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ABBOTSFORD'S GALA DAY

The Second Annual May Day was a grand success from the opening in the morning until the closing dance in the evening, and all went well as a marriage bell, with never a hitch or a break in the proceedings, everybody enjoyingthemselves to the fullest extent. The day was perfect as was evrything else in connection with the programme of the day.

There were twenty-eight entries in the Parade and it was a credit to Abbotsford. The Judges were Messrs Reeve Munroe, R. McCrimmon and Mr. Marsh.

The poor judges had a hard time of it, but once the prizes were allotted all seemed satisfied.

Best Auto—First Dan Smith; 2nd Dr. Swift.

Best Float—1st, McDonald; 2nd A. Lee.

Best Rig—1st, Emery & Currie; 2nd. Miss Mildred Hilt-Tout.

Best Calithumpian—1st, J. Downie 2nd Harry Taylor.

Speeches were delivered at the opening by the chairman Mr. McGowan Reeve Munroe and Mr. S. A. Cawley M. L. A.; and Mayor Barber of Chilliwack made a short speech inviting all to attend the First of July celebration at Chilliwack.

Then came a song by the school children, after which chairman McGowan closed the morning part of the day's programme with a short speech and calling for three cheers for King and President of the May Day

A baseball game was played between Abbotsford and Matsqui resulting in 16-5 in favor of the former.

The Tog parade in the evening was well attended and the large crowd thoroughly enjoyed the good music provided by the six-piece orchestra.

The two queens were very pretty in their white dresses, with pale and pink train; also flowers of pale and pink.

The retiring Queen is Miss Bessie Anderson and the reigning Queen is Miss Annie McPhee.

Great credit is due the May Day committee for the way the program was carried out and to Mrs. G. Clark for the training of the children.

The concert in the evening was a success and was voted the best seen in Abbotsford for some time.

Owing to a mishap we are unable to publish a list of the winners of the sports in the afternoon

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Emery and Mr and Mrs. Dan Smith are leaving on Sunday for a three months holiday in the east and will return by way of San Francisco to take in the Fair.

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ABBOTSFORD, B. C.

MATSQUI COUNCIL

The regular meting of the Matsqui council was held on Saturday, May 1st, with all members of the council present and the reeve in the chair.

The minutes of the meeting of the 3rd inst., and the minutes of the meeting of the 17h ult., were adopted as read.

Communications Received

From General Superintendent of the B. C. E. R. Co. Ltd., stating that their engineer is looking into the matter of the stagnant water lying on each side of their track at Gifford Station and the Council would be be acquainted in due course with the result of his investigation.

Also, stating that the matter of deepening the cultverts at the Riverside road crossing would be undertaken only at the expense of the municipality as they were informed that they were not liable for the cost of lowering or increasing the size of culverts to provide waterways for increased flow of water due to improvements of drainage over which they had no control. The reeve stated that the railway Act of the Domincouncil in support of these roads but erations must be borne by the Railway Companies and the matter was left in his hands for settlement.

From T. F. Seldon asking that the South Bell road be gravelled from the Clayburn road to the township line road, and the latter road gravelled eastward towards the mountain as far as possible. He submitted an estimate of the work as follows: Grading, the work to be done at 45¢ per hour ....85.00; One-half mile of gravel $180.00; Some work on the road by the premises of Mr. Hastie $25.

Mr. E. G. Walter addressed the council in spport of these roads but stated that the estimate furnished by Mr. Seldon was too low. He estimated that the gravelling would cost $207 for the first half mile. The reeve informed him that until the council had gone more thoroughly into the estimates for the year no definite answer could be given to the application, although Councillor McCallum stated that this work was included in his list and he hoped he would be able to make substantial improvements on these roads.

From Messrs Burnett & McGugan on behalf of the N. E. 1-4 of section 13 Township 13, stating that the demands of the council as to the work to be done on the half road allowance on the western boundary were being complied with, and asuring the council that the work would be done to their satisfaction. Councillor Melander reported that he had inspected the work done and it was far foom satisfactory. The men incharge had declined to do anything further until he had received instructions from the owner who was expected to visit the premises on the Monday following. The report of the councillor was accepted by the council and the matter was left in abeyance until the work was completed.

From A. D. McDonald, stating he the work done and it was far from been given credit on his taxes before the rebate period had expired in 1914 and he was of the opinion that he was entitled to the rebate.

From the Bank of Montreal, advising that the current account had been charged with the sum of $165.15, being the interest due on the loans for the quarter ending April 30th. Filed

From Royal Columbian Hospital, stating that Hans Hendrickson and W. C. Cooke had been admitted therein as patients and that Frank Taylor had been dischargel on April 24th. Filed.

Henderson & Taylor, asking what the Council had decided to do in the matter of the tentative plan of sub-division of the 54.7 acre portion of D. L. 380A. Councillor Elliott stated that he would give notice of motion later in the meeting to gazette a road along the north boundary of D. L. 379A and that thereby the matter of road connection may be provided between the Beharrell road and the Aish & Walter road.

From J. C. Berkenhamp, asking why he was called upon to pay $22 on Blocks 12 and 13 subdivision of the S. W. 1-4 of section 3 Tp. 14 when the property was improved and the assessment was only $509.97. The clerk informed the council that these blocks were assessed as wild land in 1913 and 1914 although assessed as improved land this year.

Elliott-Owen that if Mr. J. C. Berkenkamp pay the taxes now due against blocks 12 and 13, subdivision of the south-west 1-4 of section 3, Tp. 14 the council will refund the difference between the Wild Land Tax and the improved property tax provided he submit proof satisfactory to the council that these blocks were sufficiently improved during 1913 and 1914 to be classed as improved property. Carried.

From E. W. King J. P., stating the bill sent in by Roy Lehman for $5 for serving a summons in the case of Prosoloski and Shingler. No action was taken as the reeve stated he was not familiar with the statutory scale of fees.

From G. H. Loach, stating that he had been informed by Coun. Owen that the council was unable to spend any money in straightening the road which encroaches on his property although the cost would not exceed $12 and that he would begin to fence his land during the following week. The Reeve took issue with the writer as to his power to close any highway which had been established by the Highway Act of 1905, and while it was desirable to establish roads on the boundaries of properties the coun cil was not compelled to do so. Coun-Owen was of the opinion that when the owner of a small holding was making substantial improvements on his property the council should put the road in its proper place so that there might not be any necessity of again moving the fence. In answer to a question the Councillor stated that the $175.00 which had been appropriated to straighten this road did not include this portion and while the money had all been spent the work for which it had been authorized was not completed.

Elliott-McCallum, that Councillor Owen be authorized to expend a sum of $45 for the completion of the work on the Coghlan road. Carried.

Coun. Elliott reported that the work previously authorized at the junction of the Bell and Harris roads had been completed at a cost of $80 which had been paid for by Mr. G. Behrner and Mr. A. C. Gustafson who were to be credited equally on their taxes for the current year when the same were due. The report was accepted by the council. He reported also, that at the present time there was no need of financial assistance to any family in his ward.

Resolutions

Melander-Elliott, that Coun. McCallum be authorized to spend $200 on the Township Line road east of the right-of-way of the C. P. R. Carried.

McCalum-Melander, that Councillor Elliott be authorized to make arrangements for teams to haul crushed rock on the Riverside road if needful to start before the next meeting of the council.Carried.

McCallum-Elliott, that Councillor McCalum be authorized to expend $150 on the Ross road north, $175 on the Huntingdon road by the N. W. 1-4 of section 3, Tp. 13, $50 on the Township Line road between Tps. 13 and 16, and to call for tenders to cut the White hill. Carried.

McCallum-Elliott, that the Great Northern Railway Company be notified to clear the roadbed to the original width in the cut at the Ross road crossing. Carried.

McCallum-Elliott, that the clerk notify Mr. Cote that the west end of his fence is in the northside of the ditch on the International Boundary and if he does not remove the fence it will probably fall in when the ditch is dug. Carried.

Elliott-Owen, that the C. N. R. Ry company be notified to improve the

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Jean Gray was a guest of Mrs. Taylor on May Day.

Mrs. McGowan leaves on Sunday for a holiday in the east.

Miss Hunt of Belrose is spending a few days with Mrs. Frank Sutherby.

The ladies aid are holding a conundrum social in the Gazley block today, serving tea, ice cream and cake.

It is reported that there are about fifty applications for the position of road superintendent for Chilliwack riding

A banquet will be given in the Orange Hall on May 18 in honor of the visiting delegates to Grand Lodge of True Blues.

A dance will be given at Pearlonville on Saturday evening May 15th Everybody is invited. Good music, and the ladies are allowed free. Supper will be served.

Members of the Abbotsford Horse have returned from New Westminster where they took part in the May Day celebratioens. They report having a good time.

The Grand Lodge of True Blues of B. C. will hold a convention in Abbotsford on May 19th and 20th. Delegates from all parts of the province will take part. It will be held in the Gazley Hall.

A surprise party and dance will be given Mrs. Dan Smith and Mrs. D. Emery on Friday evening in the Gazley Hall. About forty couples are invited. Grand Mistress, Mrs. Irvine will present Mrs. Dan Smith and Mrs. D. Emery with travelling cases on behalf of the True Blues. Refreshments will be provided by the ladies.

LETTER OF THANKS

The May Day committee desire to express their gratitude to all who helped in any way to make May Day a success

We appreciate the co-operation of the firms who advertised on our programmes, and beg to thank one and all for their kind patronage.

Gratefully,
MAY DAY COMMITTEE
Per Secretary

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Cruickshank and family wish to thank the many friends for their manyf and numerous tokens of sympathy and help in their trouble and particularly for the letters and messages received.

ABBOTSFORD-SUMAS AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

A general meeting of the Abbotsford-Sumas Agricultural Association will be held in the Gazley Hall, Monday, May 17th at 8 p.m.

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WOMEN AND CHILDREN FIRST

When the Titanic went to the bottom of the sea as the result of collission with an iceberg, the whole world was horrified. A little rejoicing was had however while talking of the great disaster and was probably the means of consoling many a stricken father, mother, son or daughter, in the fact that the man—the wealthy and the poor alike—stepped to one side and assisted in the rescuing of the women and children. It was 'the ladies first' It was a disaster over which no human being had control How different though is the latest tragedy, the brutal sinking of the Lusitania. It was an act of men of a nation with a thirst for vengeance on humanity; and it was not a case of saving the women and children, as it is reported that the men on the submarine stood and watched the effect of their handiwork (excuse the word) No provision could be made for the saving as apparently the premeditated act was thoroughly carried out resulting in such confusion that probably few had an opportunity to think at all, not having recovered from the first shock.

The Anglo-Saxon world is horrified; foreign nations are not backward in expressing opinion of the nation responsible for the deed. We all ask ourselves what manner of nation is this that we all considered foremost in science, art, education and mechanical ability, only a few months ago. Down through the ages the stigma of the brutalities committed by the Huns will be looked upon with horror and regret, and the military "Black Hand and the Bloody Heart" of the Kaiser and his staff be held responsible for the greatest barabarisms of the twentieth century or the days of the "Dark Ages".

Yes, and not ashamed of it, and the word comes out from Potsdam, 'Germany accepts the responsibility'.

Horrible crimes are always punished sooner or later; what a punishment must surely await the Hun!!!

"Crisis in B. C." appears to have stirred up a hornet's nest The Christian gentlemen who are apparently responsible for the pamphlet are certainly a living example of their own teachings. Dr. MacKay of Vancouver showed his fellow ministers a very good example when he dicided not to enter politics, and to remain in the ministry only.

Now the report is that Borden has 'gone fishing' and that the Dominion elections date is indefinite—this fall, next winter, or next year, or maybe 'until after the war.' We would send our congratulations to Sir Robert Borden if we thought he would appreciate our opinion, but not knowing we will have to content ourselves by thinking what a wise old politician he must be. The Dominion has enough to think about now outside of politics

RED CROSS SOCK DAY.

The Canadian Red Cross Society, through the head office in Toronto inaugurated a "Sock Day" for April 20 but as the Branch in this province did not receive the notification in time to observe that day, the executive of the Vancouver Society felt that the suggestion was too valuable to dismiss and decided to hold their "Sock Day" for British Columbia on Empire and Victoria Days, May 23rd and 24th.

On these days every man, woman and child in B. C. will have an opportunity to give one, or as many pairs of socks as he or she wishes, and it is hoped that the last great western province will be the first in its generosity.

British Columbia has responded to the Empire's call for men, and it is not too much to expect that those who remain at home will respond as nobly to the appeal for the soldiers who are fighting their battles.

Canada today is thrilling with just pride at the reports coming from the battlefield in Flanders and she is conscious of the fact that her sons have proved to the world that they too are British and can and will uphold the traditions of the Empire. They have proved worthy of their heritage.

The reports have brought home to Canada something more than the news of the exploits of her gallant sons. It has brought home a realization of the great duty which falls upon the Canadians. Canadians at home today have as great a duty to perform as the men who wear the King's uniform and are fighting in Flanders. Our soldiers have upheld the honor of Canada, and it remains for those who cannot go to do their part as nobly.

The casualty lists show clearly how great the need will be. Many thousands of wounded men will be carried off the battle fields every week, and upon the Red Cross Society revolves the duty of caring for the majority of them.

Shall these men want for anything that will save their lives or ease their pain? Shall the men who have thus far been mercifully spared, be denied the comfort of good woollen socks? Will Canadians allow those who have fought so bravely to go without socks and endure the torture of blistred and bruised feet: These questions will be and are being answered by the efforts the public is making to provide whatever is necessary. Canadians in Canada will prove not less worthy of their heritage than have their sons at the front.

The Red Cross Society has estimated that 50,000 pairs of socks will be necessary every week for the men of the Canadian contingent in France.

One individual, or one city, cannot supply them, but individual effort multiplied by thousands will meet the need. If every man, woman and child in B. C. will give what they can, "Sock Day" will be a wonderful success.

For the sake of the soldiers the Red Cross Society is asking that every one who can, will make or buy one or more pairs of socks or donate half a pound of wool at the least, which will be made up by Red Cross Workers. Individuals and societies are asked to take up the movement and push it forward. All contributtions should be mailed or brought in to the Red Cross Central Depot, Industrial Bureau, corner of Cambie Street and Pender Street (183 Pender Street West) where they will be listed and packed ready for the front

Arnold Bennet writes that the call on the Red Cross Society during May and June "will be terrific" and this week's casualty lists go far to bear out his statement. Any person who is willing to work for the men at the front along general Red Cross lines may obtain full information, patterns etc. by applying to the Property Committee at the Central Depot, Vancouver. There is work for ever man, woman and child who will answer to "the call of the Empire".

(The local Women's Institute will be glad to receive socks on "Sock Day" and forward them to Vancouver.)

MATSQUI COUNCIL

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Riverside road crossing by placing thereon two or three loads of gravel. Carried.

Elliott-McCallum, that the rate of municipal wages for Matsqui Municipality be as follows for 1915, to start from the 3rd day of May: For man and team $4.00 for a day of 8 hours; for man with one horse $3.00 for a day of 8 hours.

For man only $2.00 for a day of 8 hours; for foreman $2.50 for a day of 8 hours. Carried.

Owen-Elliott, that the Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll be, and the same hereby is, postponed from May 15th to May 29th. Carried

Councillor Owen reported that he had made diligent inquiries as to the abode of Mrs. Henry Rigg who had been reported by the Royal Columbian Hospital as having been admitted therein as a patient, but was unable to ascertain that she was a resident of Matsqui Municipality. The clerk was instructed to write to the Hospital for further particulars.

Bills Presented for Payment

G. Johnson, completion of the contract on the Riverside road $200; G. Connor, taking F. Taylor to hospital $6.85; telephone re Hendrickson 35¢; Abbotsford Timber & Trading Co., Ltd., lumber, ward 3 53¢; Bounties: Matt Harvey $3.50; Bert Farr $3.00; P. H. Smith $3.20; A. Lampa $4.70; A. Alingren $2.40; N. S. Sandberg $3.30.

Repairing bridge at corner of the N. W. 1-4 of secion 1, Tp. 14: Fir Tree Lumber Co., lumber $5.88; plant, hauling $1.00; A. Lehman, spikes 50¢; J. T. Anderson, labor, $1.12 1-2; G. P. Dearing, labor $1.12 1-2¢.

Straightening Coghlan road: M. Robinson $19.13; W. Firkins $18.00 H. Terrant $18.00, less $2.00 road tax; W. O'Bryan $18.00; A. Hawkins $18.00; W. Coutts $18.00; D. B. McDougald, foreman $21.12; F. Coghlan with team $20.25; J. Loach with team $20.25; Powder, caps and fuse $4.25.

E. W. King, 1 1-2 days on the R. M. R. road $3.88; H. Robinson, assisting the surveyor 1 day on township line road $2.25; C. A. Society maintenance of F. Aish children to April 30th $32.00; C. Rummel, 10 rods of fence along the White road $5.00; Smith, Davidson & Wright, stationery $9,20; Johnson Cannon. police duties, recommended by the Police commissioners $22.80; The Fair, stationery for the Assessor 46¢; Dr. T. A. Swift, medical examination of M. Powell $5.00; J. Spice $7 Dr. Port, first quarter as M. H. Officer $18.75;

Fencing Ware road: Ben Nelson $105.00; J. A. McGowan $15.00; W. J. Ware $117.

School accounts: Miss H. K. Whistler April salary $55; N. Auburn, $70; Miss M. L. Dorer $55; N. H. Anning, janitor $2.00; Miss E. M. Thomson $60; janitor $2.00; Miss E. M. Munn $60; Miss J. L. Simlett $55; Miss L. L. Mitchell $55; Miss Shaw $85; W. G. Gamble $70; Miss G. McAdam $60; Miss N. C. Reid $70; Mrs. N .Green $55; Miss F. E. Trethewey $60; Miss A. E. Trethewey $60; Miss M. Page $60, janitor $2.00; Miss E. M. Sidney $55, janitor $2.00; John Catto janitor $2.00 T. L. Baker, janitor $2.00; E. Fergus o n, janitor $2.00 Mary Conroy, janitor $2.00, March cleaning $2.00; Mrs. Carlson, janitress $25.00; Edgar Reid, janitor, $2.00; Mary McLean, janitress $2.00; Albin Nordin work on Matsqui flag-pole $10.00; Effie MacLean, April cleaning $4.00; Wm. Merryfield, postage $2.00 registration fees re Jubilee $6.00

James Gibson, April salary $75, expenses to Abbotsford 60¢; postage $8.88; allowed Wm. Walters credit on taxes $58.00.

Postage for school board $1.00; paid B. C. E. R. power account for March $3.58; Mrs. M. Ferguson janres $2.00 J. Ferguson wood for Dunach school $1.50; Eric Roberts janitor $2.00; Mrs. R. Higginson, janitress $2.00; B. C. E. R., power for April 77¢; R. J. Wilson, work on seats at Clayburn $2.00; Bertie Gibson, April cleaning and April janitor $4.00

Elliott-Owen, that the bills as read signed by the chairman of the finance committee be passed and also

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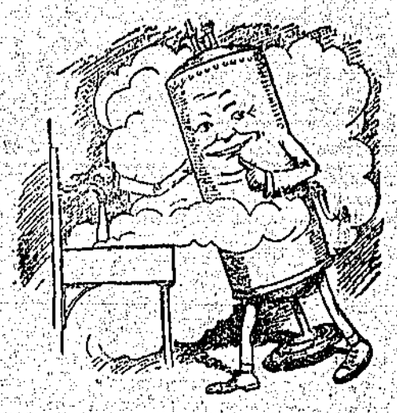

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HUNTINGDON NEWS ITEMS

We are daily expecting the annual visit of the Health Officer, Dr. Swift, to our school. Although I was unable to carry out his instructions to the letter of the law in the matter of the chicken pox, Dr. Swift acted promptly, and the outbreak was confined to two or three very light cases.

The results from his visit last year have been better than any I have seen before in a British Columbia school. Teeth received immediate atention from dentists. Four children have had special examination of the eyes, and the defects remedied by the use of glasses made by an optician to suit each particular case. This was a direct result of the Dr.'s eye-test last summer. One cannot, without seeing it, realize the great benefit this has been in schoolwork alone,—so we hope for a better school life since this beginning has been made.

A. M. GILLESPIE

SAW TOO MUCH ON TRIP

When Chief Provincial Constable Smith was in Huntingdon shortly installing Constable Thorne at Abbotsford and Huntingdon he noticed that water was lying just over the line alongside the corner saloon and it was stagnant and a menace to health so reported the matter to Olympia. W The authorities notified the health officers for Sumas to have it remedied at once and they opened up sewer and then the water drained away, also the water that was on the Canadian side proving this water came from the Canadian side. Now the Provincial authorities will have to either dig a ditch or put in a drain to carry the water away

Mr. Cawley, M. L. A. promised to look into the matter and is expected in Huntingdon any day.

It is hoped that the provincial authorities will at once place a good substantial drain to carry the water to the east and then the matter will be settled for some time.

SUMAS COUNCIL MEETING

The Sumas council held their regular meting in the council chamber on Saturday May 1st with the Reeve, Councillors E. E. Austin, W. Roberts, T. B. Straiton and L. O. Lamson being present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted as read The following correspondence was read. From J. A. Bates, re postponment of the Court of Revision; S. A Morley, re Delinquet Taxes; Whitesides, Edmonds and Whitesides, re audit of accounts, J. A. Burnett, re Audit of accounts; Wolverton & Co., Ltd., re dyking Sumas Prairie

From the School board re increased estimate for 1915 $1600 to $2150 Change accepted as passed.

Motions Carried:

Clerk was instructed to obtain services of an auditor to audit books moved by Councillor Roberts and seconded by Councillor Austin.

Straiton-Austin, that the posponment of the Court of Revision for 1915 from May 15 to June 19th between the hours of 12 noon and 2 p.m.

Request from S. J. Bates secretary of the Farmers' Institute for a loan of $100 for the purchasing of powder for blasting purposes.

Straiton-Lamson, that the request of the Farmers' Institute be granted and cheque issued; loan payable on December 1st next.

Request from F. Sutherby for return of box of powder borrowed from him and used on parts of McKenie road last year;

Austin-Roberts, that the rejuest be granted.

Straiton-Lamson that A. Keeping receive $25 part payment of appropriation granted Keeping road.

Councillor Roberts introduced a proposal that Abbotsford Townsite owners join Sumas municipality.

By resolution the council stated no objection would be taken to the addition of Abbotsford Townsite to the municipality as 5th ward providing it were satisfactory to the ratepayers interested.

Roberts-Austin; that the scale of wages paid to the Constable be $2.50 per day and 40¢ per hour, horse rig and driver.

Mr. Shearer of Straiton interviewed the council re the ditching on his road. The matter was left in the hands of Councillor Straiton, with power to act

A request for a road to his property was made by Dr. McKee. Coun. Straiton reported that the matter needed attention. Councillors Straiton and Roberts to view same and to reeport at the next meeting.

Councillor Austin was appointed to look into the matter of the Harris road between Campbell and T. York property. Mr. Hardis thinks that this road should be improved.

The reeve reported the burial of a man named Kalberg found dead near the B. C. E. R. track.

Tenders from J. R. Firlotte, Geo. Hallett, H. Hickmot, J. W. Kennedy for straightening part McKenzie road to Taylor line laid over to next meeting June 5th.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

Leslie P. DeLair, constable expenses $21.25; Currie & Emery $5; B. C. E. R. light municipal hall, $1.48; M. M. Gordon, re Kalberg deceased $10; Elmer Marcy, re Kalberg deceased $4; Clerk, salary and sundries $37.50; school board salaries $370; Expenses $39.40; B. E. Boley, re Kalberg deceased $5; B. E. Boley, gravelling DeLair road $2; S. J. Bates Loan Farmers' Institute (powder) Arthur Keeping, Keepinp road $25.

The meeting adjourned to June 5 at the usual hour.

LACROSSE CLUB COME TO LIFE

New Westminster, B. C., May 13.—After a lapse of almost one year the historic struggles for supremacy in the lacrosse world indulged in between teams representing Vancouver and New Westminster are to be resumed again, and although conditions may not now be as ideal as they were in the days of yore, the same spirit which actuated Con Jones to attempt to lift the famous Minto Cup from its moorings, is present with him today. Con hates to give up and the amicable settlement of the lacrosse embroglio is due in a great measure to the fact that he and Alderman A. E. Kellington, manager of the world's champions, have been able to agree upon a satisfactory working basis, that the game, undoubtedly the most popular athletic sport in the Dominion is to be again revived.

The season will open in New Westminster on May 24 and the occasion will no doubt be taken advantage of by a number of the old time Fraser Valley supporters of the clubs who will welcome a return of the strenonous days of long ago when the supporters of either side were quite willing to back their teams with their money first and their fists afterwards if need be.

The old rivals will face each other on exactly the same footing as in other years, with Vancouver fighting for the World's honors and the Salmonbellies playing the role of defenders as only they can.

The Rennies, Springs and Turnbulls with a Gifford or two thrown in for good measure; Bun Clarke between the nets and Buck Marshall, Puk Wintermute and Pat Feeney will comprise the backbone of the Royals and any team which can win consistently from this aggregation are entitled to their laurels. They will be well earned.

Con Jones is saying a little beyond the terse statement that he will place a team in the field capable of giving battle to the Salmonbellies. Con's worst detractors will have to admit that he has never fallen down in this particular department of the game in the past and there is no doubt but that he will be as good as his word this season.

The teams are both practising faithfully three nights a week and will be in good shape to travel the full route at top speed May 24, on the historic old green sward at Queen's park.

MATSQUI COUNCIL

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cheques issued in payment thereof. Carried.

McCallum-Melander, that a demand note for the amount of the current overdraft be signed by the reeve, clerk and finance committee under authority of the Temporary Loan Bylaw 1915; also, that a demand note be signed by the reeve, clerk and finance committee under like authority for the amount of the overdraft arising from the payment of the salaries of the school teachers and janitors for the month of April and further that the clerk be empowered to endorse each note as follows "The liability incurred by the within note is a liability payable out of the municipal revenue for the year 1915". Carried.

Councillor Elliott gave notice to introduce a bylaw to establish a road along the northern boundary of D. L 379A of a width of 16 1-2 feet on each side of the centre line of the road.

The clerk presented a detailed statement of the receipts and of the expenditures of the council and of the school board up to April 30th.

Considerable discussion arose concerning the anticipated revenue for the current year and of the proposed expenditures, after which the council adjourned to meet in the exhibition building of the Matsqui Agricultural Hall on Saturday, May 15th at 9:30 o'clock.

NOTICE

All members of L. O. L. No. 1867 are cordially invited to attenl a banquet in the Orange Hall Wednesday evening, May 19th, at 7 p.m., given by the New Era Lodge No. 244 L. T. B's in honor of the Provincial Grand Lodge of B. C.

F. WOOLER,
Corresponding Secretary
Corporation of the District of Sumas
Huntingdon, B. C.

COURT OF REVISION, 1915

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the Assessment Roll is postponed from the 1st day of May, 1915 to Saturday the 19th day of June 1915, between the hours of 12 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the Municipal Hall.

OLIVER BLATCHFORD
Assessor

Huntingdon, B. C.

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