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CANADIAN SOLDIERS ENTERTAINED AT WINDSOR

CITY ENGINEER TO PLAN SEWERS FOR DOWN TOWN

Council is Talking of Spending \$250,000 on Two Seperate Sewer Schemes For the Down Town Section---One Will Drain Between Fourth and Eighth Streets and the Other From Eighth to the Junction---Plans and Specifications Are Ordered.

Sewers, formed the subject of discussion at the city council meeting last night after the little matter of resignations of Alderman Hilditch and Alderman Newton had been dealt with. City Engineer Davis was present, and brought under consideration the plans and recommendations for a system of sewers prepared for last year's council and shelved them as too costly.

Finances Better
Alderman Hilditch stated that the cost was too great at the time, he believed the finances of the city today would enable the council to undertake the construction of a sewer system. About \$250,000 according to Alderman Hilditch is the amount of expense calculated upon for sewers. The scheme placed before last council by the City Engineer estimated to cost \$191,290. It covered the most populous portion of the city as one section, provided for sewers running to a minimum depth of nine feet from the street level.

Depth Important
This matter of the depth of sewer pipe below the street is

an important one," says Alderman Hilditch. The point is whether basements and cellars are to be drained by these sewers or whether only ground and upper storeys can be served by the sewer system. Colonel Davis stated that he proposed to construct a system which would ensure drainage for all cellars not exceeding 8 feet below street level. The lifetime of the system proposed to the old council was put by the City Engineer last night at forty years or over. In designing sewerage for this city, Colonel Davis has found it best to divide the city up into several separate sewer districts, each served by a separate system each section covering the drainage area served by its trunk sewer.

First Two Sections
It was moved by Alderman Hilditch and seconded by Alderman Kerr last night that the City Engineer now proceed to bring in plans and specifications for the construction of a sewer to serve the district between Fourth and Eighth streets, bounded on one side by Borden street and on the other by the waterfront. Also the district between Eighth street

and the Junction. Two separate systems of sewers the pipe line of which is to be not less than ten feet six inches below the level of the street grade.

WILL HAVE TRIP HOME
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Newton Plan an Interesting Holiday

Mr. C. D. Newton and Mrs. Newton will leave on the first of August for a trip to New York and other large eastern cities. While away Mr. Newton will pay a visit to his old home at Coburg, Ontario, after an absence of twenty-three years.

OVER HALF A MILLION
Montreal's New Directory shows Population of 560,000
(Canadian Press Despatch)
Montreal, June 29.—All discussion as to whether Montreal has passed the half million mark was set at rest today when the Might Directory was published showing that the population is now 560,000.

TWO BRITISH SOLDIERS ROBBED THE CANADIANS

Two Into the Officers' Quarters and Took \$500 Worth of Jewellery—Canadians Were Entertained at Windsor Castle This Morning by the King

(Canadian Press Despatch)
The visit of the Canadian detachment to the Coronation was marred by a couple of non-commissioned officers of the regimental detachment, who broke into the officers' quarters and stole the visitors of about \$500 worth of jewellery. They were picked up by detectives, arrested and found guilty. This morning the pair were sent to jail for two months for the theft. After release they will be dealt with by the military authorities.

Visit Windsor Castle
This morning the Canadian soldiers were entertained as guests of Majesty at Windsor Castle.

They were conducted over the castle grounds and laid wreaths of flowers on the tombs of King Edward and Queen Victoria. Now that the Coronation is over they will receive frequent entertainment.

NELSON MAN KILLED
Harry Leahy of the Canyon City Lumber Co., Run over by Freight Train.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Nelson, June 29.—Harry Leahy, aged about 50, an employee of the Canyon City Lumber Company, was run over by a freight train this morning and instantly killed.

START PLACER MINING ON THE SIWASH CREEK

Vancouver Men Will Put in an Extensive Hydraulic Plant to Work the Bed of the Siwash—Is Said to be a Very Valuable Property

Vancouver, June 29.—A syndicate of Vancouver men, including J. R. Crawford, have secured the mining rights for all of the Siwash creek below the forks.

They will install a power plant near the mouth and work the bed of Siwash, long

known to be very rich, they will have to carry the entire stream between the forks and the falls in a flume some hundreds of feet of which has already been constructed and was in use some years ago.

Siwash creek enters the Fraser river about one mile above Yale, and is connected with the Canadian Pacific by a cable ferry over the Fraser canyon. There is a narrow-

guage wagon road up Siwash to the forks and there are two mines there equipped with stamp mills.

A sensational strike of free gold, running into the thousands, was made up Siwash just above the forks last November. The control of this new property, together with a bond and lease of the Marvel, which is equipped with a six-stamp Merrill mill, has passed to an English company, represented by N. A. D. Armstrong in the negotiations.

WHY NOT HAVE REAL BASEBALL IN TOWN?

Keen Interest is Growing Among the Young Men of the City Arising Out of the Indoor Game—Teams Will be Organized and Efforts Made to Secure Park

Interest in indoor baseball is growing rapidly in the city and there is enthusiastic talk today in several quarters on the subject of forming other teams representative of various groups of live young men.

Manager E. Love of the telephone and electric light departments, believes he can get together a cracker jack team from his departments, and once this team gets on its feet a challenge will be issued to all comers.

To have a City Hall team is also a proposal in the air at present, and members of the waterfront and railway staffs are considering their own powers in this direction. It is likely that this season may see the formation of an Indoor Baseball League here from which very quickly will spring interests strong enough to ensure proper facilities for the greater outdoor game.

Baseball enthusiasts in the city have been looking around for a possible baseball ground for quite a little while, and one or two

BASEBALL SCORES

Northwestern League
Vancouver 3, Spokane 8.
Victoria 1, Tacoma 2.
Portland and Seattle game postponed on account of rain.
Pacific Coast League
Vernon 3, Oakland 0.
Portland 9, Sacramento 0.
San Francisco and Los Angeles game postponed on account of rain.
National League
New York 3, Boston 0.
St. Louis 7, Chicago 1.
Cincinnati 3, Pittsburgh 3.
Brooklyn 2, Philadelphia 0.
American League
Boston and New York game postponed on account of rain.
Cleveland 3, Chicago 4.
Detroit 3, St. Louis 2.
Washington 4, Philadelphia 2.

PRESENTS EDITOR WITH \$4000 CHECK

Interesting Presentation to Mr. Arthur Wallis of the Toronto Mail and Empire.

Toronto, June 29.—An interesting presentation was made today by the Mail Printing Company, when a check for \$4,000 representing a year's salary was given to Mr. Arthur Wallis their chief editorial writer, who is leaving to assume a position under the Ontario Government as Clerk of the Surrogate Court.

In addition the staff presented him with gifts of jewellery valued at \$200. Mr. Wallis is one of the best known and most popular of the older journalists in Toronto. His connection with the Mail and Empire extends over a period of 36 years.

Will Draw Tomorrow
Owing to Saturday, July 1st, being a statutory holiday, members of Sloan & Company's Suit Clubs will draw for them tomorrow evening. The store will be closed all day Saturday.

Here You Are
For a well made suit Rudnick & Sweder Bros. are the people. Helgerson Block Basement, 6th Street.

BRINGS A GOOD REPORT BACK FROM THE INTERIOR

Mr. E. C. Gibbons Has Returned After a Six Week's Trip into the Bulkley Valley---Has Visited the Townsite of Houston---Season is a Little Late But Splendid Vegetable Crops Are Being Raised---Horse-raising and Grazing is Good---Settlers Are Going in

Just returned from a six weeks' tour of the country about 100 miles above Hazelton, and the Pleasant Valley district as far as the new townsite of Houston, Mr. E. C. Gibbons is able to tell of rapid work pressing on there on the construction of roads. Twelve different crews are working on the stretch between Hazelton and Houston. The road is a fine wagon road intended to serve the settlers who are pouring in steadily.

Dairy Farm Country
Mr. Gibbons passed many parties of settlers with their wives, children and household gear. In every way Mr. Gibbons believes in the district as a field for the class of settlers coming in.

"These parts," he says, "are most suitable for mixed and dairy farming, and the completion of the railway to this district means that Prince Rupert will draw her milk, butter, egg, and farm produce supply form here in the future. At present splendid vegetable crops are being raised. There is good grazing, and in the Bulkley Valley horse rearing has been exceedingly profitable. The

great ranch there is Barratt's "Diamond D" Ranch. Here, I understand, they sold \$16000 worth of hay to Messrs. Foley, Welch and Stewart. The hay was all of the fine quality grown up in the Bulkley Valley. It is certainly a great grazing, and farming country."

Late Season This
"About the beginning of August will be a great time to go up into those districts. This season is a week or two later than usual but by that time all the berry crops will be ripe, and the whole district will be at its best. In spite of the fact that the season is a little late things are coming on very rapidly, and fine crops of vegetables are assured. Some little delay and disappointment occurred through the visitation of frost early this summer, but the abundance of good flourishing vegetable growth in the gardens of every ranch there shows that the frost trouble is not really serious. In some cases, however, this season potatoes have been nipped by frost, and there are tracts where this crop cannot be satisfactorily grown.

Transportation Costly
"The great problem up river now is the cost of bringing in supplies from Prince Rupert. It costs about \$50 a ton to bring in stuff from Prince Rupert to Hazelton, and to take it on again to points beyond Aldermere costs seven and a half cents per pound. The goods have to be packed in of course. Nevertheless there are numerous satisfied settlers there, and coming in. Towards the Ootsa Lake region many prospective ranchers with their wives and families are steadily going in waggons with led pack horses.

Mining Awaits Steel
"More than the agricultural resources of the district, the mining resources await anxiously the coming of the steel to Hazelton. Mining men are confident of the future of the properties on the Hazelton and Nine Mile mountains, and development work goes on in anticipation of the railway's completion. The great interest in Hazelton real estate, at present, centres around Bob Kelly's townsite there. This is considered a good thing, by Hazelton and outside investors."

STOWAWAY CASE DISMISSED

Prince Albert Passenger Goes Free Today. No Prosecution
Today the only case brought up before Magistrate Carss was that of the man Blankenburg who was accused of attempting to stow-away on the Prince Albert recently. The Magistrate dismissed the case this morning as the prosecution did not put in appearance.

ROBBERS PILLAGE TRAIN FOR THE SECOND TIME

Oregon Express on the Southern Pacific Road is Held Up for the Second Time in Two Weeks—Daring Bandits Detached the Express Cars

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Eugene, Oregon, June 29.—Another daring train robbery and hold up was perpetrated by a band of masked bandits last night, when for the second time within two weeks the Oregon Express on the Southern Pacific was robbed. The robbery was daringly planned and executed.

Stopped the Train
The bandits met the train at Westford in Cow Creek Canyon and forced the driver to stop by placing obstructions on the line. While some of the number mounted guard over the train crew, the remainder ran the engine and

express baggage mail cars for four miles up the track.

They forced open the registered mail sacks and carried away the letters. Afterwards they made an attempt to open the safe in the express car by blowing it with nitro glycerine. Being unsuccessful in this they made off. On the previous occasion the train was held up in the same vicinity of Douglas county. A sheriff and posse are in pursuit, but reports are very meagre.

For a good meal on Dominion Day at a popular price, try the Royal Hotel Cafe.

RETAINING WALLS AND CULVERTS IN COUNCIL

Mayor and City Engineer to Communicate With Owners and Report to Council Regarding Retaining Walls—Culverts Will Come Later

By a motion carried by the council last night it has been agreed to leave the matter of retaining walls in the hands of the Mayor and City Engineer. The motion reads: "That the matter of retaining walls where very costly and expropriation is thought of shall be left in the hands of the Mayor and City Engineer to get into touch with the owners of the property, and

report back to the council."

Improves Property
The idea is that a clear explanation of the conditions should be made to absent owners and others showing that the construction of the retaining walls at these special points where expropriation may be necessary, is calculated to increase the value of the property

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Where to Go

EMPRESS THEATRE, Second Ave.
Pictures and Music, 7.30 p.m.
MAJESTIC THEATRE, Third Ave.
Pictures and songs, 7.30 p.m.
PHENIX THEATRE, Second Avenue.
Pictures and music, 7.30 p.m.
HILLER-LINDSAY CONCERT, Empress Theatre, 8.30 p.m., tonight.