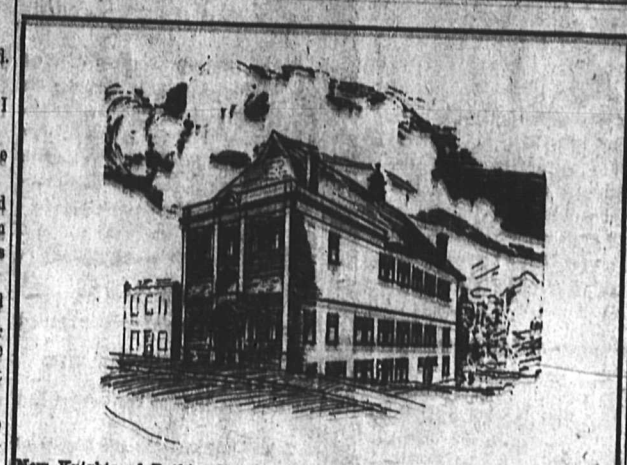
MERCHANT TAILORS

Messrs. C. Sharnfeldt and S. Ellingsen have purchased the tailoring business hitherto operated by John Linden at the corner of Lonsdale Ave. and 15th street and intend to carry on a high class ladies' and gents' merchant tailoring establishment. Mr. Scharnfeldt had many years' experience in ladies' tailoring in San Francisco and is prepared to demonstrate workmanship of a class that will please the most fastidious and exacting taste. The firm will also operate a remodelling department in which all kinds of cleaning, repairing, altering etc. will be done.

STEWART-NEWMAN

At Vancouver this week the wedding was solemnized of Miss Harriet Annie Newman and Mr. Robt. William Stewart. Rev. Dr. Fraser officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart intend to reside in Capilano.

The ferry directorate met briefly on Wednesday afternoon and passed a number of accounts. The meeting, which was a special one, was originally called for Tuesday, but only Mr. Williams appeared. Needless to say, he did not conduct a session solus. On his own motion seconded by himself, he adjourned the meeting till the morrow.



New Knights of Pythias Hall, Fourth Street West, built by the Pythian Castle Hall Company, Ltd., the formal opening of which will be held on Thursday Evening next, January 4th.

THE HARBOR INQUIRY

Magnitnde of Possibilities Surprised Mr. Swan

A large representation of the Joint Civic Harbor Committees met Mr. H. H. Stevens M.P. and Mr. Swan, the government harbor engineer at the city hall, Vancouver, yesterday afternoon. Among others present were Mr. G. H. Cowan, ex-M.P., Mayor Taylor and Aldermen Crowe and Cameron of Vancouver, Alderman Smith, Reeve McNaught and Messrs. Alexander Philip and George S. Shepherd from North Vancouver and representatives from South Vancouver, Point Grey and Burnaby. The party proceeded to Evans, Coleman and Evans wharf and were taken aboard the SS. British Columbia and had a pleasant sail up as far as Roche Point and back along the North Shore to Brockton Point. The North Vancouver representatives showed Mr. Swan the possibilities of the North Shore for harbor works and arranged with him to come and see it from the landward side. Mr. Swan indicated surprise and delight at the magnitude of the harbor possibilities in Burrard Inlet and stated that he intended to investigate all the harbor propositions very fully before he returns east to report to the government.

A concert and social under the auspices of the St. Edmund's church took place in the school room last night very pleasantly and successfully. A musical program was rendered, Vancouver talent lending valuable assistance.

The Board of School Trustees of North Vancouver have decided to celebrate the opening of the new school in Lynn Valley on January 10th with an entertainment. Invitations have been circulated to local and Dominion officials and a program of a miscellaneous kind will be rendered by the children.

DISTRICT CANDIDATES

In connection with present municipal politics it is interesting to learn that Coun. Bridgman is resolved to re-enter the field. There is a so-far-indefinite rumor that he will be opposed.

Coun. Lawson's candidature promises as yet to be unopposed.

Mr. Peter Westover is in the field for Lynn Valley, while it is uncertain as yet whether Coun. Allan will seek re-election.

Coun. J. E. Ward is withdrawing from Ward 6, leaving the field open to Mr. Percy Ward. Mr. Carew Gibson is also a candidate in this precinct.

Coun. Loutet arranged on Tuesday to meet his opponent, Mr. Hammersmark in North Lonsdale, but owing to paucity of attendance the meeting was adjourned uneventfully.

ENTERTAINMENT POSTPONED

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Methodist Sabbath school, which was to have been held this evening, has been postponed until the evening of Friday next, January 5th.

BUILDING PERMITS

466—T. L. Harrison, lot 23, block 117, sub. 274, 5th street, a dwelling.

467—J. F. Wain, lot 16, block 10, sub. 272, 6th street, to build a dwelling.

468—Aaron Galpin, lot 12, block 204, sub. 546, 21st street, to build a dwelling.

469—Western Plumbing Co., North Vancouver, lot 19, block 176, sub. 273, to build plumbing shops.

470—M. M. Jowitt, lot 20, block 34A, sub. 550, 15th street, to build a dwelling.

471—G. Avery, lot 14, block 231A, sub. 548, to build a cottage.

472—J. K. Davis, lot 13, block 49, sub. 543-549, Lonsdale and 14th, to build a butcher's shop.

CORRESPONDENCE HELD OVER

On account of the very heavy demand upon the columns of this issue of the Express it has been necessary to hold over several interesting letters for our next issue.

Mrs. Fackler of Seattle is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fletcher at the Hotel North Vancouver.

LOCAL OPTION CONVENTION

The fourth annual local option convention will be held in the Central Mission auditorium, Abbott street, Vancouver, on the evening of Thursday, February 1st and all day, Friday, February 2nd. It will probably be the most important convention yet held in British Columbia and it is expected a large gathering from all over the province will be present. Important subjects will be discussed by prominent speakers, and the attitude of the province, its government, and the present condition of temperance work will be considered thoroughly. Dr. Spencer has arranged the usual convention rates for delegates and it is hoped that the district covered by this paper will be well represented at the convention. All communications can be addressed to Local Option Office, 48 Flack Block, Vancouver.

FORESTRY CONVENTION

Arrangements are now rapidly approaching completion for the Annual Convention of the Canadian Forestry Association which will be held in the Railway Committee Room, Parliament Buildings, Ottawa, on February 7th and 8th, 1912. The gathering is under the patronage of His Royal Highness, the Governor-General, and a number of distinguished men both from Canada and the United States have promised to attend and take part.

The Canadian Lumbermen's Association holds its annual meeting on Feb. 6th. Special rates have been granted by the railways and as the subjects to be discussed are of the most practical and pressing character, it is expected that there will be a very large attendance of all persons interested in our forest resources.

The office of the secretary of the Canadian Forestry Association is in the Canadian Building, Ottawa, and from him further information may be obtained.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, Dec. 29—Ratepayers' Association General Meeting, City.
Friday, Dec. 29—Hogmanay Ball, Horticultural Hall.
Tuesday, Jan. 2—Meeting of City Council, 8 o'clock.
Tuesday, Jan. 2—Knights of Pythias Hall Dedicated by Members.
Thursday, Jan. 4—Meeting of District Council, 7.30.
Thursday, Jan. 4—Knights of Pythias Invitation Banquet in New Hall, 8 o'clock.

The new pretentious hall of the Knights of Pythias will be formally opened next week. On Tuesday the dedication function will take place, members of the order only being in attendance. On Thursday night the Knights will give a public invitation supper and dance. A full description of this splendid new hall will be published in a later issue.

The Misses Sawyer are, next week, commencing business on Esplanade west in the North Vancouver Club Block, their enterprise being entitled the "Scotch Tea Rooms." Particular attention will be given by the proprietresses to promptly served lunches for business mortals. All things considered these tea rooms promise to become a popular resort.

MISCELLANEOUS

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For plumbing, pipe fitting and connecting see F. B. Hermon, Frederick Road, Lynn Valley, or Phone 184. t.f.

The North Vancouver Dye Works 44 Lonsdale Avenue, guarantee to do as good work at cheaper prices than you can possibly get in Vancouver. Give us a trial, the result will speak for itself. Phone 147. t.f.

The Truth students class will meet every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Gallagher, Keith road, near Ridgeway. Students desiring higher spiritual unfoldment are cordially invited to attend. t.f.

The Imperial Car, Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Corporation will consider offers for clearing townsite of 500 acres at Roche Point. Apply to J. F. O'C. Wood, Mount Crown Block, 1st street east. t.f.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to authorize the Lieutenant-Governor in Council (without requiring observance of the provisions of the Municipalities' Incorporation Act) by letters patent under the public seal to divide the corporation of the District of North Vancouver by incorporating into a District Municipality under the name of the "Corporation of the District of West Vancouver" all that portion of the Corporation of the District of North Vancouver, described as follows:

Commencing at the point where the east boundary of D. L. 575 intersects the north boundary of the said Corporation; thence west along said north boundary to a point in Howe Sound on the line of the said north boundary produced; distant 1,000 feet west from the easterly shore of said Howe Sound; thence southerly, parellel to, and following the meanderings of the said shore to a point of intersection with the line 1,000 feet distant south from the north shore of Burrard Inlet; thence easterly parellel to, and following the meanderings of the said North Shore of Burrard Inlet to a point of intersection 1,000 feet distant south from the south-west corner of D. L. 764; and in line with the west boundary of said District Lot 764 produced; thence north-easterly and northerly along the west boundary of said D. L. 764 to the north-west corner thereof; thence continuing northerly along the west boundary of D. L. 625 to the north-west corner thereof, said corner being on the south boundary of D. L. 764; thence westerly along the said boundary D. L. 764 to the south-west corner D. L. 764; thence north along the west boundary of said D. L. 764 to the north-west corner thereof; thence easterly along the north boundary D. L. 764 to the south-east corner D. L. 762; thence north along the east boundaries of D. L. 762, 761, 602 and 606 to the north-east corner of D. L. 606; thence west along the north boundary of said D. L. 606 to the south-east corner of D. L. 575; thence north along the east boundary of said D. L. 575 to point of commencement, including all rights and areas of said Howe Sound and Englishman Bay, riparian or otherwise, now a part of said corporation of the District of North Vancouver, and by reducing the limits of the said Corporation of the District of North Vancouver accordingly; each of said Corporations to remain subject to the debts and liabilities of the present Corporation of the District of North Vancouver, but as between the Corporations the assets, debts and liabilities of the present Corporation of the District of North Vancouver to be divided and assumed upon an equitable basis.

DATED this 11th day of December, A.D., 1911.

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WANTED—To excavators! Earth. Apply Wallace Shipyards Ltd. t.f.

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WANTED—Tenders wanted for excavating corner of King and Lonsdale, 44x60. Approximately 300 yards. Box 1967, North Vancouver. t.f.

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FOR SALE—Cut flowers. Keene, 17th street east. 2-1

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Belguim Hare cheap. Apply Box A, Express Office.

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FOR SALE—First class Upright Iron Grand Piano. A snap. Apply Box A12, Express Office. 2-1

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LOST—A sum of money on 23rd inst. Reward, W. T. Grahame, P. O. Box 2384. 2-1

LOST—Three bundles of laundry. Apply Box A22, Express Office. Reward. 2-1

LOST—On Keith road between St. Andrew's and St. David's, a lady's pocket book. Return to Box A11, Express Office. 29-11

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VALUABLE PUBLICITY FOR NORTH VANCOUVER

Article by Mr. James P. Fell

The December number of British Columbia Magazine, contains a most interesting article on North Vancouver, from the pen of Mr. James P. Fell, in which information is given, the dissemination of which places the North Shore under obligation to Mr. Fell and the B. C. Magazine.

The article will be perused with pleasure by our readers, and we therefore re-produce it in full, as follows:

North Vancouver is coming into her own. Long and impatiently has she waited. Twenty-five years ago the north shore of Vancouver harbor looked almost as good as the south to the speculative investor. High prices were paid for waterfront land by the old Moodyville Lands & Sawmill Co., which was formed over twenty years ago to take over the old Moodyville mill and practically all the waterfront land between the First and Second Narrows. In those days no one would have believed that it would be nearly twenty-five years before that waterfront was opened up to shipping and industrial undertakings by the advent of a steam railroad.

To develop a district, to build up a city, transportation of all kinds in every direction becomes more and more necessary as civilization advances. The lack of transportation facilities has been the one great obstacle in the path of progress which North Vancouver treads, and that obstacle is now being swept aside. Plans for a big three-track bridge across the Second Narrows, with wagon roads and sidewalks, are nearing completion. This bridge is to be built with the assistance of both the Dominion and Provincial Governments, and will be under the management and control of the municipalities of Vancouver and North Vancouver. Construction will commence early in 1912.

It is impossible to doubt that before that bridge is completed the first section of the railroad connecting Vancouver with the Grand Trunk Pacific, and giving access to the Peace River country north of Fort George, will be built along the waterfront of North Vancouver to Howe Sound. Then will commence North Vancouver's growing time. For owing to her comparative inaccessibility, she has not kept pace with the other portions of Greater Vancouver. She has leeway to make up in the matter of population, trade, industry, commerce and real estate values. But give her a railroad, and all these things shall be added unto her, for North Vancouver has practically every other advantage: a southern aspect tempts the sun to shine even when he remains invisible to Vancouver; gentle sloping benches, with a highly productive gravel soil, making ideal residential districts; large areas of flat land adjoining tidewater, suitable for railway terminals, wharfage, industrial and business sections; a splendid supply of the purest water; an excellent sewerage system; public bodies composed of painstaking and efficient men, and eight thousand optimistic citizens behind them, with unlimited faith in the great future of their "ambitious city."

On the north shore between the First and the Second Narrows there is room for a city of half a million people. Westward again up the Capilano Valley and along the North Shore on English Bay to Howe Sound is a great residential district, which cannot be equalled anywhere for beauty of situation. Within a few years this great western

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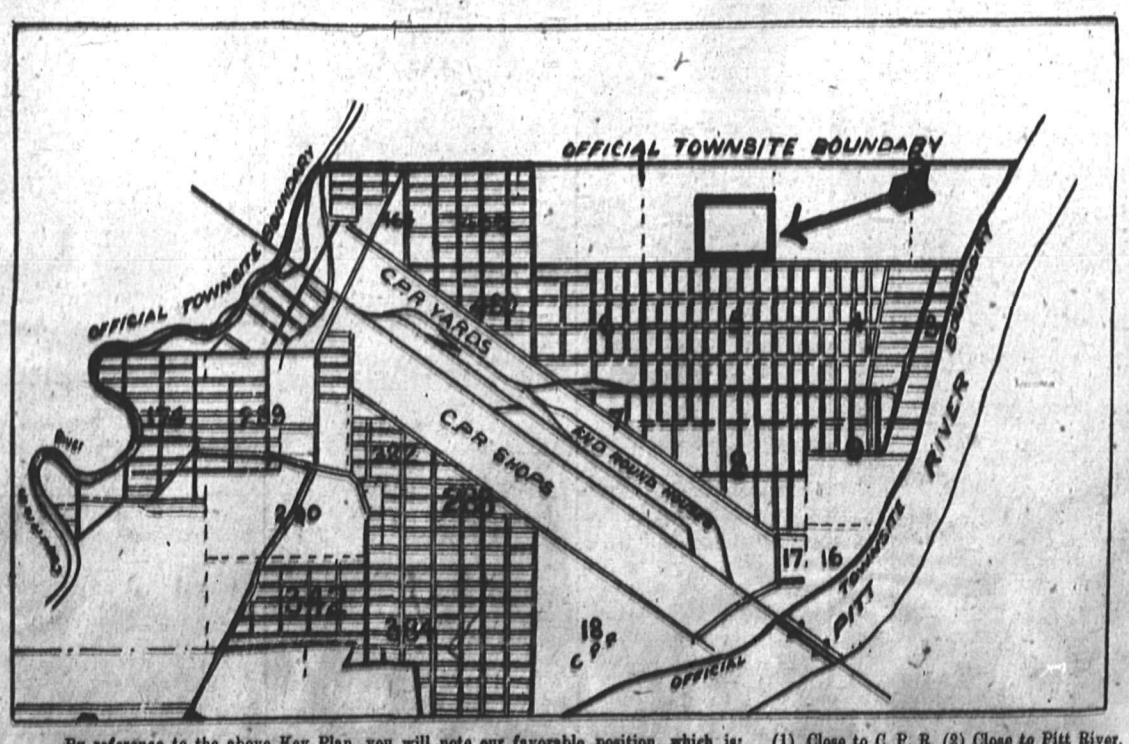

By reference to the above Key Plan, you will note our favorable position, which is: (1) Close to C. P. R. (2) Close to Pitt River. (3) Close to the industrial district, with its many spur tracks, as shown on Key Plan, and already granted by Railroad Commission. (4) Close to the main artery of the district (Prairie Road), and lying between the C. P. R. development and any other Corporation property that may be acquired in the north.

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District of North Vancouver.

Court of Revision of the Voters' List

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the District of North Vancouver will sit at the Municipal Hall, at the corner of Lynn Valley Road and Fromme Road on Tuesday the 2nd day of January, 1912, at 10.00 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of correcting and revising the list of voters for the ensuing year.

JOHN G. FARMER, C.M.C.

EXTENSION OF TIME

The time for receiving tenders for the construction of a Jetty at mouth of the Fraser River at Steveston, B. C., is hereby extended to Friday, January 19, 1912.

By order,

R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, December 20, 1911.

Electors of North Vancouver District!

The Lynn Valley Ratepayers' Association **unanimously** endorse the following candidates:

Reeve, **W. H. May**

Councillor (Ward IV), **P. Westover**

School Trustees, **C. Munro, R. P. Purdie**

NOTICE

A general meeting of the North Vancouver Ratepayers' Association to be held in the City Hall on Friday, the 29th inst. at 8.00 p.m. for the purpose of submitting questions to candidates for aldermanic honors adopted by the executive and to add to same if desired, also to submit a resolution adopted by the executive that the association support a ticket in the forthcoming civic elections.

R. MACKENZIE, Acting Secretary.

29-12

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NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of the Annual Court of Revision of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be held in the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the 4th day of January, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of hearing complaints against the Assessments as made by the Assessor and for revising and correcting the Assessment Roll.

Any person making complaint against the assessment must give notice in writing to the Assessor of the ground of his or her complaint at least ten days before the date of the first annual sitting of the Court of Revision.

Dated at North Vancouver, B. C., November 23rd, 1911.

THOMAS SHEPHERD, City Clerk.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

Sewer Connections

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that all owners of real property fronting or abutting upon a street or lane in which or under which a main or common sewer is laid is hereby required to connect any building or premises upon such property with such main or common sewer.

Permits may be obtained from the Plumbing Inspector at his office at the City Hall between the hours of 9 a. m. and 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. and 2 p.m.

The following regulations govern the construction of house or building connections with sewers:

No house sewer pipe shall have a less fall than 1 to 40, unless special permission is granted in writing by the Council. Said pipes between the iron pipe, to the connection of the public sewer to be of the best quality standard salt-glazed vitrified clay sewer pipe, and shall have a diameter of not less than 4 inches. All pipes shall be sound and well burned throughout their thickness, impervious to moisture, with a clear ring, smooth and well glazed on interior and exterior surfaces, free from flaws, cracks, blisters, fire checks or other imperfections.

The pipes must be so laid in the trench that after the sewer is completed, the interior surface thereof, shall be to a true and even grade.

In making the joints, a gasket of oakum or hemp, freshly dipped in cement grout, must first be used and packed into place. The joints shall afterwards be tightly packed full and bevelled off with mortar, composed of one part by volume of approved Portland cement to one part by volume of approved sand.

All joints shall be made water tight, so that they will stand a head of 10 feet of water, when tested by the Plumbing Inspector at the owner's, plumber's or contractor's expense.

By order of the Council:

THOMAS SHEPHERD, City Clerk. 1f

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North Lonsdale

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TERMS

Girls under 8 years old, $5 per month
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All North Vancouver people eat at
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Either Flack Block or Hastings St., opposite the new post office. Leonard sells his tea by the pound.

District of North Vancouver.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the District of North Vancouver, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Municipal Hall at the corner of Lynn Valley Road and Fromme Road in the said District on

Monday, the 8th day of January, 1912, at 12.00 o'clock noon

for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Reeve and Councillors, and electing three persons to represent them on the Board of School Trustees.

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, the 13th day of January, 1912**, between the hours of nine o'clock a.m. and seven o'clock p.m. of the said day at the said Municipal Hall at the corner of Lynn Valley Road and Fromme Road and at the Church Hall at the corner of Queen street and Lonsdale Avenue, and at the office of Mr. John Lawson at Hollyburn, and at the Capilano schoolhouse, Capilano Road, all in said District of which every person is required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The qualifications for Reeve are 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 of the last Assessment Roll of five hundred dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge and being otherwise duly qualified as a voter.

The qualifications for Councillor are 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 Assessment Roll of two hundred and fifty dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, or being a homesteader lessee from the crown, or pre-emptor who has resided within the municipality for the space of one year or more immediately preceding the nomination, and who is assessed for five hundred dollars or more on the last Municipal Assessment Roll over and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified as a voter.

In every Municipal School District any person being a householder in the School District, and being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years and otherwise qualified to vote at an election of school trustees in their district shall be eligible to be elected as a school trustee in the Municipal School District.

Given under my hand at North Vancouver this 28th day of December, 1911.

JOHN G. FARMER, Returning Officer.

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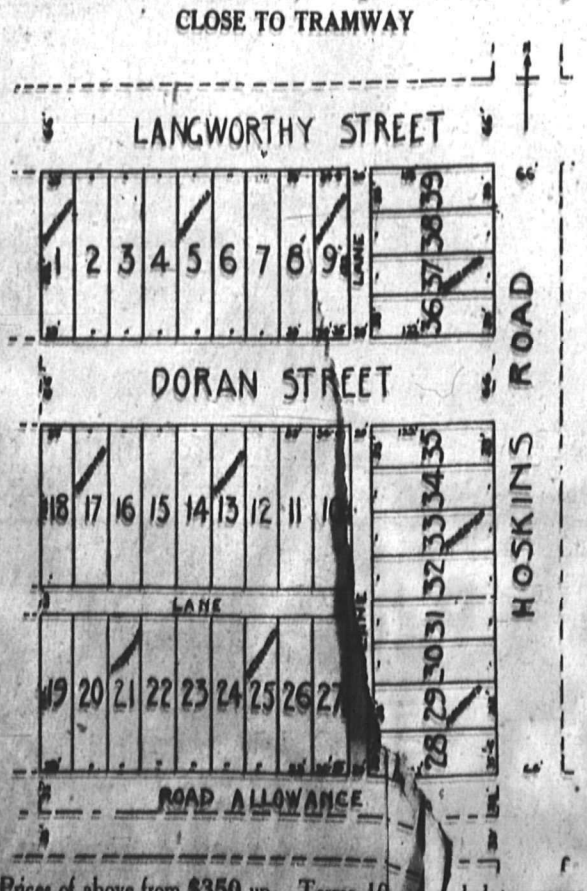

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COMMUNICATION

The Editor, "Express"

If you could find space in your columns for the following lines, I would like to take the opportunity of explaining the objects of the meeitng to be held in the city hall, on Friday night, Dec. 29th.

1st—The Questions to Candidates.

It has been the custom of the council to arrange one night before the election and place all the candidates on the platform to explain why they seek the sufferages of the ratepayers. Very often the candidate has no policy of his own, and it was thought it would be to the benefit of all concerned to formulate certain questions so that each candidate can express his views on same.

2nd—To consider the advisability of dividing the city into wards.

The opinion of many was that better work could be done by each councillor if he represented some part of the city.

3rd—To discuss the advissability of electing certain of those who are nominated for the council.

There are many reasons why the meeting should be as large and as representative of the ratepayers' interests as possible, because, the Association is trying to transact its affairs for the benefit of all, and also to promote the general interests of the city and particularly to aim at the adoption of such measures as will result in an economical and progressive administration in all the departments of municipal government, and especially to strengthen the hands of the Mayor and council in defending the city against any encroachments upon its rights by individuals or corporations.

Thanking you in anticipation,

HENRY C. WRIGHT.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION CALENDAR FOR 1912

The publishers of "The Youth's Companion" will, as always at this season, present to every subscriber whose subscription ($1.75) is paid for 1912, a beautiful Calendar for the new year. The cover picture reproduces a water-color painting of a bit of New England coast, giving a glimpse of breeze-swept ocean, of smiling sky, of warm, sunny rocks, which will come like a breath of salt air to those who once lived near the sea and to those whose whole life has been passed inland. The picture being in eight colors, the tones of the original are faithfully reproduced.

Portiers, Rugs, Mats, for Christmas gifts at the N. V. Home Furnishers.

WATCH NIGHT SERVICE

The First Baptist Church, cor. 12th and St. George streets purpose holding a watch night service on Sunday evening, the 31st inst. The meeting is being held under the auspices of the B.Y.P.U. and a bright, breezy service is assured. A good musical program has been arranged and a hearty invitation is extended to the general public to be present. The regular Sunday evening service will take place as usual and the watch night service will begin at 11 o'clock following the regular service.

CHURCH NOTICES

NORTH VANCOUVER.

Methodist Church—Corner of 6th and St. George. Sunday Services, 11.00 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class, 2.30 p.m. Senior League, Monday, 8 p.m. Prayer and Praise Service, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Junior League, Thursday afternoon at 3.30. Pastor, W. C. Schlitcher.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Keith Road—Services: Morning 11.00; evening, 7.30. Adult Bible Class, 12.30. Sunday School, 2.30. Y.P.S.C.E., Tuesday, at 8 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, at 8 p. m. Choir Practise, Friday, at 8 p.m. Rev. Ronald Macelod, Minister.

St. Agnes Church — Corner 12th and Boulevard. Morning at 11 a.m., evening at 7.30 p.m. Holy communion, first Sunday in month at 8 a.m.; first and third Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday School at 3.00 p.m. Rev. Thomas E. Rowe, Vicar.

Salvation Army.—Lonsdale Avenue. Sunday services, 11.00 a.m., 3 p.m. and 7.45 p.m. Tuesday, 8 p.m.; Thursday, 8 p.m. Children's Service, Wednesday, 4 p.m.

Baptist Church.—Twelfth and St. George. Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Prayer and praise service. Wednesday at 8 p.m. Pastor, Rev. A. J. Prosser, 12th and St. George.

St. John the Evangelist, 8th and 13th. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Morning Prayer, 11 a.m. Evening Prayer, 7.30 p.m. On the first Sunday in the month there will be a second celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Rector, Rev. Hugh Hooper.

St. Edmund's Catholic Church, Mahon Avenue. Sundays—Mass, 9 a.m. Sunday School, 2.30 p.m. Rosary Benediction and Sermon, 7.30 p.m.

Indian Catholic Church of St. Paul's. Mass, 7.30 a.m., Sundays. Pastor, Rev. E. Peytavin, O.M.I

NORTH LONSDALE.

St. Thomas.—8 a.m. every Sunday except first Sunday in month. 8.30 a.m. first Sunday in month. 11 a.m., Matins, Litany and sermon, second and fourth Sunday. Holy Communion and sermon, first and third Sundays. Vicar, Rev. T. E. Rowe.

Presbyterian Church.—Worship, Sundays, 7.30 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class 2.30 p.m. Teachers' Training Class, Wednesday 7.30. Prayer meeting, Wednesday 8 p.m. Boys' Club Thursday 7.30 p.m. Choir practice, Friday, 8 p.m. R. Van Munster, M.A., pastor.

LYNN VALLEY.

St. Clement's, Anglican—Morning at 11 a.m. Evening at 7.00 p.m. A. E. Bruce, Incumbent.

Methodist Church. — Services every Sunday evening in the new church, at 7 o'clock.

Presbyterian Church.—Worship, Sundays, 11 a.m. Union Sunday School, 2.30 p.m. Prayer meeting, Tuesday 8 p.m. Teachers' Training Class Friday 7.30 p.m. R. Van Munster, M.A., pastor.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of Section 7, Chapter 115, Revised Statutes, Canada, Thomas J. Kickham, master mariner, and Harry A. Jones, broker, have deposited a plan of a proposed wharf and warehouse and a description of the proposed site with the Honourable the Minister of Publi Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof in the Land Registry Office at the City of Vancouver.

The proposed site is situate in North Vancouver and is 33 1-10 feet east of Mahon Avenue produced and is 100 feet in width.

Notice is also given that at the expiration of one month from date application will be made to the Governor-in-Council for approval thereof.

Dated at Vancouver the 5th day of December, A.D. 1911.

THOMAS J. KICKHAM.
HARRY A. JONES.

By their solicitor, T. O. Townley.

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NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to authorize the Lieutenant-Governor in Council (without requiring observance of the provisions of the Municipalities' Incorporation Act) by letters patent under the public seal to divide the corporation of the District of North Vancouver by incorporating into a District Municipality under the name of the "Corporation of the District of West Vancouver" all that portion of the Corporation of the District of North Vancouver, described as follows:

Commencing at the point where the east boundary of D. L. 875 intersects the north boundary of the said Corporation ;thence west along said north boundary to a point in Howe Sound on the line of the said north boundary produced; distant 1,000 feet west from the easterly shore of said Howe Sound; thence southerly, parellel to, and following the meanderings of the said shore to a point of intersection with the line 1,000 feet distant south from the north shore of Burrard Inlet; thence easterly parellel to, and following the meanderings of the said North Shore of Burrard Inelt to a point of intersection 1,000 feet distant south from the south-west corner of D. L. 264; and in line with the west boundary of said District Lot 264 produced; thence north-easterly and northerly along the west boundary of said D. L. 264 to the north-west corner thereof; thence continuing northerly along the west boundary of D. L. 826 to the north-west corner thereof, said corner being on the south boundary of D. L. 764; thence westerly along the said boundary D. L. 764 to the south-west corner D. L. 764; thence north along the west boundary of said D. L. 764 to the north-west corner thereof; thence easterly along the north boundary D. L. 764 to the south-east corner D. L. 763; thence north along the east boundaries of D. L. 763, 761, 602 and 605 to the north-east corner of D. L. 605; thence west along the north boundary of said D. L. 605 to the south-east corner of D. L. 875; thence north along the east boundary of said D. L. 875 to point of commencement, including all rights and areas of said Howe Sound and English Bay, riparian or otherwise, now a part of said corporation of the District of North Vancouver and by reducing the limits of the said Corporation of the District of North Vancouver accordingly; each of said Corporations to remain subject to the debts and liabilities of the present Corporation of the District of North Vancouver, but as between the Corporations the assets, debts and liabilities of the present Corporation of the District of North Vancover to be divided and assumed upon an equitable basis.

DATED this 11th day of December, A.D., 1911.

HARRIS, BULL & MASON,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen, and electing two persons to represent them on the Board of City School Trustees, and to recommend for appointment four persons to act as Ferry Directors for the ensuing year.

The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver, 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. of the day of the nomination; and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 11th day of January, 1912 between the hours of nine o'clock a.m. and seven o'clock p.m. of the said day at the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., in the said Municipality of the City of North Vancouver, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

"The qualifications for Mayor shall be his being a male British subject of the full age of 21 years, and having been for the six months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the City of the assessed value, on the last Municipal Assessment Roll of One Thousand ($1,000) Dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who is otherwise qualified as a Municipal voter."

"The qualification for Alderman shall be his being a male British subject of the full age of 21 years, and having been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination, the registered owner in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the City, of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll, of Five Hundred ($500) Dollars more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who is otherwise qualified as a Municipal voter."

"In every Municipal School District any person being a householder in the School District and being a British subject of the full age of 21 years, and otherwise qualified to vote at an election of School Trustees in their District, shall be eligible to be elected as a School Trustee in the Municipal School District."

Given under my hand at North Vancouver, this 22nd day of December, 1911.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
Returning Officer.

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THE EXPRESS

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The Express is devoted to the interests of the North Shore of Burrard Inlet exclusively. It constitutes an advertising medium of exceptional value for reaching in a thorough and effective manner the population of North Vancouver City and District. Every effort is made to give advertisers the most satisfactory service.

All changes in contract advertisements should be in the printers' hands not later than 10 a. m. Monday and 5 p. m. Wednesday to ensure insertion in the following issue.

North Vancouver, B. C.....December 29, 1911.

WATERFRONT TENT DWELLINGS

The city council, by its action on Tuesday evening, defined the policy of the civic administration for the time with reference to the colonies of tents that have grown up along the waterfront. Without questioning the wisdom of this action as for the present requirements, it is nevertheless permissible to observe that such conditions cannot be allowed to exist indefinitely and that therefore the time must come sooner or later when, if this problem has not solved itself meantime, by voluntary action upon the part of those who reside in these tent colonies, it will be necessary for the city to adopt whatever means may be required to permanently dispose of the problem. This fact will doubtless be as readily recognized by those citizens who are dwelling in tents as by any others.

The unanimity which marked the reports of the city Medical Health Officer, the Chief of Police and the Fire Chief, with reference to this matter, clearly denotes its nature from the standpoint of those upon whom devolves the execution of those provisions which are deemed necessary for the protection of the public. The reports of these officials had nothing whatever to do with individuals, they dealt exclusively with conditions. The citizens in general believe that these official positions are occupied by capable men, who know their business and who command the confidence of the city council. Such being the case, although the council may have deemed it advisable to refrain from any drastic action just at the present time, it is quite evident that the opinions and recommendations of these guardians of public welfare cannot be indefinitely ignored by the council and that sooner or later the civic policy must shape itself to comply therewith. The accuracy of this position is the more apparent from the fact that such has been the process in other cities, similarly situated.

The length of time to which the existence of the clusters of tents on the waterfront can be prolonged will doubtless depend primarily upon those who reside therein. They themselves can do a very great deal to make right and to keep right, those conditions which cause anxiety to those officials upon whom rests the responsibility of the protection of the public in their respective departments. The citizens of North Vancouver expect these officials to do their duty and they will accord them hearty support in their efforts to conscientiously discharge those duties. The committee appointed by the city council will doubtless endeavor to arrive at some acceptable arrangement, in consultation with those officials, a ready compliance with the provisions of which will serve to allay the present agitation which has arisen with reference to tent colonies on the waterfront.

HANSARD

As is commonly known "Hansard" designates the printed booklet which is produced daily from the government presses during each session of parliament and which contains word for word, a record of every speech and of every transaction during each day's sitting of the house.

Hansard has been under a very hot fire of late, from its critics, who question if its usefulness is sufficient to justify the expense incurred in its production. It seems that there are those who are of opinion that all the speeches which are made on the floor of the house are not of equal worth and while many of them are of a nature, because of the importance of the topic with which they may deal and because of their inherent merit, t justify permanent record of this character, many others, on the other hand, might about as well be consigned to oblivion in the making. The pros and cons of the question of abolishing Hansard are being debated by those members who interest themselves in the publication.

There is no doubt, however, that Hansard is looked upon as a record of value by large numbers of public minded citizens throughout the country who find it desirable or interesting to keep in touch with what goes on in the house at Ottawa, and therefore, that, aside from its necessity for the purposes of debate among the members a real value attaches to the booklet, through its distribution to those who receive it in all parts of the Dominion

The question of "What is to be done with Hansard" is therefore well worth considering ,from a view point quite the opposite of that taken by those who advocate its abolition One of the chief difficulties with reference to the booklet at present is that there is no systematic means provided of ready access to the mass of material which it contains The value of Hansard as a work of reference would be very greatly increased therefore, if a suitable index to the entire volume were provided at the termination of each session In order to produce such an index it would be necessary to number the paragraphs in each column and to provide a topical index giving column and paragraph and also an index to the speakers. In addition to the above, it would be well if each issue of Hansard were punched and some form of serviceable binding provided, by means of which the whole volume when complete might be bound in sections. By this means Hansard would render available to everyone possessing a copy, an immense amount of valuable material and interesting reading, to which ready reference might be made for information upon any public question which had been before the house, or for the various utterances made by any member of the house, with reference to those questions, or any of them.

Under such an arrangement, the production would be found valuable, not only by those who, because of their calling or for other reasons, find it necessary to keep well informed with reference to federal matters, but it would likewise be a serviceable volume for preservation in public libraries, in order that the general public might have access to its records. There are very many readers who take particular pleasure in reading records of debates and once it was known that the debates in the federal house might be had at the libraries and that any topic or speaker might be followed with readiness, there is good reason to believe that the production would find many interested readers. A copy might also be placed to good purpose in every public school, high school, college and other educational institution throughout Canada.

As a digression, therefore, from the consideration of the proposition that the publication of Hansard be discontinued, it might be more profitable to consider whether means cannot be devised for broadening the scope of usefulness of the publication and increasing its inherent value as a means of informattion and of education throughout the Dominion for all who might be interested in the records which it contains.

Ladies' Secretaries and Desks at the N. V. Home Furnishers.

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WATER NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of the "Water Act, 199," to obtain a licence in the
Division of District

(a) The name, address and occupation of the applicant—Corporation of the City of North Vancouver.

(If for mining purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No. .....

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is)—Creek flowing out of Rice Lake into Seymour river.

(c) The point of diversion—2,000 feet down stream in a northerly direction from outlet of Rice Lake, said point being in D. L. 857.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second)—Three cubic feet per second.

(e) The character of the proposed works—Small dam.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same(—City of North Vancouver.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used—Municipal and domestic purpose.s

(h) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage. .. ..

(i) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return .....

(j) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works

(k) This notice was posted on the 22nd day of December, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 25th day of January, 1912.

(l) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet.

CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER,
(Signature) THOMAS SHEPHERD,
(P. O. Address)

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2. The matron of a public or private Hospital, the keeper of every Boarding or Lodging-House, every Inn-keeper or Hotel-Keeper, shall, within six hours, report in writing to the Medical Health Officer, or any person being at one of the aforesaid houses or hotels and attacked with or suspected of having any contagious or infectious disease mentioned in the By-law;" under the penalties provided for by such bylaw.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
t.f. Secretary Board of Health.

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COUNCIL MEETING

(Continued From Page One.)

He did not class you, gentlemen, as undesirables. You have heard him this evening repudiate that assertion. Now, I am a police commissioner as well as an alderman, and it has been reported to the police commissioners that there were undesirables on the waterfront. That does not apply to the bulk of the people living there. If that was unintentionally conveyed to you I deeply regret it. Look at this matter from a civic point of view. This city council has pledged the credit of this city and the citizens are digging deep down in their pockets to foot a bill to the amount of something like a quarter of million dollars to supply adequate drainage for the city. If we enforce every house on the north side of the Esplanade, for instance, to connect with the drain, and if they find us allowing a great number of dwelling on the waterfront with no means of drainage whatever, what will these citizens say when we tax them annually and compel them arbitrarily to connect with these sewers, at th same time allowing a population to grow up on the waterfront without drainage. Everyone that wants to build a house here has to take out a building permit and comply with certain regulations. What will the people say if we allow the erection of tents consisting of lumber an d canvas just sufficient unto the day thereof?

Mr. Pelettier submitted that it was by means of living in tents that many were able to save money and buy homes for themselves.

The Mayor—Nothing definite has been done in this connection. Your remarks to-night will certainly guide the council in what action they take.

Ald. Biss inquired as to why the fire chief had sent in a report at this particular time.

Ald. Smith—I authorised him to do it. Also I have had a complaint from McDougal, Jenkins about these tents being too close to their property, in the event of fire. I would like to make it clear that I have not taken this matter up because of any hard feelings with regard to the tenters. I am doing it from a civic and public point of view. There are 46 or 47 tents between St. George's and St. Andrew's. That was enough to make any citizen think. If a fire were to take place with a wind blowing those people would stand a very poor chance. When you have three reports of this kind from three officials it is a serious matter.

Ald. Biss—If the police know there are undesirables down there why don't they chase them out?

Ald. Dick—These reports should have gone into committee and not into the council as a whole. The Health Officer has told me himself that there was no sickness in the tents when there were several cases of diphtheria and measles on the hill. If there are undesirables in that quarter it is the duty of the police to look after these men and not condemn the district. And if the fire chief had had the experience of western life which some of us have, instead of being brought up in built cities he would know that canvas does not carry heat as dangerously as most kinds of timber. I guarantee that I could get cheaper insurance rates down there than in any other part of the district. I feel called upon, as a householder on the Esplanade to state the facts regarding the sewer argument. I don't object to sewer connection, but I don't believe in forcing the expense on other people because I am doing it. I haven't heard a word of complaint from the householders. We don't need anyone to fight our battles. A great many tents cannot make connection because the sewer is not low enough to catch the level. In the business district everybody won't be compelled to connect with a sewer. As for the $250,000 expended for sewers, that cost is not borne by the people of the city but by those living directly along the line of the improvements. The greatest area of the city has no sewers. Look at the houses on the hill! Aren't they an 'awful menace' to public health? Isn't it 'villainous' to allow those people to build houses up there? People on the waterfront have drainage into the inlet. None is more than 200 feet from the water. The pretentious residences on the hill drain their sewage down upon the people of the Esplanade and the camps. Now, remember this important fact, this population of hundreds of people, if this resolution is adopted, is required to move out in six months, when we positively know they can not get houses in that time.

The Mayor subsequently put to the council Ald. Smith's original resolution requiring the owners of all unoccupied tents or camps to remove same within ninety days, and the owners of all such occupied dwellings to vacate and remove same within six months.

The motion was defeated three to two, Aldermen Smith and Henderson voting for, and Aldermen Biss, Dick and McRae against.

The Mayor then appointed Alderman Biss and McRae as a committee to inspect the tent neighborhood, and, if necessary, to recommend ways and means of keeping them in a sanitary condition.

NOTICE

TO HOLDERS OF NON-REGISTERED AGREEMENTS FOR SALE

Contrary to the usual practice the Assessment Notices for 1912 have been sent to the registered owners of property according to the Land Registry records.

Up to the present, purchasers have been in the habit of notifying the city authorities that the property had changed hands so that notices of assessment and taxation should not go astray. This form of registration of owners has heretofore been deemed sufficient for city purposes, but owing to a recent decision the city council is advised by its solicitors to recognise these owners only who appear on the records of the Land Registry Office. Unfortunately a great many never register their deeds or agreements.

The North Vancouver Land and Improvement Company has received numerous assessment notices for 1912 for property which it has sold and which has since changed hands two or three times.

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The International Sunday School Lesson—Fourth Quarter. Lesson xiv. Dec. 31, 1911.

Review of the Fourth Quarter

There is a splendid stir and movement, cumulative in its interest in this epoch of two hundred years just covered, which fairly fascinates the reader. There is life and continuity in the narrative. Each event and person seems tributary to the whole. It is the picture o a nation at school. The term is seventy years. The discipline is severe, the training rigorous. The end is the correction of faith and conduct. The training of the exile results in a higher prizing of religion, temple, ritual and scripture. One plainly sees who helped and who hindered in this Divine evolution. This page is a mirror of Providence. God wanted His people exiled. They were to learn lessons in adversity, prosperity could never teach them, and not for thei rown sake only, but that through them, in hovel and palace alike, the true God might be made known among the heathen. After seventy years God wanted his people emancipated. Nebuchadnezzar and Cyrus were the merest instruments of a wonder-working Providence. "The King's heart is in the hand of the Lord, as brooks of water ,and He inclines it whither He will." This great undertaking ,the rebuilding of the temple, is substantial evidence of the thoroughness of the schooling of the exile. In spite of small resources, numerous enemies and a depressing environment, the seemingly impossible was cheerfully undertaken and triumphantly achieved. Union contributed to their strength. They gathered together as one man . The fate or a race of exiles trembles in the balance held in the hand of a capricious despot. How the irreversible decree shall be reversed is the problem. In the solution the destiny of the Hebrew nation is involved ,and with that also the Scripture, ritual, and hope of the Messiah. On the dark background of the plot the characters of the deliverers stand like white cameos in clear-cut outline and high relief. There is not in literature a more vivid word-picture than that which describes the last night in Babylon. Cyrus is at the gate, but the incident of a siege does not interfere with a banquett Balshazzar has planned. The revelers are sobered by the sight of a hand writing some mystic legend on the wall, which Daniel interprets as being the last page in Babylonian history. Ezra was a savior of Judaism. It was a crisis in the national life. Seventy years had passed since the return from captivity. Zerubbabel, the prince of Judah, had left the little colony in Jerusalem and gone back to Babylon, his birthplace, to end his days. The defences of Jerusalem were still unfinished. There was a sort of creeping paralysis of indifference in church and state. There was no enthusiasm, no sturdy faith. There was a widening gap between the nobles and rustics. Paganism was making subtle inroads. The days of the Hebrew state and religion were numbered. Then appeared the second "Moses." The nobility of Ezra's personal character and his worth to his nation can hardly be overestimated. He put an imprint upon his church which it bears to this day. And as Christianity is evolved from Judaism, Christianity itself may be said to bear to some extent the marks of the good "scribe." Study of this incident reveals Nehemiah as one of the most illustrtious examples of disinterested patriotism which history, sacred or profane, affords. He had a life tenure upon an office of high rank and many emoluments. He stood next to the monarch of the world. A palace was at his disposal ,with all its luxurious appointments. But for the sake of his countrymen he relinquished all. What enhances the deed is that it was done not in a burst of enthusiasm, but after a considerable period in which every element and phase of the situation was passed in review. The rebuilding of the wall was a great enterprise. The circumstances were unfavorable. Laborers were few and inexperienced. Enemies were many and crafty. Instead of a clean site there was a heap of rubbish. But the genius and zeal of Nehemiah were more than a match for such adverse conditions. His organizing and administrative ability were superb. Everybody was enlisted, working as families and guilds. There was good natured rivalry. The work was done in incredibly short time. The temple, after seventy years of exposure, was now safe from sacrilegious and plundering hands. Ezra's public reading of the law makes one of the most effective and picturesque scenes of the Bible. Fifty thousand listened in the great plaza in Jerusalem. Ezra stood upon a raised platform. At sight of the book of the law the people rose in token of their reverence. No doubt Ezra praised God that out of the wreck of the past this treasure had been preserved. All ears were attentive. Good listening was matched by good reading.

Young People's Devotional Service—December 31, 1911. Phil. 3:12-14.

Things I Want to do Better Next Year

One of the immortal sermons of the English pulpit is entitled, "Christian Progress by Oblivion of the Past." Memories of sins ,mistakes, misfortunes of the past are so many weights to be stripped off. Bulwer Lytton says tersely, "Drain off yesterday's ideas!" And Paul says, "Forget the things that are behind."

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Rev. J. Willard Litch, B.A. Baptist evangelist for B. C., will preach at the First Baptist Church Sunday at 11 a. m. The pastor will preach in the evening. Subject: "Mayors and morals or the moral responsibility of office." Sunday school at 2.30 p.m.

Amonk the recent arrivals in the city is Dr. McMane, who has taken offices in the Bank of Hamilton Buildings. The doctor is a graduate of Toronto University and of the Royal colleges of medicine and surgery, England, and prior to coming here practised for several years in Ontario.

Nothing could more elequently betoken the progress of the North Shore than the increased bulk of the Christmas mail this year, Whereas last year's business was handled by a staff of three, it has been found necessary this Yuletide to about double that number.

The closing exercises in connection with the North Lonsdale school, King road ,took place recently, Mr. T. S. Nye presiding. After the distribution of prizes to triumphant scholars, the following program was efficiently rendered:

Song, "Poor old Joe," by the choir; song, "Jingle Bells" by the choir; song, "The Three Crows," by the Choir; solo, "Uncle Tom Cobleigh," by F. W. Hicks; song, "Riding Down from Bangor," by the choir; duet, "Love was once a little boy," by the choir; song, "My Bonnie," the choir; song, "Kingdom Coming," by the choir; piano solo, Mrs. Simpson; accompanist, Mrs. F. W. Hicks.

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Canadian Verse

ACADIE.

By Arthur John Lockhart.

[Rev. Arthur John Lockhart, or as he is called "Pastor Felix," is a Methodist minister, and was born in Lockhartville, N.S., in 1850. "A Masque of Minstrels" (by himself and his brother), and "Beside the Narraguagas and Other Poems," are his best-known works. He has also contributed in prose to Burnsiana.]

Like mists that round a mountain gray
Hang for an hour, then melt away,
So I, and nearly all my race,
Have vanished from my native place.

Each haunt of boyhood's loves and dreams
More beautiful in fancy seems;
Yet if I to those scenes repair
I find I am a strangere there.

O thou beloved Acadie,
Sweet is thy charmed world to me!
Dull are these skies 'neath which I range,
And all the summer hills are strange.

Yet sometimes I discern thy gleam
In sparkles of the chiming stream;
And sometimes speaks thy haunting lore
The foam-wreathed sibyl of the shore.

And sometimes will mine eyes incline
To hill or wood that seems like thine;
Or, if the robin pipeth clear,
It is thy vernal note I hear.

And oft my heart will leap aflame
To deem I hear thee call my name,—
To see thy face with gladness shine,
And find the joy that once was mine.

Canadian Verse

THOSE FAR-OFF FIELDS.

By Constance Fairbanks.

[Miss Constance Fairbanks is a writer of magazine verse. She was born at Dartmouth, N.S., in 1866. She was co-editor of the works of Mrs. Lawson, the Nova Scotian authoress.]

Those far-off fields, how fair they seem,
As oft through mists of years they gleam!
We never now around us see
Such meads as those of olden be;
We never find a lake or stream
One half so lovely as we deem
Those which we only view in dream,
Watering the fields of memory—
Those far-off fields!

And we were happy then! The theme
Of our existence, love supreme:
And looking back on Fate's decree—
On all that happened you and me—
We sigh—for dear our souls esteem
Those far-off fields!

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BY-LAW NO 186

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $37,000.00 for school purposes.

WHEREAS the Board of Trustees of North Vancouver City School District under the provisions of Secttion 42 of the Public Schools Act, 1905, have prepared a detailed estimate of the sums required to meet special or extraordinary expenses legally incurrable by the Board during the year 1912 which estimate is as follows:

Estimate of Special or Extraordinary Expenditure for the year 1912.

School Buildings (completion of Ridgeway School, and extension of class room accommodation in Lonsdale School	$21,000
School Grounds Improvements. (Draining, ploughing, grading surfacing, fencing, sidewalks, etc.	5,000
Sewer connections	750
Erection of Fire Escapes and Installation of Fire Alarm Systems	2,500
Equipment (desks, black boards, window-blinds and general school furnishings and vacuum cleaning apparatus)	5,500
Sanitary drinking fountains	250
Expenses attendant upon passage of this by-law and sale of debentures	2,000
	$37,000.00

AND WHEREAS the said estimate was laid before the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver and duly considered by the said council and the said sums above mentioned were finally rejected and disapproved by the said Council on the fourteenth day of December ,1911.

AND WHEREAS the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver has since the rejection and disapproval of the said estimate, to wit:

On the eighteenth day of December, 1911, received from the Secretary of the said Board of School Trustees, a written request to submit for the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver, in the manner prescribed by Section 68 of the Municipal Clauses Act a By-Law authorizing the proposed expenditure and if necessary the raising of the moneys required to defray the same upon the credit of the Municipality

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the sum of Thirty-seven thousand dollars ($37,000.00) be provided by the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver for school purposes as aforesaid, the said sum to be applied as hereinafter expressed:

AND WHEREAS in order to provide said sum it will be necessary to issue debentures of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver for the sum of Thirty-seven thousand dollars ($37,000.00) as hereinafter provided (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law).

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of One thousand nine hundred and seven dollars and thirty-six cents ($1907.36), whereof One thousand six hundred and sixty-five dollars ($1665) is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures, and Two hundred and forty-two dollars and thirty-six cents ($242.36) to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment of the debt secured by the said debentures, the same being made payable in fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of One thousand nine hundred and seven dollars and thirty-six cents ($1907.36) for interest and sinking fund, an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on all the rateable real property in the said city.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said city, according to the last revised assessment roll is Ten million nine hundred and ninety thousand three hundred and seventy-one ($10,990,371) Dollars.

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is Nine hundred and three thousand, nine hundred and twenty dollars ($903,920), (excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arerar.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver with the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver duly obtained, enacts as follows

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Thirty-seven thousand ($37,000) Dollars, and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America, at North Vancouver, to the credit of the city for the purpose above recited, and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the city not exceeding in amount the sum of Thirty-seven thousand ($37,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One Thousand ($1,000) Dollars each, or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures, or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures coupons signed by the Mayor only for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped ,printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holders thereof, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the City at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the City and sufficient to pay the interest upon the said debentures, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls ,and shall be payable to and collected by the said corporation in the same way as other rates in the said roll or rolls, save as hereinbefore provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures the sum of One thousand six hundred and sixty-five ($1665) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon and the sum of Two Hundred and forty-two dollars and thirty-six cents ($242.36) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-Law and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to, and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law .

9. This By-law shall take effect on the day of 1912.

10. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Schools Extraordinary Expenditure Loan By-law, 1912."

Passed by the Council on the 28th day of December, 1911

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered and finally adopted signed by the Mayor and City Clerk, and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of

A. D., 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on The Schools Extraordinary Expenditure Loan By-law, 1912.

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 187

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $125,000.00 for Waterworks purposes.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the sum of One hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000.00) be provided for maintaining works for supplying water to the inhabitants of the City of North Vancouver to be applied as hereinafter expressed.

AND WHEREAS in order to provide said sum it will be necessary to issue debentures of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver for the sum of One hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000) as hereinafter provided (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law).

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (1-10) of the value (as shewn by the last revised Assessment Roll) of real property in the City of North Vancouver has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize the borrowing upon the credit of the City of One hundred and twenty-five thousand Dollars ($125,000) for the purpose aforesaid.

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each yea rduring the currency of such debentures the sum of six thousand four hundred and forty-three dollars and eighty cents ($6443.80), whereof Five thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars ($5625) is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures, and eight hundred and eighteen dollars and eighty cents ($818.80) is to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for payment of the debt secured by the said debentures, the same being made payable in fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of Six thousand four hundred and forty-three dollars and eighty cents ($6443.80) for interest and sinking fund ,an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on all the rateable real property in the said city.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said City, according to the last revised Assessment Roll is ($10,990,371.00) ten million nine hundred and ninety thousand three hundred and seventy-one Dollars.

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920) Dollars, (excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver (with the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver duly obtained) enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of One hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000) Dollars and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver ,to the credit of the City for the purpose above recited and such money shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the City not exceeding in amount the sum of One hundred and twenty-five thousand ($125,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act, in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One thousand ($1,000) Dollars each, or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures, or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures coupons signed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holders thereof, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the city at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the City and sufficient to pay the interest upon the said debentures, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as hereinafter provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures the sum of Five thousand six hundred and twenty-five ($5625) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of Eight hundred and eighteen dollars and eighty cents ($818.80) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law; and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to, and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. All moneys arising out of the annual special rate hereinbefore provided for sinking fund shall be invested by the Council of the said Corporation from time to time as the law directs.

9. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law.

10. This By-law shall take effect on the Sixteenth day of January, 1912.

11. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Waterworks Loan By-law ,1912."

Passed by the Council on the Twenty-eighth day of December, 1911.

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of 1912

Reconsidered by the council and finally adopted ,signed by the Mayor and City Clerk anl sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of 1912

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on The Waterworks Loan By-law, 1912,

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 188

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $75,000 for constructing a storage reservoir at Rice Lake.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient in order to operate and maintain works for supplying water to the inhabitants of the City of North Vancouver that a storage reservoir be constructed at Rice Lake.

AND WHEREAS in order thereto it will be necessary to issue debentures of the City of North Vancouver for the sum of seventy-five thousand ($75,000) Dollars as hereinafter provided (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law) the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied to the construction of said storage reservoir at Rice Lake and to no other:

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (1-10) of the value of real property in the City of North Vancouver (as shown by the last revised Assessment Roll) has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize the borrowing of Seventy-five thousand ($75,000) Dollars for the purpose aforesaid.

AND WHERSAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of Three thousand eight hundred and sixty-six dollars and thirty cents ($3866.30), whereof Three thousand three hundred and seventy-five ($3375) Dollars is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures, and four hundred and ninety-one dollars and thirty cents ($491.30) to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment of the debt secured by the said debentures the same besng made payable in fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of Three thousand eight hundred and sixty-six dollars, and thirty cents ($3866.30) for interest and sinking fund, an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on all the rateable real property in the said city.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said City according to the last revised assessment roll is $10,990,371 (ten million nine hundred and ninety thousand three hundred and seventy one dollars.

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920) Dollars, (excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver, with the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver duly obtained ,enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation, a sum of money not exceedeing in the whole the sum of Seventy-five thousand ($75,000) Dollars, and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver, to the credit of the City for the purposes above recited ,and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the City not exceeding in amount the sum of Seventy-five thousand ($75,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk, in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired but not exceeding One thousand ($1,000) Dollars each or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures, or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures coupons signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped ,printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holder thereof, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the City at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the City and sufficient to pay the interest upon the said debentures, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as hereinafter provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures, the sum of Three thousand three hundred and seventy-five ($3375) dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of Four hundred and ninety-one dollars and thirty cents ($491.30) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentues shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law ,and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder ,until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. All moneys arising out of the annual special rate hereinbefore provided for sinking fund shall be invested by the Council of the said Corporation from time to time as the law directs.

9. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law.

10. This By-law shall take effect on the Sixteenth day of January, 1912.

11. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Rice Lake Reservoir Loan By-law, 1912."

Passed by the council on the 28th day of December, 1911.

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered by the council and finally adopted ,signed bythe Mayor and City Clerk ,and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of 1912.

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THOMAS SHEPHEPD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on The Rice Lake Reservoir Loan By-law, 1912,

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 189

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $50,000 for the purpose of making, preserving, improving and repairing roads and streets in the City including the construction of new sidewalks.

WHEREAS the general revenue is insufficient to meet the expenditure necessary for the purpose of making, preserving, improving and repairing roads and streets in the City of North Vancouver including the construction of new sidewalks.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable and deemed expedient that the sum of Fifty Thousand ($50,000) Dollars be expended by the City for the purpose aforesaid

AND WHEREAS in order thereto it will be necessary to issue debentures of the City of North Vancouver for the sum of Fifty Thousand ($50,000) Dollars as hereinafter provided, (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law)the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied to the said purposes and to no other.

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (1-10) of the value of real property in the City of North Vancouver (as shown by the last revised Assessment Roll) has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize the borrowing of the sum of Fifty thousand ($50,000) Dollars for the purpose aforesaid.

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred and seventy seven Dollars and fifty-five cents ($2577.55), whereof Two Thousand two hundred and fifty ($2250) dollars is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the curency of said debentures and Three hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty-five cents ($327.55) to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment of the debt secured by the said debentures, the same being made payable in fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of Two thousand five hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty-five cents ($2577.55) for interest and sinking fund, an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on all the rateable real property in the said City.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said City according to the last revised assessment roll is Ten million nine hundred and ninety thousand, three hundred and seventy one dollars ($10,990,371).

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920) Dollars (excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver, with the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver duly obtained, enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Fifty Thousand ($50,000) Dollars, and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver, to the credit of the City for the purpose above recited and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the city not exceeding in amount the sum of Fifty thousand ($50,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in term sof the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One thousand ($1,000) dollars each or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum, payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures coupons signed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holders thereof and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the city at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the city and sufficient to pay the interest upon the said debentures, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as hereinafter provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures the sum of Two thousand two hundred and fifty ($2250) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of Three hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty-five cents ($327.55) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder until the proceeds of the sale of the debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. All moneys arising out of the annual special rate hereinbefore provided for sinking fund shall be invested by the Council of the said Corporation from time to time as the law directs.

9. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law.

10. This By-law shall take effect on the Sixteenth day of January, 1912

11. This By-law shall be cited for all purposes as "The Streets Maintenance Loan By-law, 1912."

Passed by the council on the 28th day of December, 1911.

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered by the Council and finally adopted, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on The Streets Maintenance Loan By-law, 1912,

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 190

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of Twenty-five thousand ($25,000) Dollars for the purpose of maintaining and equipping the Fire Department.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient in the interest of the City to borrow Twenty-Five thousand ($25,000) Dollars for the purpose of maintaining and equipping the Fire Brigade, same being an expenditure necessary for the assistance of the Fire Department of the City.

AND WHEREAS in order thereto it will be necessary to issue debentures of the City of North Vancouver for the sum of Twenty-Five thousand ($25,000) Dollars as hereinafter provided (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law) the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied to the said purposes and no other;

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (1-10) the value of real property in the City of North Vancouver (as shown by the last revised Assessment Roll) has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize the borrowing upon the credit of the city the sum of Twenty-five thousand ($25,000) Dollar sfor the purpose as aforesaid.

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of One thousand two hundred and eighty-eight dollars and seventy-six cents ($1,288.76), whereof One thousand one hundred and twenty-five dollars ($1125) Dollars is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures ,and One hundred and sixty-three dollars and seventy-six cents ($163.76) to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment of the debt secured by the said debentures the same being made payable in fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of One thousand two hundred and eighty-eight dollars and seventy-six cents ($1288.76) for interest and sinking fund, an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on all the rateable real property in the said city.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said City according to the last revised Assessment Roll is $10,990,371 (ten million nine rundred and ninety thousand, three hundred and seventy-one dollars).

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars ($903,920). (excepting for works of local improvement and for School purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver, with the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver duly obtained, enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Twenty-five thousand ($25,000) Dollars, and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver to the credit of the City for the purpose above recited ,and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the City not exceeding in amount the sum of Twenty-five thousand ($25,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One thousand ($1,000) Dollars each, or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures, or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures, coupons signed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the hoders thereof, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the City at a date not later tnan fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the city and sumcient to pay the interest upon the said debentures, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due ,subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collectors' Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as the other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as hereinafter provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures the sum of One thousand one hundred and twenty-five ($1125) Dollars to provide for the payment of the interest thereon, and the sum of One hundred and sixty-three dollars and seventy-six cents ($163.76) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this by-law as above set out.

8. All moneys arising out of the annual special rate hereinbefore provided for sinking fund shall be invested by the Council of the said Corporation from time to time as the law directs.

9. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law.

10. This By-law shall take effect on the 16th day of January, 1912.

11. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Fire Brigade Assistance By-Law, 1912."

Passed by the Council on the 28th day of December, 1911.

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered by the Council and finally adopted, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on

The Fire Brigade Assistance By-law, 1912,

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER — INCORPORATED 1907 — INDUSTRY — PROGRESS.

BY-LAW NO. 193

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000) Dollars for the purpose of erecting a wharf and warehouse at Chesterfield Avenue street end.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient in the interest of the City to erect a wharf and warehouse at Chesterfield Avenue street end for the storage of municipal supplies.

AND WHEREAS in order thereto it will be necessary to issue debentures of the City of North Vancouver for the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000) Dollars as hereinafter provided which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law) the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied to the said purposes and to no other:

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (1-10) the value of real property in the City of North Vancouver (as shown by the last revised assessment roll) has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize them to borrow the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000) Dollars for the purpose aforesaid:

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of Five hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty-one cents ($515.51) whereof Four hundred and fifty ($450) Dollars is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures and Sixty-five dollars and fifty-one cents ($65.51) to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment of the debt secured by the said debentures the same being made payable in fifty years from the first day of eSptember, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of Five hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty-one cents ($515.51) for interest and sinking fund an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on all the rateable real property in the said City.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said City according to the last revised Assessment Roll is Ten million nine hundred and ninety thousand, three hundred and seventy-one ($10,990,371) Dollars.

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920), (excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear.

WHEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver, with the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver duly obtained, enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000) Dollars, and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver to the credit of the City for the purpose above recited, and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the city not exceeding in amount the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One thousand ($1,000) Dollars each, or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The Debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures, or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures, coupons signed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holders thereof, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the city at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the City and sufficient to pay the interest upon the said debentures, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as hereinafter provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures the sum of Two hundred and twenty-five ($225) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of Thirty-two dollars and seventy-six cents ($32.76) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law, and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. All moneys arising out of the annual special rate hereinbefore provided for sinking fund shall be invested by the Council of the said Corporation from time to time as the law directs.

9. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law.

10. This By-law shall take effect on the sixteenth day of January, 1912.

11. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Chesterfield Avenue Wharf By-law, 1912."

Passed by the Council on the 28th day of December, 1911.

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for this purpose on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered by theCouncil and finally adopted, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on

The Chesterfield Avenue Wharf By-law, 1912,

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER — INCORPORATED 1907 — INDUSTRY — PROGRESS.

BY-LAW NO. 191

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $5,000.00 to lay out and embellish a portion of the public Cemetery.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the sum of Five thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) be provided for the purpose of regulating the Public Cemetery in District Lot No. 1620, North Vanvouver, by laying out and embellishing a portion of such cemetery.

AND WHEREAS in order to provide said sum it will be necessary to issue debentures of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver for the sum of *Five Thousand Dollars $(5,000.00)* as hereinafter provided (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law).

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (1-10) of the value of real property in *the City of North Vancouver* (as shown by the last revised Assessment Roll), has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize the borrowing upon the credit of the City of the sum of Five Thousand ($5,000) Dollars for the purpose aforesaid.

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures *proposed* to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of Two hundred and fifty-seven dollars and seventy-six cents ($257.76) whereof Two Hundred and twenty-five ($225) Dollars is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures and thirty-two dollars and seventy-six cents ($32.76) to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment of the debt secured by the said debentures the same being made payable in fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of Two hundred and fifty-seven dollars and seventy-six cents ($257.76) for interest and sinking fund an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on al *lthe rateable real property* in the said City.

AND WREREAS the whole rateable real property in the said City according to the last revised assessment roll is ten million nine hundred and ninety thousand, three hndred and seventy-one ($10,990,371) Dollars.

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is Nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920), (excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arerar.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver with the assent of the electors of the City of North Vancouver duyl obtained, enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Five thousand ($5,000) Dollars and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver to the credit of the City for the purpose above recited, and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the City not exceeding in amount the sum of Five Thousand ($5,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One Thousand ($1,000) Dollars each, or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The Debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures coupons signed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holders thereof, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the City at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the City and sufficient to pay the interest upon the said debentures, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as hereinbefore provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures the sum of *Two hundred and twenty-five* ($225) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of Thirty-two dollars and seventy six cents ($32.76) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law, and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this by-law as above set out.

8. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law.

9. This By-law shall take effect on the 16th day of January, 1912.

10. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Lanes Loan By-law, 1912."

Passed by the Council on the 28th day of December, 1911

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered by the Council and finally adopted, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on

The Lanes Loan By-law, 1912,

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER — INCORPORATED 1907 — INDUSTRY — PROGRESS.

BY-LAW NO. 192

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $5,000.00 to open and rough grade lanes in the City.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the sum of Five thousand Dollars ($5,000) be provided for the purpose of *opening lanes in the City and improving* such lanes by rough grading same the said sum to be applied as hereinafter expressed.

AND WHEREAS in order to provide said sum it will be necessary to issue debentures of the Corporation of the *City of North Vancouver* for the sum of Five thousand Dollars ($5,000) as hereinafter provided (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law.

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth 1-10) of the value of real property in the City of North Vancouver (as shown by the last revised Assessment Roll) has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize the borrowing of the sum of Five thousand ($5,000) Dollars for the purpose aforesaid.

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be used under this by-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of Two hundred and fifty-seven dollars and seventy-six cents ($257.76) whereof *Two* hundred and twenty-five ($225) Dollars is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures, and thirty-two dollars and seventy-six cents ($32.76) *to be raised annually for the* purpose of creating a sinking fund for payment of the debt secured by the said debentures the same being made payable in fifty years from the *first day of September, 1911.*

AND WHEREAS in orger to raise the said yearly sum of Two hundred and fifty-seven dollars and seventy-six cents ($257.76) for interest and sinking fund, an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on all the rateable real property in the said city.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable *real property in the said city, according* to the last revised assessment roll is Ten million nine hundred and ninety nine thousand three hundred and seventy one dollars ($10,990,371).

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920) Dollars (excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver, with the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver duly obtained, enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Five thousand ($5,000) Dollars, and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver to the credit of the City for the purpose above recited, and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the City not exceeding in amount the sum of Five Thousand ($5,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One Thousand ($1,000) Dollars each, or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The Debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures coupons signed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holders thereof, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the City at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the City and sufficient to pay the interest upon the said debentures and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as hereinbefore provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures the sum of *Two hundred and twenty-five* ($225) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of Thirty-two dollars and seventy six cents ($32.76) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to, and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law.

9. This By-law shal ltake effect on the 16th day of January, 1912.

10. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Parks Loan By-law, 1912."

Passed by the Council on the 28th day of December, 1911

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of January, 1912.

Reconsidered by the Council and finally adopted, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on

The Parks Loan By-law, 1912,

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER — INCORPORATED 1907 — INDUSTRY — PROGRESS.

BY-LAW NO. 194

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $15,000 to lay out a portion of Mahon Park in the City of North Vancouver.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient in the interest of the city to cause to be laid out for the recreation and enjoyment of the public a portion of *Mahon Park in the City of North Vancouver.*

AND WHEREAS in order thereto it will be necessary to issue debentures of the City of North Vancouver for *the sum of Fifteen Thousand ($15,000)* Dollars as hereinafter provided, which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law, the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied *to the said purposes and to no* other.

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (1-10) of the value of real property in the said city of North Vancouver (as shown by the last revised Assessment Roll) has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver, requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize the borrowing of the sum of Fifteen thousand ($15,000) Dollars, to lay out a portion of Mahon Park in the City of North Vancouver in such manner as may be most convenient and suitable for the enjoyment and recreation of the public

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the *payment of the said debentures* when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of seven hundred and seventy-three dollars and twenty-six cents ($773.26), whereof six hundred and seventy-five ($675) Dollars is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures and ninety-eight dollars and twenty-six cents ($98.26) to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for payment of the debt secured by the said debentures, the same being made payable in fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of seven hundred and seventy-three dollars and twenty six cents ($773.26) for interest and sinking fund, an equal special rate on the dollar will be required on all rateable real property in the said city.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said City (according to the last revised assessment roll) is $10,990,371 (ten million nine hundred and ninety thousand, three hundred and seventy-one) dollars.

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920) Dollars (excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Cornoration of the City of North Vancouver, with the assent of *the City of North Vancouver duly obtained*, enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful fo rthe Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the *Corporation a sum of* money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Fifteen thousand ($15,000) Dollars and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North *America at North Vancouver, to the* credit of the City for the purpose above recited, and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the City not exceeding in amount the sum of Fifteen thousand ($15,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One thousand ($1,000) Dollars each or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the *pound sterling. Each of the said de*bentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per an*num payable half yeaarly on the first* day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures or any of them. There shall be at*tached to the debentures coupons sign*ed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed *or lithographed thereon.*

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value *of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at* such place or places in Great Britain United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and *the holders thereof*, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the City at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real *property in the City and sufficient to* pay the interest upon the said debentures and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or *enactment respecting the same.* Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other *rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save* as hereinbeore provided.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised an*nually by special rate during the cur*rency of the said debentures the sum of six hundred and seventy-five ($675) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of nine*ty-eight dollars and twenty-six cents* ($98.26) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and *not otherwise:*

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to, and all expenses connected *with the said loan.*

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under *this By-law.*

9. This By-law shal ltake effect on the 16th day of January, 1912.

10. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Parks Loan By-law, 1912."

Passed by the Council on the 28th day of December, 1911

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an *election for the purpose on the* day of January, 1912.

Reconsidered by the Council and finally adopted, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and sealed with the *Corporate Seal on the* day of 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

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THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on

The Parks Loan By-law, 1912,

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,
WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

EDUCATIONAL

Miss Isabel M. Daun, licentiate of the Royal Academy of Music, London, England, teacher of pianoforte, visits North Vancouver every week. Address 199 Beach Avenue, Vancouver. Phone 8701R Seymour. 25-1

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NORTH VANCOUVER — INCORPORATED 1907 — INDUSTRY — PROGRESS.

BY-LAW NO. 195

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $15,000 to construct a subway.

WHEREAS by order No. 14877 the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada ordered the City of North Vancouver to construct a foot sub-way under the Canadian Pacific Railway tracks connecting Columbia Avenue in the City of Vancouver with the North Vancouver Ferry Wharf.

AND WHEREAS by said order it was also directed that the City of North Vancouver bear and pay the expense of constructing the said subway and be repaid twenty per cent. (20 p.c.) of the cost thereof, not to exceed the sum of Five thousand $5,000) Dollars by the government out of the Railway Grade Crossing Fund and that fifty per cent. (50 p.c.) of the remainder of such cost be paid by the City of Vancouver to the City of North Vancouver.

AND WHEREAS it is estimated that the share to be borne by the City of North Vancouver of the expense of constructing the said subway will be fifteen thousand ($15,000) Dollars.

AND WHEREAS in order to provide the necessary moneys therefor it will be necessary to issue debentures of the City of North Vancouver for the *sum of Fifteen thousand ($15,000) Dol*lars as hereinafter provided (which is the amount of the debt intended to be created by this By-law) the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied *to the said purpose and to no other.*

AND WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (1-10) of the value of real property in the City of North Vancouver (as shown by the last revised Assessment Roll) has been presented to the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver requesting them to introduce a By-law to authorize the borrowing of the sum of Fifteen thousand ($15,000) Dollars for the purpose aforesaid.

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates, each year during the currency of such debentures the sum of Seven hundred and seventy-three dollars and twenty-six cents ($773.26), whereof Six hundred and seventy-five ($675) Dollars is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures, and Ninety-eight dollars and twenty-six cents ($98.26) is to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment of the debt secured by the said debentures the same being payable in fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise *the said yearly sum of Seven hundred* and seventy-three dollars and twenty-six cents ($773.26) for interest and sinking fund, an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied *on all the rateable real property in* the said City.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said City, according to the last revised assessment roll is $10,990,371 (ten million nine hundred and ninety thousand three hun*dred and seventy-one dollars).*

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is Nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920) Dollars (excepting for works of local improvement and for school *purposes*) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver, with the assent of *the Electors of the City of North Van*couver duly obtained, enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and the City Clerk for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan *from any person or persons, body or* bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation, a sum of mon*ey not exceeding in the whole the* sum of Fifteen thousand ($15,000) Dollars, and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver, to the *credit of the City for the purpose* above recited, and such moneys shall be used for that purpose only.

2. Debentures of the City not exceeding in amount the sum of Fifteen thousand ($15,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk *in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act* in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding One thousand ($1,000) Dollars each or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United King*dom of Great Britain and Ireland at* the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk *shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal* of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum, payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures coupons signed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at *such place or places in Great Britain*, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holders thereof, and the said principal *sum shall be made payable by the* City at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the *currency of the said debentures a spe*cial rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the City and sufficient to *pay the interest upon the said deben*tures, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal there*of when due, subject to any act of* enactment respecting the same. Such *special rate shall be inserted in the* Collector's Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as *hereinafter provided.*

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid, there shall be raised annually by special rate during the *currency of the said debentures, the* sum of six hundred and seventy-five ($675) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of Ninety-eight dollars and twenty-six *cents ($98.26) for the repayment of the* principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows, and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law, and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to and all expenses connected with the said loan.

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder until the proceeds of

the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. All moneys arising out of the annual special rate hereinbefore provided for sinking fund shall be invested by the Council of the said Corporation from time to time as the law directs.

9. No rebate shall be allowed on the special rates to be levied under this By-law.

10. This By-law shall take effect on the sixteenth day of January, 1912.

11. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Ferry Subway Loan By-law, 1912."

Passed by the Council on the 28th day of December ,1911.

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered by the Council and finally adopted, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of A.D., 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on

The Ferry Subway Loan By-Law, 1912.

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,

WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 196

A BY-LAW to enable the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver to raise by way of loan the sum of $12,000 for the purpose of making a loan of that amount to the North Vancouver Horticultural Association and Farmers' Institute.

WHEREAS a petition signed by the owners of more than one-tenth (-10) the value of real property in the City has been presented to the City council *requesting them to introduce* a By-law to authorize them to borrow the sum of Twelve thousand ($12,000) Dollars to be used for the purpose of making a loan of that amount to the North Vancouver Horticultural Association and Farmers' Institute to enable them to pay off certain debts existing on their exhibition hall and grounds and to further improve their property.

AND WHEREAS the said North Vancouver Horticultural Association and Farmers' Institute hold their exhibitions on Lot one (1) block two hundred and seven (207), District Lot Five hundred and forty-five)545) within the *limits of the City of North Vancouver.*

AND WHEREAS the said loan will be secured by a first mortgage in favor of the City Corporation to be granted by the said Association and Institute over Lot one (1), of Block two hundred and seven (207), of District Lot Five hundred and forty-five (545) of the said City, which mortgage will contain the usual covenants and an obligation on the part of the said Association and Institute to pay the City Corporation the sum or sums necessary to provide yearly the interest and sinking fund on the said loan.

AND WHEREAS for the payment of interest on the debentures proposed to be issued under this By-law, and for creating a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures when due, it will be necessary to raise by special rate in addition to all other rates each year during the currency of such debentures if not provided and paid by the said Association and Institute the sum of Six hundred and eighteen dollars and sixty-two cents ($618.62) whereof Five hundred and forty dollars ($540) is to be raised annually for the payment of interest during the currency of said debentures ,and Seventy-eight dollars and sixty-two cents ($78.62) to be raised annually for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the payment of the debt secured by the said debentures the same being made payable in fifty years rom the first day of September, 1911.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the said yearly sum of Six hundred and eighteen dollars and sixty-two cents ($618.62) for interest and sinking fund, an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on all the rateable real property in the said city.

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable real property in the said city according to the last revised assessment roll is Ten million nine hundred and ninety-*thousand, three hundred and seven*ty-one ($10,990,371) Dollars.

AND WHEREAS the aggregate of the existing debenture debt of the Corporation is Nine hundred and three thousand nine hundred and twenty ($903,920) Dollars ,(excepting for works of local improvement and for school purposes) of which none of the principal or interest is in arrear.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of North Vancouver with the assent of the Electors in the City of North Vancouver duly obtained, enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of North Vancouver and *the City Clerk* for the purpose aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned of the Corporation ,a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Twelve thousand ($12,000) Dollars and to cause the same to be placed in the Bank of British North America at North Vancouver to the credit of the City for the purpose above cited and such moneys shall be used for that purpose.

2. Debentures of the City not exceeding in amount the sum of Twelve thousand ($12,000) Dollars may be issued by the said Mayor and City Clerk in terms of the Municipal Clauses Act in sums as may be desired, but not exceeding $1,000 (One thousand dollars) each, or the equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling. Each of the said debentures shall be signed by the said Mayor and City Clerk and the City Clerk shall affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the said City of North Vancouver.

3. The debentures shall bear date the first day of September, 1911, and *shall bear interest at the rate of four* and one-half (4½) per cent. per annum payable half yearly on the first day of March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures or any of them. There shall be attached to the debentures coupons signed by the Mayor only, for each and every payment of interest that may become due, and such signature may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed thereon.

4. The said debentures as to principal and interest may be made payable either in currency or its equivalent in pounds sterling at the value of $4.86 2-3 to the pound sterling at such place or places in Great Britain, United States of America or the Dominion of Canada as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the holders thereof, and the said principal sum shall be made payable by the City at a date not later than fifty years from the first day of September, 1911.

5. During the whole term of the currency of the said debentures a special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable real property in the City and sufficient to pay the interest upon the said debentures and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, subject to any act or enactment respecting the same. Such special rate shall be inserted in the Collector's Roll or Rolls, and shall be payable to and collected by the said Corporation in the same way as other rates in the said Roll or Rolls, save as hereinafter provides.

6. In order to provide for the rates set out in paragraph (5) and subject as aforesaid ,there shall be raised annually by special rate during the currency of the said debentures the sum of Five hundred and forty ($540) Dollars to provide for the payment of interest thereon, and the sum of seventy-eight dollars and sixty-two cents ($78.62) for the repayment of the principal thereof.

7. The proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied as follows and not otherwise:

(a) In payment of the cost of the passing of this By-law, and the issue and sale of the debentures therein referred to and all expenses connected with the said loan

(b) In recouping the said Corporation for such sums as have been expended hereunder until the proceeds of the sale of the said debentures becomes available.

(c) To carry out the purposes of this By-law as above set out.

8. All moneys arising out of the annual special rate hereinbefore provided for sinking fund shall be invested by the Council of the said Corporation from time to time as the law directs.

9. No rebate shall be allowed on *the special rates to be levied under* this By-law.

10. This By-law shall take effect on the 16th day of January, 1912.

11. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "The North Vancouver Horticultural Association and Farmers' Institute Aid By-law, 1912."

Passed by the Council on the 29th day of December, 1911.

Received the assent of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver at an election for the purpose on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered by the Council and finally adopted, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk, and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of A.D., 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on

The North Vancouver Horticultural Association and Farmers' Institute Aid By-Law, 1912.

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council,

WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

BY-LAW NO 197

A BY-LAW to provide for the disposal of a portion of Mahon Park to the King in the right of the Dominion of Canada for the purpose of allowing an armory and drill hall to be constructed thereon and for Military purposes.

WHEREAS it is proposed to organize a company of Militia Field Engineers with headquarters at the City of North Vancouver:

AND WHEREAS the Govenment of the Dominion of Canada have sanctioned such organization and are prepared to construct an armory and drill hall for the accommodation thereof on condition that the City of North Vancouver will supply a suitable site therefor.

AND WHEREAS the most suitable and central site available is the south east corner of Mahon Park as hereinafter described, same being a portion of said Park not required for park or other corporate purposes.

AND WHEREAS the grantors of Mahon Park to the City of North Vancouver are desirous that the city should dispose of its right in the proposed site to the King in the right of the Dominion of Canada for the purposes above mentioned.

AND WHEREAS it is advisable in the interest of the city that such disposal should be made.

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the City of North Vancouver with the assent of the electors of the City of North Vancouver and the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council enacts as follows:

1. The City of North Vancouver hereby agrees to grant to the King in the right of the Dominion of Canada the following described lands and premises situate, lying and being in the City of North Vancouver and being more particularly known and described as that portion of Mahon Park so called bounded and described as follows that is to say:

Commencing at the intersection of the northerly boundary of Fifteenth street with the westerly boundary of Forbes Avenue thence westerly along said northerly boundary of Fifteenth street two hundred (200) feet thence northerly and parallel to said westerly boundary of Forbes Avenue three hundred and eighty (380) feet more or less to the westerly production of the northerly boundary of sixteenth street thence easterly along said production of said northerly boundary of sixteenth street one hundred and fifty (150) feet thence northerly at right angles to said northerly boundary of sixteenth street two hundred and fifty (250) feet, thence easterly and parallel to said northerly boundary of sixteenth street two hundred and fifty (25) feet thence southerly two hundred and fifty (250) feet to the point on the said northerly boundary of sixteenth street distant easterly thereon two hundred (200) feet from the intersection of said northerly boundary of sixteenth street with the westerly boundary of Forbes avenue thence westward along said northerly boundary of sixteenth street two hundred (200) feet to the westerly boundary of Forbes Avenue thence southerly along said westerly boundary of Forbes avenue three hundred and eighty (380) feet more or less to the point of commencement containing by admeasurement three and eighteen one-hundredths (3.18) acres be the same more or less to be used by the King in the right of the Dominion of Canada for the construction of an armory and drill hall and for militia and military purposes.

2. The Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to make, execute and deliver a conveyance on behalf of and in the name of the City of North Vancouver to the King in the righ tof the Dominion of Canada of all the right, title and interest of the said City of North Vancouver in and to the said premises and to attach the Seal of the said City of North Vancouver to the said conveyance.

3. This By-law shall come in force on receiving the assent of the Electors in manner provided by the Municipal Clauses Act and on approval by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and on registration in due course as provided by law.

4. This By-law may be cited as the "Drill Hall Site Conveyance By-law, 1911."

Passed by the Council on the 28th day of December, 1911.

Received the assent of the electors of the City of North Vancouver on the day of 1912.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the day of 1912.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of North Vancouver will be taken within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., on Thursday, the Eleventh day of January, A.D., 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m.

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk and Returning Officer.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the City of North Vancouver will be taken on Thursday ,the Eleventh day of January, 1912, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. on

The Drill Hall Site Conveyance By-law, 1912.

and that within the City Hall, North Vancouver, B. C., and that Thomas Shepherd has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such Electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council.

WM. McNEISH,
Mayor.
THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk.

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city of North Vancouver will be brought near to the centre of things by the construction of the tunnel under the First Narrows at the entrance of Vancouver harbor. The Burrard Inlet Tunnel and Bridge Company hold the charter for the construction of this tunnel and will probably proceed with the work when the Second Narrows bridge is completed. Eastward again beyond the Seymour ,reaching to the North Arm of Burrard Inlet is another promising district, which is being rapidly opened up.

Thirty years ago Moodyville was the only inhabited portion of North Vancouver. In those days lumber-laden ships sailed to all parts of the world from Moodyville. The population wa s cosmopolitan and constantly changing—sailors from every country on the globe, loggers and mill hands, kept things lively round the old Moodyville hotel. The Hastings mill, on the other side of the Inlet, was practically the only other settlement on Burrard Inlet at that time. Now the old mill at Moodyville is silent, deserted, but all around, west north and east, a great city is rapidly springing into life.

When the district of North Vancouver was first formed great difficulties had to be faced. For years the assessment showed no increase and money could not be borrowed for improvements. Then the tide turned. Roads were constructed, a ferry service started, the city of North Vancouver was formed out of the central part of the municipality. The B. C. Electric Railway was given a franchise and built several miles of street railway in what was then a very sparsely populated city. Those lines have since been extended into the Seymour and Capilano Valleys.

The "single tax" system so called of Vancouver has come in for a good deal of notice lately. But it should not be forgotten that North Vancouver has never had any other system, and Vancouver merely had the good sense to imitate her more up-to-date neighbor to the north. It is, however, a very misleading term, as it has nothing in common with the "single tax" system advocated by Henry George. In Vancouver it used to denote the fact that the land, and not the improvements, is assessed for municipal taxation. It is a good enough system, and has the merit of simplicity but cannot possibly work the wonders that are claimed for it in some quarters. The chief advantage seems to be that in the cities in Australia and elsewhere, where it has been in force for some time it tends to increase the number of cheap buildings, and these are crowded together, three and four on a lot. This system is not necessarily good for any one city all the time, nor for all other cities any of the time.

Much has been heard of late of the great harbor improvements going on up and down the Pacific coast, in anticipation of the opening of the Panama Canal, and Vancouver has been urged not to be behind in the race. But it should not be forgotten that not a single port north of Panama, not even San Francisco, has the natural advantages of Vancouver, and no port can so quickly prepare for any increase in the shipping business. The first necessity is to begin the widening of the First Narrows; then by bridging the Second Narrows and building a railroad along the North Shore of the harbor the amount of waterfront available for industrial and shipping purposes is at once doubled, and at the same time Vancouver gets a direct railroad towards the Peace River country. Building additional wharves, and where necessary deepening the fairway up to them is a very different matter from building enormous breakwaters, as is the case in Los Angeles where there is no natural harbor, or dredging out great waterways as in the case of Seattle and Tacoma.

However, in anticipation of the Second Narrows bridge and a railway along the harbor front on the north shore, extensive plans have already been made for the improvement of the waterfront of District Lots 265, 266 and 264, lying between the First Narrows and the Indian Mission, which is situated on the waterfront in the centre of the city of North Vancouver. The owners have let contracts covering the whole front of District Lot 265, and work is to begin in February, 1912. When all this work is completed at a cost of several million doillars, miles of waterfrontage will be provided sufficient to handle all the shipping coming to Vancouver harbor for years to come, and providing ideal sites for dry docks, ship yards, mills, elevators and every kind of industrial undertaking.

It is to be hoped that the civic authorities of North Vancouver will lose no time in buying the Indian Mission, which is situated in the centre of the city. When railroad communication is opened up, and the city is thereby enabled to emerge from its present chrysalis state of a somewhat inaccessible suburb of Vancouver into the full throbbing life of a great industrial city, the Mission Reserve is bound to become the Hub, geographically and actually, of the city. The forty-odd acres composing it will give ample room for all the municipal and other public buildings necessary and the waterfront will provide frontage for municipal wharves.

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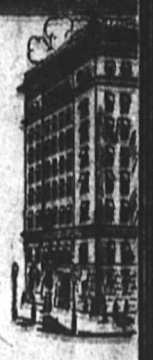

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