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ALBERTA WATERWAY

Argument in Important Case Heard at Ottawa.

QUESTIONS LEGALITY OF ACT

Aftermath of Confiscation of Over Seven Millions by the Sifton Government.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—The government today is hearing argument in the application for disallowance of the act of the Alberta legislature under which the province assumed seven million dollars placed on deposit in connection with the Alberta & Great Waterways railway project. At today's hearing the bondholders are represented by Eugene Lafaluer, K.C., the Royal bank, in which the sum of $7,400,000 was placed on deposit, is represented by Hector McInnes, K.C., of Halifax, and A. J. Brown, K.C.; J. H. Moss, K.C., appeared for the railway company, and W. R. Clark, who promoted the scheme. Premier A. L. Sifton and G. A. Masten, K.C., are here for the province of Alberta.

It will be remembered that the contract of the Rutherford government with the Alberta & Great Waterways company led to the breaking up of the provincial cabinet and the subsequent disposition of Premier Rutherford. The Sifton ministry cancelled the contract with the railway company and put through an act by which the money left on deposit became part of the provincial revenues. Appeal to the Dominion government to disallow the Alberta act is based upon the contention that the legislation destroys enterprises and confiscates property of bondholders who put up $7,000,000 odd.

The Alberta government sets up the reply that the original contract was not in the public interest, that the company defaulted in payment of interest on the bonds, the interest being subsequently paid by the province, and that the act of the legislature was wholly within its jurisdiction. The original contract for the railway was from Edmonton to Fort McMurray. The province guaranteed bonds of the company and the money was deposited and the proceeds of the bonds was to have been paid out as construction proceeded. The appeal was heard today by the minister of justice, Premier Borden and Hon. Mr. Hazen, Hon. Mr. Carruthers and the Hon. Mr. Cochrane.

Los Angeles Fire.

Los Angeles, Jan. 4.—Fire early today in the garage of the Automobile Clearing House association, near the business centre of Los Angeles, caused damage estimated at $50,000. Twenty autos were destroyed. The cause was unknown.

LYNCH DISCUSSES LIBRARY AND PARKS

Park By-Law Was Not Proposed for Queen's Park Alone—Library Now Up to Date.

Alderman Lynch and two or three of the candidates for the council spoke at Alderman Bryson's meeting Wednesday night. Mr. Lynch said that last year was his first in the council, and it took time for anyone to get into the swing of the business of any department. For himself, he had been given the parks and library. These were departments that had no revenue coming in, and so lost something in glamor, but he thought that they had done very well during 1911. A good deal more work had been carried through than there had been formerly. He explained in full the $35,000 park by-law, as he had done before at the public meeting at the city hall, and showed how mistaken was the idea that all the money was wanted for Queen's Park. His plan for turning part of Moody Square into a recreation park he also explained, stating that the cost would be somewhere between $8,000 and $10,000.

As for the library, the last year was the first for three years that any new books had been bought. In 1911, however, $500 had been spent, and now there was an up-to-date collection of fiction and classica literature, and a complete set of encyclopedias. If elected this year, he hoped that he would be given a place on that much criticised body, the board of works. Every time they had brought in their report during the last year he had asked them what they were doing east of Sixth street. If he had anything to do with it this year, he would see that a good deal was done east of that street.

Mr. Hardman, who spoke later, stated in reference to a remark made at the labor meeting Wednesday night to the effect that one of the candidates who had addressed that meeting had built his house with Oriental labor, that this could not be said of him. Mr. Minthorne and Travers were also heard.

HERRING INDUSTRY FOR WHITE MEN

Mr. Hearn Talks of Possibilities of Fishery Business—Does Not Expect Big Run.

Mr. J. Ormesby Hearn, of J. O. Hearn & Co., Ltd., of Vancouver, and organizer of the B. C. Herring Fisheries, Ltd., is in New Westminster trying to line up two more white crews for his company's herring fleet at Nanaimo. Already the bulk of the company's fishermen, who are all white men, are drawn from this city.

"Don't you employ any Japanese at all, then?" Mr. Hearn was asked.

"Not a Jap," he replied.

The herring run, said Mr. Hearn, has begun, but is not yet very large. In fact he does not anticipate that this will be a very big year. The theory that the destruction of the whales, who used to drive the little fish into the harbors, has something to do with the decrease in the number of herring, receives some credit with Mr. Hearn, but he says the whales are beginning to come back.

Mr. Hearn talked of the chances which the white man had in the herring business. "The possibilities of this industry once it is in the hands of the whites are infinite," he said. "From a quarter to half a million dollars could be made every year from the business, and this money would all stay in the province instead of going to the Orient, as it does now. At present the white men are working under a great disadvantage, as the competition with the large number of Japanese, who now almost monopolize the business, is very severe."

If the white fishing is successful special efforts will be made to bring out fishermen from the East, Labrador and the east coast of Scotland; so that a substantial industry can be built up on this coast. During the last few years the number of herring caught, said Mr. Hearn, has steadily decreased from 25,000 tons to little over 5000. This was not owing to any decrease in the number of fish, but to their being scared away by over-keen competition among the Japanese fishermen.

About 95 per cent. of the fish caught is shipped to China, where it has a very extensive sale.

NORWEGIAN GIRL IS MISTRESS OF SONG

Miss Sofie Hammer Scores Success Before Fair-sized Audience—Norwegians Stirred by Folk Songs.

Miss Sofie Hammer carrolled and trilled through her program last night in a way that won the heart of every one of the audience that came to her concert in St. Patrick's hall. Most of those present were natives of her own country, of Norway or of Germany, but those who stayed away of whatever race they were, missed a musical entertainment such as is not often offered to them in this town. Completely mistress of her voice, this dainty little Norwegian sang grave songs and gay songs, classical and nursery music with the same facility. Expression was thrown into every word and was the dominant characteristic of her singing, while her voice was sweet in all ranges, but possessed, perhaps, a fuller roundness in the middle notes than at either limit of its compass. The charming personality of the singer aided her in winning the audience, and enthusiastic applause greeted every number.

The program was made up of many simple songs such as Neidlinger's "Robin," the German folk-song called the "Spinning Song," and many similar items. The most ambitious piece of work attempted was the arie out of German light opera "The Merry Wives of Windsor," and this gave her hearers an opportunity to discover of what Miss Hammer is really capable. The expression thrown into this lively piece was excellent, both voice and features catching every change of feeling with sympathetic insight. Then, again, in the Scandinavian folk-songs she scored a distinct triumph. Appearing in national costume, a typical little blonde Norwegian girl, she sang the songs of her fatherland with the skill of an artist and the simplicity of a country child. Every Norwegian heart must have been set leaping by those national tunes, and many a memory stirred by the music must have wandered back to the mountains and hills of the far-away home.

Miss Ethel Smith proved herself a good accompanist, and the piano solos played by Mrs. Sofie Nelson were rendered in attractive style.

Methodist Minister's Call to Winnipeg

London, Jan. 4.—Rev. Richard Whiting, pastor of the First Methodist church, and former pastor of the Centenary church, Hamilton, and St. Paul's church, Toronto, has accepted a call to the Young Memorial church, Winnipeg, one of the largest Methodist churches of the west. The call will take effect on June 1, 1912.

AMERICANS ABROAD

Russian Police Seek Subjects of Uncle Sam.

PLAYING TO THE GALLERY

Officials Trying to Get Passports are Shot Down—Murderer Melodramatic.

Usofska, Russia, Jan. 4.—Four Americans, one of whom killed four policemen and wounded four others—three probably fatally—are today being sought by the police of this district. One of the fugitives is a woman.

A policeman knocked at the Americans' door. It was opened and he fell dead with five bullets through the head. The officer called to investigate a report that the Americans had no passports. Reinforcements were summoned. One of the Americans stepped out, holding up his hands and saying "I surrender." An officer approached and fell with a bullet through his heart.

The American took the revolver and cartridges from his belt, saying, "Thanks, that's all I wanted," and returned to the house.

In a few minutes he reappeared, a gun in each hand, calmly walked through the crowd and sought refuge in a garden. In a subsequent fight he killed two more policemen.

AMATEURS SCORED WITH DANDY DICK

Good Audience Appreciated Excellent Acting—Different Players Favorably Received From Stalls.

"Dandy Dick," played by the amateurs at the Opera House went off very successfully [illegible] the play to extend past midnight. A very fair audience was in attendance and heartily appreciated the really excellent acting.

The play itself proved very amusing, and the humors of the dialogue were well brought out by almost all the members of the company. Perhaps Mr. B. R. Hill's finished presentation of the Dean was the best performance of all, but Mr. Matthison as Noah Topping, the typical village policeman, was delightful. His make-up was wonderful, and his acting suffered only from the slightest tendency to exaggeration and a restlessness that perhaps hardly fitted the part. His wife Hannah Topping was excellently played by Miss Jeanette Peele, who scored forcibly several times. Maintaining the dialect speech consistently is always a difficulty with amateurs and there were, of course, several lapses in this direction by those who had the difficult task to perform.

The almost "strapping" part of Georgiana Tidman was finely played by Mrs. J. D. Taylor, who, however, appeared slightly nervous and did not display quite all the vivacity expected. Blore, the butler, was another clever piece of work, and Mr. Algernon Wells must be complimented on his performance, while Miss Ethel Homer and Miss Ruth Peter as Sheba and Salome, must not be forgotten among those who played their parts creditably. Mr. Charles R. Legg as the liverish Major Traver, and Mr. Stanley Thompson as Mr. Darbey were very amusing, although both they and the girls seemed to experience some difficulty in handling the love situations. Mr. White made a dignified Sir Tristram Marden, but was hardly jovial enough for that sporting gentleman.

BAND WILL PLAY.

South Vancouver Citizens Will Discourse Sweet Music in Streets.

The streets of New Westminster will be gay with music tonight, when the South Vancouver citizens' band pays its promised visit to this city. Mr. Tom Prentice, manager of the band, is making every effort to secure a good turn out, and the musicians may be expected in almost any weather. The parade will start from in front of the Daily News office, and proceed through the main streets of the town.

This enterprising organization was only started in Central Park last May. Since that time it has become an outstanding feature of South Vancouver, and has played in Vancouver and other places with credit. It is an amateur organization, supported by local optimists of the municipality who believe in a go-ahead policy in every sphere of life.

Mr. Prentice says that it is likely the band will pay a second visit to New Westminster when the weather improves, and the players' uniforms have arrived.

MANCHU RESISTANCE

Peace Hovers Fitfully and Uncertainly Over China.

WU TING FANG PROTESTS

Revolutionists Arrange Issue of Paper Currency Printed at Hong Kong.

Shanghai, Jan. 4.—Dr. Wu Ting Fang, minister of foreign affairs in the proclaimed Chinese republic, issued today a protest to the powers against Yuan Shi Kai's refusal to abide by agreements made by his peace representative, Tang Shao Yi, which were expected to end the resistance of the Manchus to the new government.

Negotiations between the Manchu powers, represented by Yuan Shi Kai, and the officials of the republic, are at the breaking point today, and hostilities are likely to be resumed at any hour.

President Sun Yat Sen yesterday instructed Dr. Wu Ting Fang to telegraph to Premier Yuan Shi Kai at Peking asking him to come to Shanghai and negotiate personally with the president of the new republic.

The fact that Premier Yuan Shi Kai is now in possession of a considerable sum of money which he received from the empress-dowager for the purpose of representing the rebellion and with which he can pay the imperial troops, has, it is believed, inspired him with fresh confidence in his power to check the revolution, as he is aware that the republicans lack resources.

There are said to be about 30,000 imperial troops in Hank Yang and vicinity and a clash with the revolutionaries, whose force is said to be almost equal, is possible at any moment.

Issue Paper Money.

San Francisco, Jan. 4.—A Hong Kong cable despatch to the Chung Sai Yat Po here says that the revolutionary government of Kwang Tung province, with headquarters at the city of Canton, has authorized the issuance of $15,000,000 in paper money. Revolutionary officials have arrived in Hong Kong to superintend the

"SEVEN DAYS" WAS ENJOYABLE FARCE

Good Audience at Opera House Forgot Rigors of Winter—Evening of Laughter.

A laughing, tumbling farce without rhyme or reason, but none the less enjoyable, is "Seven Days," which was played to a good audience at the opera house last night. The cast was excellent, and the play went with a merry swing to the accompaniment of continual laughter. Tubby McGurk, the burglar, silent and wonderfully appearing and disappearing, never failed to make a hit, while the part of the "wobbly" Anne Brown with a gift for "spooks" was well played by Miss Patriquin. In the first scene this lady nearly succeeded in portraying an intoxicated woman without being unpleasant, and her adventures with the telephone and the chimney were an unfailing joy to everybody. Mr. Aubrey Beattie made a good James Wilson, slightly fat, but very much in love with his divorced wife, while Mr. Chauncey Monroe as Dallas Brown, looked after his distracting spouse in a thoroughly effective way. Miss Valentine as Kit McNair looked very charming, but she was perhaps too much inclined to leave the matter at that. Miss Robinson made the most of her amusing part of Aunt Selina, whom nobody wanted, but who wanted everybody to be doing just as she told them. Gordon Burby scored many a laugh as the much put-upon Irish police officer, who is cooped up with the rest of the quarantined household, having been asleep in the kitchen when the calamity descended on the house.

In short, it may be said that the rigors of the weather outside were forgotten for a while in New Westminster's cosy new theatre, and "Seven Days" will go down to history as one of the early successes of the new management.

REQUISITIONS AND ROUND ROBINS FLITTING

Requisitions asking four more aldermanic candidates to stand at the coming elections were being circulated yesterday. The men concerned are Mr. A. E. White, president of the board of trade; Mr. D. S. Curtis; Dr. Holmes and Mr. J. H. Diamond, and over 70 signatures of the most influential business men in town were secured on the petitions. Those who signed have not only promised their own support, but to get out and influence others to vote the same ticket, the idea being to plump for all four candidates so that they will stand or fall together.

SOUTH VANCOUVER'S MUNICIPAL POLITICS

Reeve Pound Supports Councillor Todrick's Candidature in Ward One—Lively Meeting.

Reeve Pound, of South Vancouver, was present at a large meeting held by Councillor Todrick at Carleton hall, Collingwood, last night, and gave his support to the councillor in his campaign for re-election at the coming elections. Among the other speakers were Councillor Todrick himself, and Mr. Spencer Robinson, chairman of the school board, who is his rival in ward one. The hall was crowded and the discussion proved very lively, both candidates meeting with support, and everybody taking an active interest in the proceedings.

Reeve Pound was the first speaker called on by the chairman, Mr. Groves, to address the meeting. Three years ago, said the reeve, South Vancouver had no sidewalks and no pipe line, and only three thousand people were living in the municipality. Today the population was 25,000, and hence arose many of the difficulties with which the council had to contend in planning improvements.

Mr. Pound briefly reviewed the history of the past three years, during which he had acted as reeve, as also the preceding four years during which he served as councillor. "South Vancouver has one of the best waterworks systems on the Pacific coast," claimed the speaker, and he closed his address with a eulogy of Councillor Todrick, who, he said, attended to business and never spoke evil of anyone. For himself he had to thank ward one for the support it had given him in the past, and before sitting down he scored Mr. Spencer Robinson for some of the statements that he had made at the last meeting.

Mr. Robinson followed. He said that considerable changes were needed in the staff at the municipal hall. A competent engineer was one of the first necessities, and this, he claimed, they had not got at present. Many streets had been opened up for a certain distance and never finished, and this was a state of affairs that should not continue.

Coming [illegible] account of the moneys expended in ward one during the past year, and he showed that this ward had received, if anything, a little more than any of the other wards. He had been in office three years, and he gave a short account of his work and the time he had devoted to the service of the public. Sixty-three new streets had been opened in the municipality during that time.

Turning to his opponent, Mr. Spencer Robinson, he criticized him for the remarks he had passed about the staff at the municipal hall, and showed that the men employed there were necessary. He also criticized the same gentleman's actions at the time he held the assessorship, and maintained that the ratepayers could not blame the council for the mistakes made by the assessor. With reference to the charges made by Mr. Robinson that the council had employed foreign labor, he said he believed that every man, whatever his nationality, was entitled to be given work if he was a ratepayer in the municipality. He then pointed out that the school board had let contracts for four schools, one to a South Vancouver man, one to a Vancouver man and two to Americans.

Messrs. W. H. Britt, John McGatty and P. Almond, all candidates for the school board, also spoke. Another meeting will be held on Friday week.

HINDU AGITATION TO BRING IN WIVES

Federal Government Has Still This Matter in Hand—Sundar Singh Interviews Whitney.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—If the immigration restrictions which prevent the Sikhs of Vancouver and the Pacific coast from bringing their wives into Canada, a restriction against which the Hindus are now agitating strenuously, is still in existence when the Ontario legislature meets towards the close of this month, the Sikhs' grievances will probably be discussed in the House. Dr. Forbes Godfrey, member for West York, who has taken up the cause of the Sikhs, called upon Sir James Whitney with Dr. Sundar Singh yesterday afternoon to enlist the premier's sympathy and support in the fight the Hindus are making to have the restriction removed. The prime minister pointed out to them that the matter was one entirely in the hands of the federal government.

After the interview, Dr. Godfrey declared that if the injustice being done the Sikhs was not remedied he would draw attention to the matter by introducing a resolution in the legislature.

A GALLANT SAILOR

Admiral Evans of U.S. Navy No More.

FIGHTING CAREER ENDED

Naval Officer Was Popular in Both Arms of Service—Nation in Mourning.

Washington, Jan. 4.—With an entire nation in mourning over the death of Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans ("Fighting Bob"), telegrams of condolence from every part of the civilized world today are deluging the members of his family.

The popularity of the dead naval officer was shown today when the navy department, high naval officers and "bluejackets," united in a monster request to the family to allow the body to lie in state so that they might have a last look at the man who piloted the great American battleship fleet around the Horn to San Francisco on its world-girdling cruise.

The navy department will have complete charge of the funeral arrangements. These will be without pomp, as the dead officer would have desired, but nevertheless impressive. President Taft and other government officials have announced their intention to attend the obsequies. Cadets from the naval academy at Annapolis and also a large contingent from West Point military academy, will attend the funeral.

Admiral Evans' death was sudden. When he arose yesterday he announced to members of his family that he felt in better health and spirits than he had enjoyed for some time. He said he felt no ill effects from the old wounds received in the Civil War or from the recurrent attacks of rheumatism from which he had suffered for years.

After partaking of a hearty luncheon Admiral Evans went to his library. He was stricken there about 2 p.m. Members of his family immediately summoned Dr. S. S. Adams, who found him in great pain. Responding, apparently, to treatment, the admiral fell into a restful sleep, and his family believed all immediate danger was passed. He awakened, however, shortly after 4 o'clock, and raising himself on his elbow with great difficulty, announced he was choking.

"I am unable to get my breath," he said. Then he sank back and, fully conscious to the last, died at 4:45 o'clock.

With him at the end were his wife, his daughter, Mrs. H. I. Seawall, and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank T. Evans, wife of the admiral's only son, a lieutenant commander in the navy, attached to the torpedo boat destroyer Nonahan. The only other member of the family who was not present was his daughter, Mrs. Marsh, wife of Captain Charles C. Marsh, commanding the cruiser North Carolina.

From President Taft down, officials of the government last night expressed their deepest regret over his sudden death.

KING GEORGE HOLDS GRAND LEVEE

Calcutta Scene of Gathering of Native Potentates and British Officials—State Banquet.

Calcutta, Jan. 4.—King George held a big levee here today, the function being attended by all local native potentates and British officials. The magnificent stairway in front of Government House was lined by the gigantic gunners of the King's body guard, and huge throngs watched the arrival of the notables, who came to kiss the royal hand and give thanks for the honors conferred Monday. There will be another big state banquet tonight.

MODIFICATION OF PLANS AGREED ON

Satisfactory arrangements with regard to the People's Trust building have been made by the building committee and the company's representatives, and the few details still remain to be settled have been left in the hands of the company's architect, Mr. Mercer, and the city's building inspector. If these two cannot agree on any point it will be referred back to the committee.

Mayor Lee and Aldermen Johnston and Dodd met Messrs. Cook and J. R. Duncan, of the People's Trust, yesterday morning, with the city engineer, the building inspector and Mr. Mercer in attendance. A few modifications were introduced into the plans, such as the widening of the main corridor and the removal of the flights of steps leading from the passage ways out through the two exits on Clarkson street. No alterations further than an insistance on public safety was put in the way of the building, which all were eager to see erected as soon as possible.

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KEY OF HINDUSTAN

Delhi Over 3,000 Years Old—Mohammedanism.

There has scarcely been a period in Indian history, from the misty days of the Mahabharata, 3,000 years ago, to this present year of grace, at which Delhi has not been the key of Hindustan. One is at first inclined to wonder why this somewhat featureless and unfertile plain beside the brown Jumna water should have so enthralled the people of India from all time. In other capitals there has been the usual ebb and flow of popularity. Scores have vanished utterly. It would puzzle ninety-nine out of any hundred Indian civilians to place offhand Kanauj, Rohtas, Hampj, Gaur, Ujjain, Mandu, Nadiya, Gulbarga and Sonagaon—scanty though such a list of the abandoned capitals of India is. Why, then, has Delhi remained? How has she escaped the fate of Kanauj, which once claimed suzerainty over her, or of Hatinapura, from which her founders came? The answer to this question, like most historical problems, is to be found upon the map. India has always been invaded from the northeast. Age after age the hardy mountaineers of the rugged and unfertile central plateau of Asia swarmed down, through the Khaibar, upon the rich plains of the Five rivers, and there heard of even richer lands and cities farther away to the southwest. But to reach them there lay but one road, and across that road lay Delhi.

To the left of the oncoming hordes—hordes which, it must be remembered, were obliged to live entirely on the country—the advanced spurs of the Himalayas and deep rivers barred the way; to their right lay the waterless deserts of Sind and Rajputna. Only along the line of what is now the most famous highway in the world, the Grand Trunk Road, there opened out an easy and well supplied avenue towards those other lands of corn and wine and wealth. Moreover, it has always been the one point along the route that could not safely be left in the enemy's possession. It could not be passed by. So it was always around Delhi that the fiercest storm of resistance and attack rose, and it was always at Delhi that the latest conqueror soon found himself obliged to re-erect the walls that he had himself so recently leveled. And as years passed, the slow but tremendous force of prestige began to invest this little central river bank with a superstitious importance. A man who aimed at the Indian purple was a mere clan chieftain, or successful buccaneer, until he had forced his way into Delhi. There was but one imperial roll of Indian names, and a king who had not his own upon it could at the best claim but a provincial immortality. Delhi was the touchstone.

Fifty years ago Lawrence and Nicholson knew this, and this was the reason why they flung every man that could by any possibility be spared from the Punjab and the frontier against these red walls. At all costs Delhi had to be re-taken. There was no hope of making an end, or even of checking the flowing tide, of the great Mutiny so long as Delhi remained in the hands of the rebels; with Delhi in our possession the heart was crushed out of the rebel's cause. That was why Nicholson took the more timid councils of Wilson by storm; and that is why the name of the already half-deified "Nikalsain" has joined the long-closed lists of legendary Indian heroes in the mouths of the common people. For, whatever his generous nature may have said of Alexander Taylor, it was Nicholson's head and hand which gave us back Delhi, and therewith Empire of India which is looming so largely in men's minds today.

Delhi's Chronicles.

The story of Delhi, its kings, its peoples, and its priests, has been handed down in many ways: By the droning chant of generations of illiterate poets and minstrels; by the reed-pen in the hand of a chain of unknown scribes throughout those ages that we call Dark, only because they are so dark to us; by the chisel and hammer of the Asokan engraver in stone at Meerut, and of his brother in iron at Lalkot; by the masons of the Slave-Emperor Kutab-ud-din; by the walls of Tughlakabad and Firozabad, now given over to the mantle of the "bitter garela"; by the jeweled chambers and crimson battlements set up by the most splendid of all earthly dynasties; and after the battles and sieges, the pillage and slaughter of two hundred years, by the shot-shattered Kashmir Gate, and—last of all—by the haze of factory and railway smoke that is the best evidence today of the orderliness and peace that our established rule has brought in its train.

Always has this wide, flat expanse of land beside the Jumna been the Naboth's vineyard. Men have called it by many names, Indraprastha, Lalcot, Fort Rai Pithora, Firozabad, Shahjehanabad—all have meant just Delhi, and Delhi it will remain until the human race has forgotten how to read and write. The Aryan race has had but three capitals of surpassing size, strength and significance—Rome and London for its southern and northern branches in Europe, and ooe, Delhi, for those darker brethren who pushed so early and so stubbornly towards the noonday sun. Here there was a first encampment of men of pale, finely cut faces in remote ages, and romance early wove a web round this forlorn and exposed outpost of the high-bred Aryans amidst the Indian aborigines, with their broad, clumsy black faces and squat figures. Kings from the first among these feeble folks, the Aryan immigrants had some leisure enough to begin that quarreling among themselves that cannot precede complete and settled conquest. The Pandavas, who settled here, engaged in war after war with their own nearest kin, and their eventual extinction—after a struggle that is recorded in an Indianiliad written contemporaneously with Homer's—will always be remembered by the Aryan touch that marks the final scene. To British readers, the story of the recognition of the returned Ulysses by his dog bridges thirty centuries in a flash. In the Mahabharata, the sturdy determination of Yudhishthira to go to Hell with his dog rather than enter Heaven without him strikes a common racial chord that an Englishman best, perhaps, of all Aryans will understand today.

The Dark Ages.

Thenceforward the welter and cross-currents of tribal struggles, with their alternate issue of victory and extinction, ebbed and flowed over these same riverine levels; but of the details we, as yet, know nothing; perhaps we shall never know much. One curious fact stands out. India seems always to have proved a Capua for her conquerors, and of all the recorded attempts at invasion from the northeast there has not been one that has not ultimately succeeded. It is the old story that runs the same course all over the world. The hills always have conquered—and probably always will conquer—the plains. It is, by the bye, to be regretted that Alexander the Great never reached Delhi. Valuable as is the work of Megasthese—now only known to us in fragments—it would have been of especial importance if we had had even the scantiest of his notes about Delhi and its religion during the curiously little known period that elapsed between the death of Buddha and the triumph of his teaching under Asoka about 250 B. C. Delhi certainly was then a town of importance, and certainly also was included in the possessions of Asoka's grandfather.

With the famous invasion of Mohammed of Ghor, in 1193, we are on firmer historical ground. His ambition was of a determined nature, as he had to make his position in Afghanistan secure before he ventured south, and his first attempt upon Delhi, in 1911, was an ignominious failure. Owing, however, to internecine disputes, Mohammed was able, in 1193, to capture the place. But the curse that attends all merely personal achievement in war awaited his work. After his death Kutab-ud-din, the Viceroy of the Indian provinces, proclaimed himself sovereign and made good his pretensions. He was by birth a slave and a Turki, but he was the first to establish the Mohammedan empire of India, an empire that under different races lasted—at least in name, for the one Hindu who sat on the throne was nominally a Mohammedan—until Queen Victoria assumed the imperial title in 1877 at the instigation of Lord Beaconsfield. He built greatly, and part, at least, of his work remains. The famous Kutab Minar at Delhi is the most magnificent single shaft of masonry that exists in the world to this day.

It was under his son Altamsh that the first grumblings of the storm that was ultimately to sweep over India made itself felt. Chengiz Khan, the Attila of the East, swept into India through the Khaibar Pass, but, either from exhaustion or satiety, the Mongolian savage did not press his way beyond the Indus. But he and his hordes had seen enough of the fertility of India to leave the tradition of invasion as a blood-duty, and in 1295 the Moguls were barely repulsed beneath the very walls of Delhi. Ten years later, Ala-ud-din—who called himself Alexander the Second—had to meet a series of Mogul raids. Twenty years later Tughlak found himself face to face with the same steady pressure from the same quarter, and he had the weakness to meet it by the payment of blackmail. In 1398 the most awful massacre that Delhi has ever known took place at the hands of the Tartar and Mogul hordes led by Timur. For five days the butchery went on, and Delhi, as a living corporation of men and women, ceased to exist. Timur returned devout thanks to Almighty God in Firoz Shah's mosque, and retired. The Mogul grip, however, remained, and the Seyyid dynasty, from 1414 to 1450, was but another form of Mongolian autrity, and the reign of the Afghan Lodis, who ousted the Seyyids in the latter year, was but an unsteady rule for 75 years. Then Babar, the first of the Mogul emperors of India, "placed his foot in the stirrup of resolution,' and the great line was established at Delhi by the defeat of Ibrahim Lodi at Panipat in 1526.

The Moguls.

There is not time to write here of the Mogul emperors. As I have said before they supplied the throne of Delhi with the greatest imperial dynasty, that the world's history records, and long after the great six—Babar, Humayun, Akbar, Jahangir, Shah Jehan and Aurangzeh—had been gathered to their fathers, the glamor of the splendid title weighed heavily even with those who had utterly worsted them in war and in peace. Even the unsentimental British approached the question of the dethronement of the Mogul emperor in Delhi—then a mere puppet, useless in our hands, and mischievous in the hands of those who for a moment could supplant us—with obvious reluctance. One thing may be said here. The dazzling picture that history records of the Mogul court does, perhaps, less than justice to the personality of the sovereigns. It is clair enough that mere magnificence would have been a temptation to their foes rather than a protection to themselves. The Afghan tradition of sovereignty in India was recent and vivid, and untiring activity was necessary to guard the northern marshes. Moreover, just as the Moguls themselves had threatened long before they swooped, so the Mahratta menace may be traced early behind this splendid ostentation. Clear heads and foresighted eyes were needed from the first, and in another letter I hope to draw appention to certain aspects of the Mogul empire that are often forgotten amid the fascinating but almost terrible extravagance and splendor that marked its zenith.—London Telegraph.

Labor Meetings

Following is a list of Labor Meetings to be held during the Civic Campaign:

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Monday, January 8, at Johnston Hall, Sapperton.

Tuesday, January 9, at St. Barnabas Hall, West End.

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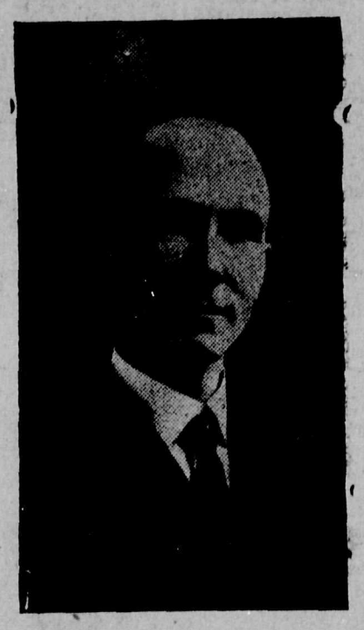

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12:00—Vancouver via. B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	16:00
18:00—Vancouver via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	20:30
7:40—Victoria via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	11.15
10:50—Victoria via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	11:15
7:30—United States via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	9.45
15:15—United States via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	18:00
11:40—All points east and Europe (daily)	8:15
22:43—All points east and Europe (daily)	13:15
11:40—Sapperton and Fraser Mills (daily except Sunday)	8:30
18:10—Sapperton and Fraser mills (daily except Sunday)	14:00
11:40—Coquitlam (daily except Sunday)	8:30
12:00—Central Park, McKay and Edmonds (daily except Sunday)	11.15
1400—East Burnaby (daily ex-Sunday)	13:30
10:00—Timberland (Tuesday and Friday)	13:30
10:30—Barnston Islands arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday	14:00
10:00—Ladner, Port Guichon, Westham Island, Burr Villa	13:30
10:00—Annieville and Sunbury (daily except Sunday)	13:30
10:00—Woodwards (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday)	13:30
10:50—Vancouver, Piper's Siding via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	14:30
15:50—Cloverdale and Port Kells via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	14:00
11:20—Clayton (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Satday	14:00
11:20—Tynehead (Tuesday and Friday)	14:00
7:40—Burnaby Lake (daily except Sunday	16:00
18:10—Abbotsford, Upper Sumas, Matsqui, Huntingdon, etc. (daily except Sunday)	23:00
15:15—Crescent, White Rock and Blaine (daily except Sunday)	9:45
15:15—Hall's Prairie, Fern Ridge and Hazlemere (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday	9:45
11:20—Chilliwack, Milner, Mt. Lehman, Aldergrove, Otter, Shortreed, Surrey Centre, Cloverdale, Langley Prairie, Murrayville, Strawberry Hill, South Westminster, Clover Valley, Coghlan, Sardis, Majuba Hill, Rand, via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	9:00
11:20—Rand, Majuba Hill via B. C. E. R. (Monday Wednesday and Friday	9:00
20:30—Chilliwack via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	17:30
(daily except Sunday)	20:30
11:20—Abbotsford via B.C.E.R. (daily except Sunday)	17:30
15:50—Cloverdale via B.C.E.R. (daily except Sunday)	17:30
12:00—Fraser Arm	23:00

WAR IN TRIPOLI.

Is Canada Affected in Fight Between Italian and Turk.

If Italy is victorious in her war with Turkey, and the probability of her success is hardly as bright as it was a few weeks ago, she will undoubtedly try an experiment of colonization on a large scale, and it is likely that Canada will be affected thereby. Today more than 95 per cent of the Italian emigration to the continent of North America. go to Canada and the United States, not because they wish to leave Italy, but because opportunities of money-making are greater here. If they have anything like similar opportunities offered them at their own door, it is not unreasonable to suppose that the home-loving Italians will remain there, and that the great Italian emigration to the continent of North America will be greatly abated, even though it does not altogether cease. It is doubtful if upon the face of the earth there is a race that loves its native land so passionately as the Italian. Not one Italian out of twenty who is working in Canada today will be a permanent resident of this country. He will return to his beloved native land as soon as he has acquired sufficient wealth to maintain him there. Canada, therefore, has some interest in the struggle between Turk and Italian, and is likely to be affected by its outcome more than most European countries.

The Italian Failing.

According to Lawrence Mott, who has had many opportunities of studying the Italian character and the trend of Italian policy, the chances of Italy making a success of the Tripolitan colony experiment are quite as doubtful as the question of her success in the war. Mr. Mott recalls Italy's failure in Abyssinia, and declares that unless the Italians are prepared to abandon the policy of centralization that they have been wedded to they will fail in Tripoli. To the Italian, Rome is the headquarters of everything. Every Italian looks to Rome for his instructions, and the officials who will act on their own initiative if they happen to be serving the country anywhere but in the capital are few indeed. Mr. Mott says that if the Italians had left the conduct of the military operations in Abyssinia in the hands of the generals on the spot they might have defeated Menelik. Even in the present war there is a disposition to act on advice from Rome rather than according to the exigencies of the situation as they present themselves to the generals in the field.

To Ensure Success.

Tripoli will not be a successful Italian colony if the Italians attempt to manage its affairs from Rome. They must first find the right man to put in charge, then turn him loose and let him handle the affairs of Tripoli. The French made the mistake of directing Algerian business from Paris, and the result was much trouble and disappointment. The French, moreover, tried the "strong arm" method with the natives, and today France holds Algeria with twice as many troops, whereas Italy's troops are not more numerous than policemen are at home, and discharge much the same functions. If Italy is to succeed she must enlist the Arabs as allies, prove to them that they have as much to gain as the Italians themselves, and teach them the arts of the European farmer, shepherd and vinedresser, for these are the arts that must make Tripoli a great colony if it is to be rescued from barbarism.

Fine Chance for Italians.

Some parts of the country, perhaps most of it, are now unsuitable for agricultural industry of any kind, but from what we have learned on this continent and in Egypt of irrigation systems he would a rash man to predict that the Tripoli desert will be always a desert. In Algiers France has built up a tremendous wine industry on land hardly more inviting, and it cannot be doubted that in some parts of Tripoli the farmer and grazier can reap rich returns from work and enterprise. There are huge areas that would make ideal pasture lands, and for some years it has been the practice of the Turkish army to send large numbers of horses to graze on some of the Tripolitan oases. A grazing industry would be particularly valuable in view of conditions in Italy, where anything in the nature of a prairie is not to be found. Grape and olive growing would flourish in many parts of Tripoli, and in Italy there are tens of thousands of skilled men who would be ready to transplant the industry across the Sicilian Sea.

A Unique Opportunity.

Apart from conflicting opinions as regards the justness of the war in which Italy is engaged, the civilized world will wish her success if the task of colonizing Tripoli is undertaken. Even though Italy should fail, she could never attain the colossal failure of the Turk. Tripoli can never be worse off than she has been under Turkish rule, and even should Italy fail and at length abandon her efforts, as she abandoned them in Abyssinia, the Arabs in Tripoli would have little reason to regret the driving out of the Turk. Since Tripoli is so near, and its climatic conditions in many respects so closely correspond to those in Italy, there are natural advantages on the side of Italy that do not ofen present themselves to nations which try to build up colonies in conquered lands.

Public Notice

Public Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of New Westminster, that I require the prseence of the said Electors at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Columbia Street, New Westminster, on 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.

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 as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2:00 p.m. of day of the nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the 11th day of January, 1912, at St. George's Hall, corner Clarkson and Church streets; No. 4 Fire Hall, Keary street; No. 5 Fire Hall, Thirteenth street, from 9:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p. m., of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

"***** The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Mayor *** shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have 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 One Thousand Dollars or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters."

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Given under my hand at the City of New Westminster, the 30th day of December, 1911.

J. STILWELL CLUTE.

Notice

Election for School Trustees.

Public Notice is hereby given to the electors of the City of New Westminster that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Columbia street, on the 8th day of January, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them as School Trustees.

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THE ORIENTALS IN CANADA.

The whole problem of immigration from the Orient to Canada is not stated when it is said that the Sikhs of India are loyal and have fought nobly for British supremacy, says the Toronto Globe. Their loyalty is not questioned, and their courage has been proved. But the problem as it affects British Columbia goes deeper. It goes deeper even than its bearing on the labor situation. Deeper, too, than questions of social status. Fundamentally it is a question of politics.

Politics not in the sense of partisan controversy. The restrictions on Oriental immigration are in no sense necessarily involved in party politics. The difficulty goes far deeper than that. We never can get the right view of it, and we never shall come within sight of its solution, unless we see it in relation to the far larger and far more complicated problem of Canadian democracy. It has to do with politics because politics is the science of government.

The coming of the Orientals to Canada, whether from India or from China or from Japan, aggravates the already vexed problem of democratic self-government in this country. British Columbia with its very small population of varied peoples not yet well organized, has obstacles enough in its path to sound and stable government without adding the still more difficult task of making political citizens of thousands of Orientals whose whole history and life have been utterly undemocratic.

It is quite true that all Canada has suffered, and will suffer more, because of too free entrance offered to large bodies of people who are aliens from the commonwealth of self-governing democracy. The form of a people's government, whether it be theocratic, autocratic, or democratic, is not an accident. It cannot be put on and put off as a suit of clothes. It grows out of the genius and instincts and inner aptitudes of the people. The Oriental is not of democratic blood. Indeed the same may be in a manner true of the Celt. Democracy suits the Anglo-Saxon. He thrives on it. It may prove itself a success with him. It has not signally succeeded in peoples of quite different type. And in Canada the problem of government is hard enough without making it hopeless, and doing so deliberately, by pouring into the melting pot an alarming excess of undemocratic elements.

The government of Canada, therefore, would do well to guard the gate ways east as well as west with even greater vigilance. This does not mean that injustices done to students, merchants, tourists, and other travellers from India should not be rectified. It does mean that the selfish schemings of immigration agents and steamship companies should be watched closely and everywhere thwarted. The sacred trust of Canadian citizenship must not be sacrified, and the already menacing problem of self-government must not be made hopeless.

ELECTED OFFICERS FOR COMING YEAR

The annual election of the officers of Beulah Rebekah lodge No. 5, of the I. O. O. F., was made a successful meeting last night. A large number of members attended, and after the business was finished all present indulged in a pleasant social evening. Refreshments were served, and the meeting did not break up till midnight.

The following were the officers elected: Noble grand, Sister Barbara West; vice-grand, Sister A. McKercher; recording secretary, Miss Plester; financial secretary, Brother C. S. Keith; treasurer, Sister Annie Lewis; warden, Sister Purdy; conductor, Sister Nina Hassard; outside guard, Brother A. Gates; inside guard, Sister Bonghen; R. S. N. G., Sister Pearce; L. S. N. G., Sister Lever; R. S. V. G., Sister Gilley; L. S. V. G., Sister A. Brown. Sister M. F. Insley was elected deputy grand marshal, and Sister Lever district deputy president. Sister Ferguson was elected grand chaplain; Sister Pearce grand warden; Sister Cunningham grand treasurer; Sisters Baker and Henry grand inside guard and grand secretary.

The delegates to the Women's Council were also chosen, these being Mrs. West, Mrs. J. Insley, Mrs. J. Baker, and Mrs. Lever.

JOHN OLIVER WILL NOT SERVE AGAIN

So Says When Delta Ratepayers Vote Against Paying Reeve and Councillors.

Probably the first resolution that municipal officers should receive no salary at all to be passed in British Columbia, was carried at a general ratepayers' meeting held in the Delta on Tuesday. The meeting had been called by the Reeve, Mr. John Oliver, to discuss the work of the past year, and the improvements needed to be carried out during 1912 to roads and in other departments.

It was unexpectedly proposed that the reeve and councillors should receive no salary in future. About a dozen in a well attended meeting voted for the motion, and about ten against, according to all accounts, while 60 to 70 per cent of those present abstained from expressing an opinion. Mr. Oliver thereupon stated that if this was the gratitude paid to those who served the municipality faithfully, and devoted their time to the people's good, he himself would not serve again.

ALDERMAN JOHNSTON NOT A CANDIDATE

Despite the urgent solicitation of many friends Alderman J. J. Johnston has definitely refused to stand for the council this year. "I have quite made up my mind to drop out for this year at least," he stated. "Many people want me to stand again, but I wish to be free this year."

From the alderman's tone of saying this it may be expected that 1913 will see him back in public life again, and perhaps holding his old position of chairman of the finance committee. For the present year, however, his resolution holds good, and it seems that no representations, however strong, will induce him to let his name go before the electors next Thursday.

QUEEN'S LIBRARY SOLD.

Welhelmina of Holland Sel's Her Rare and Costly Books for Charity.

Inasmuch as Queen Wilhelmina of Holland possesses one of the largest private fortunes of the sovereigns in Europe, a considerable amount of astonishment has been created by the announcement that she is selling her enormous library—not, of course, the collection of books belonging to the Crown, but those which are her own personal property, inherited from many different ancestors and relatives and of great value.

Some of her forebears in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries were noted bibliophiles, conspicuous among them being Princess Frederiko of Prussia, wife of William V of Orange, hereditary Stadtholder of The Netherlands.

Why the queen should wish to sell these books and manuscripts, which include literary treasures of almost priceless value, gathered together in the days when books of worth were within the reach of only the very rich, is a matter of considerable speculation. But the explanation is that the Queen, who is extremely religious in her views, considers it wrong to retain possession of works which are full of impropriety.

Queen Wilhelmina is passionately devoted to her little daughter, Crown Princess Juliana, and does not wish the child to be burdened with any such heritage of sin and consequent misfortune as she believes to be entailed by the ownership of this collection of sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth century books.

She does not, moreover, care to present them to any national institution in Holland, taking the ground that she would be merely shifting to the shoulders of her people the evil and the ill luck of which she is endeavoring to rid herself.

That is why she is disposing of the books by public sale, her idea being to devote the money obtained therefrom to philanthropic work.

It is stated that she had at one moment the notion of consigning the entire library to destruction, but was dissuaded therefrom by arguments that even some of the most questionable of the books probably contained here and there features of invaluable historical interest, which should not be lost to the world, and that were she to put her project into execution she might be likened to the iconoclast, Caliph Omar, who destroyed the most famous library in the world, namely that of Alexandria, moved thereto by religious zeal.

It is not improbable that many would be disposed to follow the example of the God-fearing Queen of The Netherlands rather than that of the now widowed Countess of Carlisle, leader of the woman's temperance movement in Great Britain, who, when the late earl succeeded to the family honors and estates, as well as to a world-famed wine cellar, compelled him to destroy all the contents of the latter, instead of either selling them or presenting them to friends or hospitals. She, too, considered that the possession of things which she regarded as evil, constituted a sin, carrying retribution in its train.

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Dr. Hope

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CIVIC ELECTIONS

Alderman J. S. Bryson

will hold the concluding meeting of his campaign in St. Patrick's Hall

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1912

8 O'clock p. m.

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VOTE FOR LEE for Mayor

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SPORTS

GREAT GAME AT VANCOUVER TONIGHT

Royal City Ice Hockey Team Resolved to Repeat Performance of Tuesday.

When the members of the Westminster ice hockey team glide from their dressing room in the Arena rink, Vancouver, at half past 8 o'clock this evening and take their positions on the crystal sheet, they will be in fine fettle to administer to the Vancouver representatives the same medicine that the Victoria boys had to swallow on Tuesday in the first encounter of the season, when the Royalists swept victory into the net to an eight-three tune.

Manager Gardner has his men in great shape for this evening's game, and he has promised Frank Patrick that he will have no occasion to give Brother Lester the laugh after lights are out at the Arena tonight. Johnston, who is to be the sensation of the coast league this year, is certain to electrify the spectators by some of his marvellous dashes, for he is a big boy who takes a delight in the whoops and yells of the onlookers. Dashing and daring, yet good natured to an extreme, Johnston is a player who is sure to win his way into the hearts of the lovers of clean sport before many games have been played.

A section of seats has been reserved for Westminster spectators, and the filling of this allotted space will show whether this city is taking an interest in ice hockey. In the opinion of the local men who purchased the franchise, the support given the team representing Westminster will justify them in their faith that clean fast winter sport will be welcomed on this coast.

Tickets for reserved seats in the Westminster section were placed on sale at Ryall's drug store and at the Hub cigar store on Wednesday evening, and a steady demand for the pasteboards is reported from both places. Tickets must be purchased before half past six o'clock.

The boys will stretch out from the puck in this order.

Vancouver—Parr, goal; Patrick, Griffis, Lalonde, Harris Nichols and Phillips.

Westminster—Lehman, goal; McLean, Johnson, Mallen, Hyland, McDonald and Gardner.

CLIFF AND LEN ARE STILL SAFE

Have Not Signed on With Any Eastern Team—Advice from "Joe" Lally.

Cliff Spring and Len Turnbull have not signed on with any eastern team. That is the welcome statement made by Mr. Fred Lynch. These players have been approached is true, but they have agreed to play for no team. "If they play at all next year, it will almost certainly be with New Westminster," said Mr. Lynch; so that it looks as if the Salmon Bellies are not going to lose these two strong members of their team.

Mr. Lynch is also in receipt of a letter from Joe Lally, which strongly advises every player to remain in the west. He begins by hoping that the "boys will not be foolish enough to go east in the hope of bettering their condition," and he goes on to "guarantee to put facts to them, which will shatter any ideas they may have in this connection." "I can safely tell you," he writes, "that there is no place in the world where lacrosse players are treated more generously or are made more of than they are right in the little city of New Westminster."

Such advice coming from such a man must have its influence. Joe Lally talks of what he knows.

Burnaby Politics.

Following the enthusiastic meeting accorded Reeve Weart in East Burnaby on Wednesday evening, much interest is being evinced as to the meeting called for Monday evening next at the Municipal Hall, Edmonds, when all three candidates for the reeveship, Messrs. Weart, Rumble and Coldicott are scheduled to speak.

The splendid account of his stewardship during the past year, made to the East Burnaby voters, has enhanced Mr. Weart's chances for re-election. This was his first appearance in East Burnaby, and his address the other evening created a profound impression. Meanwhile there is no let-up in the campaign. Messrs. Rumble and Coldicott are scheduled to address the voters at Vickar's Hall, East Burnaby, this evening.

On Saturday afternoon, candidates for aldermanic and school trustee honors will have an opportunity of speaking to the ratepayers at the Municipal Hall. Never before has such a campaign been waged, there being opposition in every ward.

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Ald. Bryson for Mayor

To the Ratepayers and Householders of New Westminster City.

Ladies and Gentlemen: For over a week the announcement of my candidature in opposition to Mayor Lee for the mayoralty for 1912 has been before you in the public press, together with my reason, therefor and an outline of my platform over my own signature. I deemed that the ratepayers were entitled to a responsible, dignified statement of the sort.

My reasons for opposing Mayor Lee's re-election at this time have been clearly and distinctly set forth. Briefly reviewing, they are: His maintenance and development of the star chamber, centralization of power in the mayor policy, which he had so strongly condemned in his predecessor. His failure to safeguard the city's interests in its relations with the B. C. Electric Railway, particularly in the vital matter of the city's water supply at Coquitlam Lake. The conduct of the Board of Works and City Engineer's department, which Mayor Lee has undertaken to defend throughout. Unfair and unbusinesslike methods in the sale of city bonds, with consequent loss and discredit to the city. Laxity in the enforcement of the law against disorderly houses and the unlicensed sale of liquor therein.

Such in brief is my indictment of Mayor Lee on his record as completed with the year 1911, though he started very differently and maintained an appearance of consistency on most of these questions for some time. This indictment, which I submit is a serious one, has been before the ratepayers in both local newspapers for over a week, and Mayor Lee has made no attempt to answer through the press.

At my meeting at Sapperton, Wednesday night, the mayor, at his first public appearance in this campaign, gave an exhibition of fancy skating on very thin ice and falling in two or three times, but that was all.

Mayor Lee has not only avoided any responsible and self-respecting statement over his own signature through the public press, but has announced no public meetings but one, on the eve of election day, when he hopes, evidently, by a lot of glittering generalities and vague, high-sounding promises, at the last moment, when the truth of his statements cannot be investigated, to make the electors forget all matters of record and cast their votes under the carefully fostered delusion that "big talk" for the future will atone for all sorts of broken promises and bad practices in the past.

I submit that Mayor Lee, on his record, should not again receive the endorsation of the ratepayers and householders of New Westminster if they have any regard for their interests in the many important matters that affect the welfare of the city, and that they should not allow dust to be thrown in their eyes by the ridiculously inflated claims of the mayor that his continuance in office, notwithstanding his past record, is necessary to the continued progress of the city in matters already inaugurated by the vote of the council and the ratepayers, or which may be promoted in the city's interests during the year.

In fact, I will go further, and say that the greater the interests to be dealt with, the greater danger there will be to the city's interests in the continuing at the head of its municipal affairs of a man who has gone back on his pledges and principles as Mayor Lee has, and who has shown his determination to arbitrarily ignore the council and its committees, even when specially appointed for the purpose, in all matters of initiative and negotiation, thereby insuring that there shall be no check upon himself until the city might be practically committed to, perhaps, objectionable details of some scheme otherwise desirable.

J. S. BRYSON.

New Westminster, B.C., January 5, 1912.

LOCAL COUNCIL ISSUES NOTICE

The Local Council of Women of New Westminster respectfully appeals to all voters of both sexes to support the candidacy of Mrs. G. B. Cross and Mrs. J. R. Gilley for the office of school trustee. The education and training of the children is a subject in which woman is vitally interested, and it is only reasonable that woman should share in the responsibility and duty of competent management of our school system. Mrs. Cross has served one year on the board with marked efficiency, and the experience thus gained will increase her usefulness if she is returned for 1912. Mrs. J. R. Gilley is well known in our city as a broad-minded and capable woman. We are confident that she would worthily represent our citizens on the school board. As wives and mothers we are surely not asking too much when we request your support for two women candidates. We therefore respectfully solicit your vote and influence for the following reasons:

(1) The election of these women will be of distinct advantage to the trustee board, and thus to the schools and to the city at large.

(2) It is only a matter of justice to womanhood that we should be granted at least two representatives.

While we request, and will be grateful for the support of any and all voters, we wish it distinctly understood that Mrs. Cross and Mrs. Gilley have been requested to stand by the Local Council of Women, and are not the nominees of any other organization.

On behalf of the Local Council of Women,

(Signed) MRS. A. LAMB,
MRS. C. A. WELSH.

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CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER

"Public Schools By-Law 1911."
By-Law No.

A By-Law to enable the Council of The Corporation of the City of New Westminster to raise by loan the sum of Ninety-seven Thousand Dollars ($97,000.00) for the purchase of a site and the erection of a Public School in the West End of the city at a cost of Sixty-six Thousand Dollars ($66,000.00) and for payment of the balance for the Site of the Sixth Avenue School Twelve Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty Dollars ($12,220.00) and for payment of the balance of the cost of the Queensborough School Two Thousand Three Hundred and Eighty Dollars ($2380.00) and for the completion of the Sapperton School Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Dollars ($16,400.00).

Whereas it is necessary to provide a site and erect a Public School thereon in the West End of the city and to pay the balance due for the site of the Sixth Avenue School and balance of the cost of the Queensborough School and to complete the Sapperton School, and it will be necessary to raise the sum of Ninety-seven Thousand Dollars ($97,000.00) for the purposes aforesaid.

And whereas it appears that if the said sum of $97,000.00 be appropriated from the general revenue of the city for the current year the rate of taxation will be excessive, and it is expedient that such excessive taxation should be avoided and the said sum should be raised on the credit of the Corporation and that debentures should be issued for that amount.

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 the said debentures the sum of Five Thousand and Twenty-four and 95-100 Dollars ($5224.95).

And whereas in order to raise the said yearly sum of $5224.95 an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on the whole rateable property of the city of New Westminster.

And whereas the whole rateable property of the said city according to the last revised assessment roll thereof is Nine Million Five Hundred and Ninety-two Thousand Nine Hundred Two Hundred and Twenty-four and 95-100 Dollars ($5224.95).

And whereas the total amount of the existing debenture debt of the said city is Two Million One Hundred and Fifteen Thousand Three Hundred Dollars ($2,115,300.00) irrespective of the sum of Four Hundred and Forty-two Thousand Dollars ($442,000.00) proposed to be raised under this by-law and the "Loan By-Law 1911," "High School Site By-Law 1911," and "High School Building By-Law 1911," of which none of the principal or interest is in arrears.

Now therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster enacts as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said city to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same on the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned any sum or sums of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Ninety-seven Thousand Dollars ($97,000.00) and to cause the same to be paid into the Treasury of the said city for the purposes mentioned herein.

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made not exceeding in the whole the sum of $97,000.00 for such sums of money as may be required not less than $100.00 each or an equivalent expressed in pounds sterling of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at a value of 4.866 to the pound sterling; and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation, signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Treasurer thereof, or by such other person or persons as may be thereunto lawfully authorized.

3. The said debentures shall be payable on the first day of January, 1962, at such place or places as the Council of the said Corporation may from time to time appoint with the approval of the holders thereof and shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum per annum payable half yearly on the first day of January and the first day of July in each and every year and the debentures shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, which said coupons shall be signed by the said Mayor.

4. A special rate on the dollar shall be levied and raised in each year in addition to all other rates on all the rateable property of the city sufficient to pay the interest upon the 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.

5. Subject as aforesaid there shall be raised annually by special rate as aforesaid during the currency of the said debentures the sum of Four Thousand Three Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars ($4365.00) for the payment of interest thereon and the sum of Eight Hundred and Fifty-nine and 95-100 Dollars ($859.95) to provide for the repayment of the principal.

6. The proceeds of the sale of the said debentures shall be applied as follows and not otherwise: Towards paying 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 issuance of the said loan, and the balance shall be paid over from time to time as required by the City Treasurer to the several persons to whom moneys are payable.

7. This by-law shall take effect on the final passing thereof.

8. This By-law before the final passing thereof shall receive the assent of the electors of the said city in the manner required by law.

9. This By-law may be cited as the "Public Schools By-law 1911."

Received the assent of the electors on the day of A. D. 191

Reconsidered and finally passed in Open Council the day of A. D. 191

..... City Clerk.

..... Mayor.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the electors will be taken on the 11th day of January, 1912, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m. and seven o'clock p. m. at the following places:

St. George's Hall, corner of Clarkson and Church streets.

No. 4 Fire Hall, Sapperton, and

No. 5 Fire Hall, Thirteenth Street.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

City Hall, Dec. 29, 1911.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER

"Loan By-Law 1911."
(By-Law No.——)

A By-Law to enable the Council of The Corporation of the City of New Westminster to raise the sum of One Hundred and Sixty-five Thousand Dollars ($165,000.00) for the purpose of paying the over-draft covering a number of years and now existing in the accounts of the City.

Whereas it is necessary to raise the sum of $165,000.00 for the purpose of paying the over-draft covering a number of years and now existing in the accounts of the city.

And whereas it appears that if the said sum of $165,000.00 be appropriated from the general revenue of the city for the current year the rate of taxation will be excessive, and it is expedient that such excessive taxation should be avoided, and the said sum should be raised on the credit of the Corporation and that debentures should be issued for that amount.

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 the said debentures the sum of Eight Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-seven and 80-100 Dollars ($8,887.80).

And whereas in order to raise the said yearly sum of $8887.80 an equal special rate on the dollar will be required to be levied on the whole rateable property of the City of New Westminster.

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5. Subject as aforesaid there shall be raised annually by special rate as aforesaid during the currency of the said debentures the sum of Seven Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars ($7425.00) for the payment of interest thereon and the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred and Sixty-two Dollars and Eighty Cents ($1462.80) to provide for the repayment of the principal.

6. The proceeds of the sale of the said debentures shall be applied as follows and not otherwise: Towards paying 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 issuance of the said loan, and the balance shall be paid over from time to time as required by the City Treasurer to the several persons to whom moneys are payable.

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ADVENTURES IN PAPUA.

Mafulus Are Cannibals But Not Head Hunters—Marriage Is Simple.

London, Jan. 3.—Interesting accounts of a strange retrograde tribe of the British portion of New Guinea (or Papua) are told by R. W. Williamson, a fellow of the Anthropological institute, who has recently returned from a scientific expedition to the Mafulu people.

Accommpanied only by the Cingalese servant and two of the most civilized natives of Papua, he spent nearly five months in that country.

Mr. Williamson is a frail, scholarly man, but his adventures rival those of Robinson Crusoe and the giants of exploration.

"We started toward the Mafulu Mountains from the Meko district, following the course of the St. Joseph's River," he said.

"The ground was covered with thick, reedy grass, sometimes ten feet in height, and through this we had to push our way along ill-formed native paths.

"We visited as many villages as possible on the way to the mountains. Here we were received very courteously by the chiefs, to whom I gave various presents in exchange for native carriers.

No Such Thing as Money.

"There is, of course, no such thing as money, either among the natives of the plains or the Mafulus, so that I carried a stock of articles, called 'trade,' in lieu of money.

"My 'trade' consisted of the following goods: Axes, knives, trade tobacco, beads, plane irons, belts, red calico, pouches and salt. With these things I paid for all native labor.

"At last, after walking through almost impassable bush and undergrowth, we came upon the Mafulu Mountains and began to ascend them. By this time my legs were covered with sores—there is, I am sure, septic poison in the atmosphere there—and every step hurt me.

"It was between 4000 and 5000 feet up the mountains that we came upon the Mafulus, a small people entirely naked save for a strip of bark worn round their loins.

"Their skin is a dark, sooty-brown color, hair a grizzly, frizzy brown, and across their faces are weird splashes of color, chiefly bright red.

"Here in these wild, out-of-the-way regions I found two French Jesuit priests. I cannot express my immense admiration for those two men, who lived there quite alone and unprotected.

Cannibals, but Not Head Hunters.

"The Mafulus, I discovered, though they are cannibals, are not actually head hunters. They only eat human flesh when the victim is killed in battle or private vendetta; but then the actual slayer is not permitted to assist at the feast.

"At the big feast pig flesh is largely eaten. One village of about 100 homes killed 120 pigs for their meal.

"The religion of the Mafulus is simply the primitive fear of ghosts and spirits. They have not reached the stage of idolatry. They believe, for instance that the fig tree and certain trailing plants are spirit-haunted.

"A Jesuit priest, who wanted to build a hut, was warned by the Mafulus not to cut through one of these trailing plants. He laughed at their fears, and cut it through. Strangely enough, he was taken very ill the next day, and had to be removed to the coast.

"Marriage is a very simple process. A boy sees a girl he wants, and goes to her house. A price is arranged for her—some pigs or a tomahawk—and the girl's parents accompany the boy back to his home. Then they all sit outside the house, and the wedding is over."

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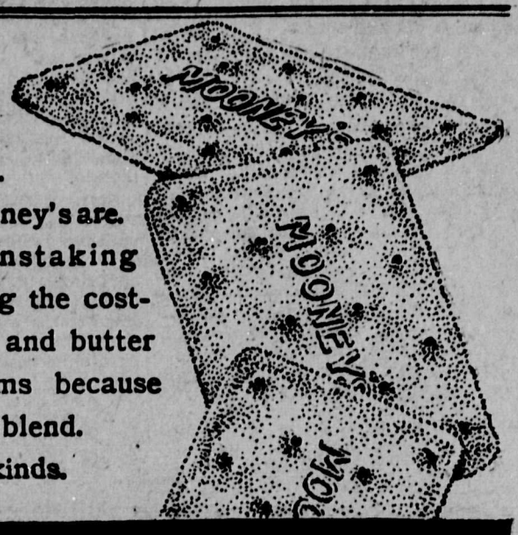

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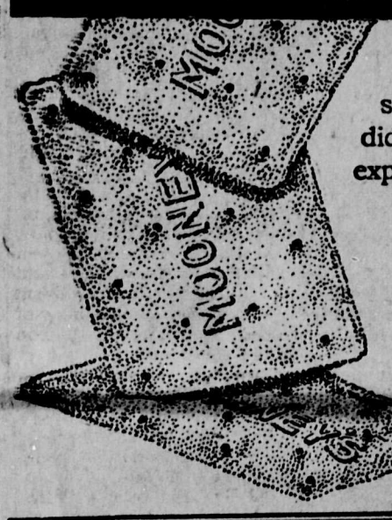

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By-Law No....

A By-law to authorize the Corporation of the District of Burnaby to enter into and execute an agreement with the Burrard Inlet Tunnel and Bridge Company for the purchase of shares in the capital stock of said Company.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Burnaby enacts as follows:

1. Authority is hereby given to the Reeve and Clerk of the Corporation to sign on behalf of the Corporation and to seal with the corporate seal an indenture of agreement between the Burrard Inlet Tunnel and Bridge Company of the one part and the Corporation of the other part in the terms of the Schedule appended to this By-law, and authority is hereby given to the Corporation to enter into and agree to all the provisions of said agreement.

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Burrard Inlet Tunnel and Bridge Company Aid By-law, 1911."

3. This By-law shall come into operation on the date of its receiving the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council by order in council to that effect.

DONE AND PASSED in Open Council the Eighteenth day of December, 1911.

RECEIVED the assent of the electors on the —— day of ————, 191—.

RECONSIDERED and FINALLY passed the —— day of ————, 191—.

Reeve,
Clerk.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO:

THIS INDENTURE dated this —day of ——, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and —.

BETWEEN:

THE BURRARD INLET TUNNEL AND BRIDGE COMPANY, incorporated as a Railway Company by a charter of the Parliament of Canada, hereinafter referred to as the "Company"
of the ONE PART,

AND

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF BURNABY, hereinafter referred to as the "Corporation"
of the OTHER PART,

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS the Company has been incorpated inter alia for the purpose of undertaking the erection of a joint traffic and railway bridge across the Second Narrows of Burrard Inlet from a point in the Municipality of Burnaby and Hastings Townsite to a point in the District of North Vancouver and the construction of suitable railway works to give connection with railway systems on the South Shore and for the opening up and development of the North Shore of Burrard Inlet.

AND WHEREAS the whole of said works are so situated as to be of great value to the Municipality of Burnaby and the Corporation has agreed to aid the said Company by subscribing for five hundred (500) shares of one hundred dollars ($100.00) each in the capital stock of said Company.

AND WHEREAS the price or value of said shares is fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00), therefore the Company hereby agrees to sell to the Corporation and the Corporation agrees to purchase of and from the Company five hundred (500) shares of one hundreed dollars ($100.00) each of the capital stock of the Company at and for the said price of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00) subject always to the terms of the Act of Incorporation of the Company and to the following conditions, namely:

1. The said price shall be due and payable to the Company within two (2) months from the date of the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council to the By-law authorizing the execution of this agreement and upon payment of the said price and in exchange therefor the Company shall issue and make delivery to the Corporation of the share certificates for said shares in the capital stock in valid form.

2. In respect of the said Corporation holding the said shares in the capital stock of the Company and while the same are so held the Reeve of the Corporation shall be and act as one of the directors of the Company.

3. The Company agrees within ten (10) months of the date of the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council as aforesaid to commence and proceed with the work of the construction of the said bridge and to have duly completed and ready for traffic the said bridge and at least four (4) miles of connecting railways before the lapse of three (3) years from the date of the said assent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

4. As regards the Corporation this agreement is provisional on the assent being had of the electors of the District and the passing of the Loan By-law to provide the funds and also on this agreement receiving the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council and failing any of these events then this agreement shall be ipso facto null and void.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Company and the Corporation have caused their respective corporate seals to be hereunto affixed.

The corporate seal of the Burrard Inlet Tunnel and Bridge Company was hereto affixed in the presence of (SEAL)

The corporate seal of the Corporation of the District of Burnaby was hereto affixed in the presence of: (SEAL)

Take Notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken on Saturday, the 13th day of January, 1912, between 9 o'clock a. m. until 7 o'clock p. m., at the polling places:

Municipal Hall, Edmonds.
Agricultural Hall, Central Park.
Mr. Topping's Office, East Burnaby.
Hamilton Road School, Burquitlam.
Dundonald School, Fraser Arm.
Barnet Hall, Barnet.
Mr. Jas. Herd's Office, North Burnaby.
Mr. Mohr's Store, Burnaby Lake.
Lakemere School, Duthie.

Public Notice is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the District of Burnaby will be taken on the above-mentioned By-law at the time and place above mentioned, and that A. G. Moore has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such electors, with the usual powers in that behalf.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL.
J. W. WEART, Reeve.
W. GRIFFITHS, clerk.
Edmonds, B. C. Dec. 20, 1911.

By-Law No....

A By-law to enable the Corporation of the District of Burnaby to raise by way of loan the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00) to purchase stock in the Burrard Inlet Tunnel and Bridge Company.

WHEREAS a petition dated as to each signature and signed by the owners of more thanone-half of the real property in the District of Burnaby as shown by the last revised assessment roll has been presented to the Council of the said District requesting them to introduce and pass a by-law to authorise them to borrow the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00) to be expended in the purchase of stock or shares in The Burrard Inlet Tunnel and Bridge Company incorporated by Act of Parliament of Canada.

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to raise the money required to defray the above expenditure upon the credit of the Municipality.

AND WHEREAS it will be necessary to raise annually by special rate the sum of Five Hundred and Twenty-six dollars and Seventeen cents ($526.17) principal and the sum of Two Thousand, Two Hundred and Fifty dollars ($2,250.00) interest making together a total amount annually of Two Thousand, Seven Hundred and Seventy-six dollars and Seventeen cents ($2,776.17) for the term of forty years for the re-payment of the said loan and interest thereon as hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS the net value of the whole rateable land in the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll amounts to Eighteen Millions, Five Hundred and Twenty Thousand, Four Hundred and Fourteen ($18,520.414) dollars.

AND WHEREAS the total existing debenture debt of the Municipality is One Million, Two Hundred and Eight Thousand, Five Hundred dollars, ($1,208,500) exclusive of local improvement debts secured by special rates or assessments of which none of the principal or interest is in arrears.

AND WHEREAS to provide for the payment of interest and the creation of a sinking fund for the payment of the said principal sum of $50,000.00 it will be necessary to levy a special annual rate sufficient to raise the sum of Two Thousand, Seven Hundred and Seventy-six dollars and Seven teen cents ($2,776.17) the amount to be calculated annually on the whole of the rateable land comprised within the Municipality.

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Burnaby enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Reeve and Clerk of the Council for the purposes aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum not exceeding $50,000.00 and to cause the same to be placed in the Royal Bank of Canada at the City of New Westminster, British Columbia, to the credit of the said Corporation for the purposes and with the objects above set forth and to issue any number of debentures of the said Corporation to the sum of $50,000.00 in the whole in accordance with the "Municipal Clauses Act" AND the said debentures shall be issued to consist of 102 debentures, each of the denomination of one hundred pounds Sterling (£100) and one debenture of the amount of £73-19-6d. being the Sterling equivalent of $50,000.00 at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the one pound Sterling, each debenture being also expressed to be payable in Canadian Currency computed at such rate, and such debentures shall have annexed thereto coupons expressed both in Sterling and Currency for the interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per centum per annum payable half-yearly on the 30th day of June and the 31st. day of December in each year. AND such Sterling debenutres shall be delivered to the purchasers of the said debentures, and both as to principal and interest shall be payable at the office of the Bank of Montreal in London, England, or in Toronto, Montreal or in Vancouver, Canada, or in New York, at holder's option. AND the principal of the said debentures shall be payable on the Thirty-first day of December, A. D. 1951.

2. There shall be raised and levied annually by a special rate sufficient therefor on all rateable land within the Limits of the said Municipality the sum of Five Hundred and Twenty-six dollars and Seventeen cents ($526.17) for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the sum of Two Thousand. Two Hundred and Fifty dollars ($2,250.00) for the payment of the interest at the rate aforesaid, the said special rate to be in addition to all other rates to be levied and collected in the said Municipality during the currency of the said debentures or any of them.

3. This by-law shall take effect on and after the Eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1912.

4. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as "THE BURRARD INLET TUNNEL & BRIDGE COMPANY LOAN BY-LAW 1912."

Done and PASSED in Open Council, the Eighteenth day of December, A. D. 1911.

RECEIVED the assent of the Electors at an Election for the purpose on the —— day of ————, A. D 191—.

RECONSIDERED and finally adopted by the Council, signed by the Reeve and Clerk and Sealed with the Corporate Seal on the —— day of ————, A. D. 191—.

C.M.C. Reeve.

Take Notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken on Saturday the 13th day of January, 1912, between 9 o'clock a. m. until 7 o'clock p. m. at the polling places:

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Lakemere School, Duthie.

Public Notice is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the District of Burnaby will be taken on the above-mentioned by-law at the time and place above mentioned, and that A. G. Moore has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such electors, with the usual powers in that behalf.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL.
J. W. WEART, Reeve.
W. GRIFFITHS. Clerk.
Edmonds, B. C., Dec. 20. 1911.

By-Law No....

A By-law to enable the Corporation of the District of Burnaby to raise by way of loan the sum of $50,000.00 for the purpose of providing and building additional sidewalks within the Limits of the Municipality.

WHEREAS it is necessary and expedient that the Council of the said Corporation be authorized to borrow the sum of Fifty Thousand ($50,000.00) dollars to provide for the construction of additional sidewalks within the limits of the Municipality.

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to raise the moneys required to defray the above expenditure upon the credit of the Municipality.

AND WHEREAS it will be necessary to raise annually by special rate the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred and Ninety-seven dollars and Five cents ($2,497.05) principal and the sum of Two Thousand, Two Hundred and Fifty ($2,250.00) dollars interest making together a total amount annually of Four Thousand, Seven Hundred and Forty-seven dollars and Five cents ($4,747.05) for the term of fifteen years for the repayment of the said loan and interest thereon as hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS the net value of the whole rateable land in the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll amounts to Eighteen Million, Five Hundred and Twenty Thousand. Four Hundred and Fourteen ($18,520,414.00) dollars.

AND WHEREAS the total existing debenture debt of the Municipality is One Million, Two Hundred and Eight Thousand Five Hundred ($1,208,500.00) dollars, exclusive of local improvement debts secured by special rates or assessments of which none of the principal or interest is in arrears.

AND WHEREAS to provide for the payment of interest and the creation of a sinking fund for the payment of the said principal sum of $50,000.00 it will be necessary to levy a special annual rate sufficient to raise the sum of Four Thousand, Seven Hundred and Forty-seven dollars and Five cents ($4,747.05) the amount to be calculated annually on the whole of the rateable land comprised within the Municipality.

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Burnaby enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Reeve and Clerk of the Council for the purposes aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum not exceeding $50,000.00 and to cause the same to be placed in the Royal Bank of Canada at the City of New Westminster, British Columbia, to the credit of the said Corporation for the purposes and with the objects above set forth and to issue any number of debentures of the said corporation to the sum of $50,000,000 in the whole in accordance with the "Municipal Clauses Act." And the said Debentures shall be issued to consist of 102 debentures each of the denomination of One Hundred Pounds Sterling (£100) and one debenture of the amount of £73-19-6d. being the Sterling equivalent of $50,000.00 at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the one pound Sterling, each debenture being also expressed to be payable in Canadian currency computed at such rate and such debentures shall have annexed thereto coupons expressed both in Sterling and Currency for the interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per centum per annum payable half-yearly on the 30th day of June and the 31st day of December in each year. And such Sterling debentures shall be delivered to the purchasers of the said debentures, and both as to principal and interest shall be payable at the Office of the Bank of Montreal in London, England, or in Toronto, Montreal or in Vancouver, Canada, or in New York at holder's option. And the principal of the said debentures shall be payable on the Thirty-first day of December. A.D. 1926.

2. There shall be raised and levied annually by a special rate sufficient therefor on all rateable land within the limits of the said Municipality the sum of Two Thousand, Four Hundred and Ninety-seven dollars and Five cents ($2,497.05) for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the sum of Two Thousand, Two Hundred and Fifty dollars ($2,250.00) for the payment of the interest at the rate aforesaid, the said special rate to be in addition to all other rates to be levied and collected in the said Municipality during the currency of the said debentures or any of them.

3. This By-law shall take effect on and after the Eighteenth day of January A. D. 1912.

4. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as the "BURNABY SIDEWALKS EXTENSION BY-LAW 1912"

DONE AND PASSED in Open Council the Eleventh day of December A. D. 1911.

RECEIVED the assent of the Electors at an election for the purpose on the — day of ———— A .D. 1912.

RECONSIDERED and finally adopted by the Council, Signed by the Reeve and Clerk and Sealed with the Corporate Seal all on the — day of ————, A. D. 1912.

C.M.C., Reeve.

Take Notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken on Saturday, the 13th day of January 1912, between 9 o'clock a. m. until 7 o'clock p. m. at the polling places:

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Lakemere School, Duthie.

Public Notice is hereby given that the vote of the Electors of the District of Burnaby will be taken on the above-mentioned by-law at the time and place above mentioned, and that A. G. Moore has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such electors, with the usual powers in that behalf.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL.
J. W. WEART, Reeve.
W. GRIFFITHS. Clerk.
Edmonds, B. C., Dec. 20, 1911.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lot 28, in subdivision of Lots 1 and 3 of Lot 95, Group 1, New Westminster District.

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 1971F. issued in the name of The Corporation of the District of Burnaby, has been filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the City of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said Certificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B. C., Dec. 21, 1911.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lot 12, in subdivision 2 of Lot 30, Group 1, Map 478, New Westminster District.

Whereas proof of the loss of certificate of title number 15308A, issued in the name of Olive Bell has been filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the City of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said Certificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B. C., December 6, 1911.

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CITY NEWS

The Ladies of the Maccabees will hold a meeting next Wednesday for the annual election of officers.

Holland and Daniels, two men charged with being in the possession of stolen property, will come up before Justice Pittendrigh today.

The city ambulance was called out yesterday morning, but only to take a sick woman to the hospital. No accident case has needed its services since the cold spell.

The Excelsior, a thoroughly up-to-date barber shop, was opened in the Tidy block, Eighth street, just above Columbia, on Thursday, by Mr. David Boyle (late with C. H. Diamond), who is supported by two thoroughly experienced barbers. Mr. Boyle solicits the patronage of his numerous acquaintances. **

Owing to the fact that the Local Council of Women are holding their annual meeting on January 15, the Woman's Auxiliary of the Royal Columbian hospital will hold their regular monthly meeting in the board of trade room on Monday, January 8, at 3 o'clock, instead of January 15.

A special car will be run by the B. C. E. R. tonight from Milner to Vancouver to allow a bunch of ice hockey enthusiasts to get over to see the game between New Westminster and Vancouver, which will be played on the Vancouver rink. This car will leave Milner at 5:30 and will return when the game is over.

Mayor Lee's Committee Rooms are opened in the rear of the office of Mr. Joseph Travers, 421 Columbia street, near Fourth, Burr block, and he will be glad to receive the help and assistance of all interested in the welfare of our city. **

Mr. Bursill, alias Felix Penne, Fleet street journalist and litterateur, gave a very interesting address on the poet Blake at the West End Presbyterian church last night. He entertained his audience most successfully, and made his subject one of great attraction to all who heard him. Mr. Tom Prentice, who was to have accompanied Mr. Bursill and also have spoken a few words, was unfortunately unable to attend, as his presence was required at a political meeting at Central Park.

Headaches caused from defective eyesight. Get your eyes tested by a graduate optician, and have your glasses made to suit, satisfaction guaranteed. W. Gifford Optical Parlors, in T. Gifford's jewelry store. **

Mr. Thomas W. Forrest died yesterday in his 78th year. The deceased was a native of Nova Scotia, and came to the Delta twenty years ago. He farmed there until about seven years ago, when he took up his residence at 324 Seventh street. He leares a wife and two daughters, Mrs. G. H. Bent and Miss Theresa Forrest. The funeral will take place on Saturday from the family residence at 2 p.m. to the Odd Fellows' cemetery, the arrangements being in the hands of Messrs. Center and Hanna.

All four wheels clear of the track, a street car blocked all traffic on the city line for about half an hour or more last night. The accident occurred about 6:30 p.m. at the corner of Leopold street, the car leaving the rails and jumping the guard rail, which was covered with ice. Although it ran clear of the track before it stopped, there was not room enough for other cars to pass, until a break down gang arrived on the scene and lifted the derelict well out of the way. When this had been done the service was resumed, and the cars ran as usual for the rest of the evening.

Mayoralty Election Notice.

In the interests of the mayoralty candidature of J. S. Bryson the electors of the city of New Westminster are notified, that permanent committee rooms have been engaged in the old Knights of Pythias hall directly above Curtis' drug store, Columbia street. These rooms will be open day and evening until after the election and everyone is cordially invited to visit these rooms at any time, and any assistance rendered the committee will be greatly appreciated.

Alderman Bryson will address the electors on Friday evening in St. Barnabas parish room. **

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Splendid Bargain in Corsets

VALUES TO $4.50. FRIDAY BARGAIN $2.00 PER PAIR.

Women who have Corsets to buy within the next few months will find this a wonderful saving. All good styles in D. & A. and Royal Worcester Models. There are only a few sizes of each style, but all sizes including the different models; qualities are of finest French coutille, with extra strong caped steels; white only.

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COTTON EIDERDOWN—EXTRA SPECIAL.

28-inch heavy fleeced cotton eiderdown; in shades of sky; regular value 35c. Friday bargain, yard .25c

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Nottingham Lace Curtains; in white; size 52x108 inches; good designs; regular values $1.25. Friday bargain, per pair 90c

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Women's heavy knitted wool gloves; in fancy and plain colors; all sizes; regular values to 50c.

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HAIR BARRETTES.

Fancy bared and plain shell Barrettes; all shades; regular values to 50c. Friday bargain, each ..25c
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PILLOW CASES 25c PAIR.

Here are Pillow Cases worthy of special note; made of special grade cotton; with deep hem; size 40 and 42 inches; worth 35c. Friday bargain, per pair 25c

TURKISH TOWELS REDUCED. For Friday 25c Pair.

Brown Turkish Towels; size 18x40 inches; good weight; regular values 35c. Friday bargain, per pair 25c

SAVE MUCH ON QUILTS BY SHOPPING FRIDAY

11/4 size, White Grecian Bedspreads; extra weight; finished at ends with hem; regular values $1.75. Friday bargain, each $1.25

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Seven only Colored Quilts; heavy honeycomb with fringed ends; in shades of pink and yellow; large size 72x48 inches; extra heavy grade; regular $1.75. Friday bargain, each $1.35

48-inch White Curtain Muslin; in fancy stripe and dot effects; regular values 35c. Friday bargain, per yard 22½c

48-inch Curtain Bungalow Nets; in shades of cream and ecru; pretty designs; regular values 45c and 50c. Friday bargain, per yard 35c

16-inch Turkish Toweling; brown; good weight; regular value 20c. Friday bargain, per yard....15c

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