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page 1246—page 9-" and so on that huge ink blot or on the mis- complaint concerning school or- the council has done well so far. until one had flipped over each sing page. page in the book several times. When you finally reached few of the many advantages of the required destination you second hand books; but what, were greeted with a barrage of may I ask, is the advantage of insulting names, which was the 2 rented book? pen mans way of telling you not to be so silly as to do everything you're told to do.

As well as being amused and REPORTERS - Carol Mooreinsulted you were also educated house, Irene Hansen, Anna Bekby those inexperienced authors. etov, Neil McAra, Arnold Olsen For is it not educating to wit

Personalities

FRANK McFADDEN Students Council President

Frank, better known as "Buck" is this years popular president has now had two meetings. At of the Students Council. He was these, among other things, a few extremely educational experience good fortune to be possessors of Vancouver, and also at King Ed is scheduled to take place on School here. Frank has attended October 14. and has been on the Council ir of us know, spurred the council grades seven, eight, and nine. He to a great amount of action is taking the High School Gradu- which will continue until a new ation course. Frank plays bask- school is forthcoming. The councoming Marie Antoinette and as There were also lengthy exer- to whether Hitler should have a ethali and likes boating and cil will also try to bring about owners of the volume, which bushy one. Your imagination al- special plans for the future e- regard to school affairs.

Journalism

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cises, inserted by the former short pointed beard or a long shooting next to girls. He has no more of the students wishes in read as follows: "If you want to so was developed rapidly when cept for chasing women, unquote. The council, still in its infancy know what my name is turn to you were forced to guess, on very Frank has belonged to the Naval has not been able to plan much page 395-turn to page 78-to short notice, the words behind Reserves for a year. His only in adance, but, as we all agree,

well this year.

ganization is that students are and if it continues, all will be

Plans Future

Junior Council Holds Meeting

The Junior Council which held The Journalism Club this year its meeting on September 13 disis under the direction of Mr. cussed organizational work, but Hurst. They plan to meet once intends to proceed with other a week at lunch hour They will work at their next meeting. The use half a page or more in this Council represents Grades 7,8,9. paper each Friday with articles Members are: Jim Flewin, Robert about what goes on in the school Hemmons, Jack Leighton, Fred and everything of special inter- Kristmanson, Gordon Marshall, est to students. The editor-in- Lawrence Friedland, Yvonne Kilchief is Donna Kerrigan, the dal, Annette Windle, Jaqueline editor of the weekly is Bernard Moore. Jack Leighton was elected and District portion of the Garrood and the editor of the President, and Yvonne Kildal, Secretary.

must float a bond issue them- divided according to 1949 as- other 50%. The total cost can selves in their area, while sessments; 1951's according to be broken down as follows: School Boards float the issue 1950 assessments; and so on. Provincial Govt. \$407,515.00 for villages and rural areas. In From each year's school req- City of Pr. Rupert . our distret this means two sep- uisition on the City, the amount Rural Portion arate bond issues totalling the of principal and interest for of District local share of the program. A which the City is responsible division must be made and the will be deducted, leaving a net

assessments of the previous The Provincial government year. By this method the have agreed to pay 50% of the amounts of City and School total cost of the project, and Board bond issues are deter- taxpayers in the City and rural areas are asked to provide the

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By W. J. SCOTT Chairman, School Board Finance Committee

In any discussion of the School Building program one of the first questions that arises "How much will it cost?" To answer by saying, "An estimated \$815,030.00" might satisfy some, but I doubt if it would stop further discussion on finances, with the average ratepayer. It is only part of the answer, and of little use to one who is interested in the effect on the tax rate. Before breaking this figure down into proportionate costs, and ultimately mined. to the annual levy that might be necessary to finance the program, may I briefly outline the back the monies borrowed for

school building purposes. To cover the cost of the City

school building program total annual is Irene Hansen. estimates are presented. Under the Public Schools Act, the City proportions are calculated ac- amount to be turned over to the cording to the official taxable Board for their expenses.

STAFF

EDITOR-Bernard Garood

On request, the City council prepares a By-law to be voted i on by the City voters, and the method of raising and paying Board prepares a By-law for the rural voters. Each party conducts its own polls and a 60% "Yes" vote is required for the entire area to carry the program.

> The Council and School Board negotiate sale of their bonds separately to raise the total amount authorized.

Each year in their annual budget, the School Board provides for that year's principal and interest payments on both bond issues. The total cost of the school operations, including debt servicing, is then divided between the partners according to the assessment totals of the previous year. That is to say, 1950's principal and interest are

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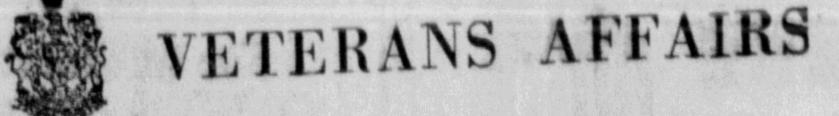
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