

**MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, MONDAY, MARCH 2<sup>ND</sup>, 1925 AT 8:00 P.M.**

Present:	His Worship Mayor Donaghy
	Alderman Bridgman
	Alderman Cameron
	Alderman Irwin
	Alderman Tolmie
	Alderman Townsley
	Alderman Vance

The Minutes of Regular meeting of Council, held February 16<sup>th</sup>, 1925, copies of which had previously been supplied each of the Aldermen, were taken as read and on motion of Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Irwin, adopted.

The Minutes of Adjourned meeting of Council, held February 21<sup>st</sup>, 1925, copies of which had previously been supplied each of the Aldermen, were taken as read and on motion of Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Irwin, adopted.

Correspondence was received, read and dealt with as follows:

From the Registrar, County Court, Vancouver, being receipt for registration of Land Sales Bylaw No. 634.

Filed.

From Robert Baird, Inspector of Municipalities, enclosing Certificate of Approval in connection with the "School Extraordinary Loan Bylaw No. 627".

Filed.

From Lynn Valley W.C.T.U. enclosing copy of resolution passed by the Lynn Valley Christian Temperance Union opposing sale of beer by the glass.

Moved by Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that this Council go on record as being opposed to the sale of beer by the glass in the City of North Vancouver.

From J.S. Rogers, applying for a lane in Block 61, D.L. 549.

Referred to Board of Works Committee and Engineer for report.

From the City Engineer, reporting the cost of an up-to-date rain recording gauge \$350.00 and a self recording sunshine gauge \$150.00 and stating that the logical place for the location of the instruments would be at the City Hall.

Laid on the table.

From Charles H. Tutte, Adjutant, Salvation Army, applying for an increased grant for the year 1925.

Referred to Estimates.

From S. Picken, V.O.N. calling attention to the need of a scavenging system in the North part of the City.

Referred to the Health Committee for report.

From G.W.V.A. West Vancouver, inviting the Mayor and Council to their 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Masquerade Carnival at Hollyburn Dancing Pavilion, on Tuesday March 17<sup>th</sup> from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Moved by Alderman Vance, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the above invitation be accepted with thanks and that they be advised that as many as possible will endeavour to be present on that occasion.

From T.G. Parry, Secretary Lynn Valley Ratepayers and Residents Association, approving the action of the City Council in selling ferry tickets, 10 for 50 cents and requesting that the Council consider the advisability of selling such tickets at the ferry wharf.

Moved by Alderman Tolmie, seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that the above Association be advised that the Council has tried selling 10 tickets for and resolved that the above Association be advised that the Council has tried selling 10 tickets for 50 cents at the City Hall, as an experiment but that such procedure has not proven a success and that the sale will be discontinued on and after March 8<sup>th</sup>.

From the Northern Construction Company, advising that they have purchased the East half of the property known as Fell Fill, and have under consideration the moving of their machine shop, warehouse and equipment from Granville Island to the Fill, but to make the site suitable for such purpose they would require the outer end of Bewicke Avenue together with the waterlot, and requesting a lease of same for a period of 20 years.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Vance and resolved that the above matter be referred to Committee of the Whole and the Solicitor for report, and a copy of the application forwarded to the Ratepayers association.

From Alex Philip, stating that at a meeting of the North Vancouver Board of Trade, it was resolved unanimously to take steps to convene a meeting of the City and District Councils with the Executive of the Board of Trade and representative ratepayers to discuss the question of Municipal amalgamation, suggesting that such meeting be held on March 6<sup>th</sup> in the City Hall, if the Council Room would be available.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the Clerk communicate with the Councils of the District of North and West Vancouver, suggesting a joint meeting to discuss the question of amalgamation.

From the Secretary, Board of Trade, enclosing copy of resolution passed by the Board of Trade, with a view to joint meeting to discuss question of Municipal amalgamation.

The Clerk was instructed to notify the Secretary of the Board of Trade that the City Council is communicating with the Councils of the Districts of North and West Vancouver with a view to holding a joint meeting to discuss the possibility of amalgamation.

Mr. B. Kay, requesting that a road be opened up to Lot 44, Block 17, D.L. 265.

Referred to the Board of Works and Engineer for report.

From the Secretary, Union Canadian Municipalities, enclosing copy of resolution passed by the City of London, Ontario, with a view to exempting Municipal Corporations from the provisions of the Inland Revenue Act which requires stamps to be affixed to receipts, cheques and notes.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

From the Secretary, Board of Trade, asking the Ferry Committee to met the Transportation Committee of the Board to discuss the over-crowding of the ferries.

Referred to Ferry Committee.

From the Secretary Board of Trade, drawing attention to the following resolutions:

(1) That the City Council be requested to make effective any regulation which may exist, or if there is no such regulation existent, then to take steps to provide such a regulation as will give authority for the complete elimination of the huge signboards which disfigure the public streets and often depreciate the selling values of adjoining properties.

(2) That the City Council be requested to consider the adequate naming of the streets by proper signs; and that the penalty be imposed for malicious destruction.

(3) That the City Council authorize its Parks Committee to provide suitable signs requesting that the public "Take a pride in the Parks and Boulevards of the City" or words to that effect, and furthermore that the City provide rubbish baskets for its public properties.

(4) That a recommendation be sent to the City Council urging the immediate planting of an avenue of trees on the east driving road of the Boulevard, and providing a cinder or alternative pedestrian path on at least one side.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

From the Secretary Board of Trade, enclosing copy of resolution with respect to the Parks Committee appointed by the Mayor, cooperating with a Committee appointed by the Board of Trade.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

From the Fire Chief, being report of Fire Department for the month ending February 28<sup>th</sup>.

Filed.

From the Fire Chief, reporting that the Chemical car had responded to an alarm sent in by Reeve Fromme to the residence of Mrs. R. Russell on Capilano Road, near the Suspension Bridge.

Moved by Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the usual account amounting to \$350.00 be forwarded to the District for services of the Department.

From the Secretary, Unemployed, stating that they will be at the Council meeting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> instant.

Laid on the table.

From D. McKenzie, Solicitor, with respect to the application of Sing Lee for a Laundry License.

Referred to Bylaw stage.

From D.G. Tate, C.M.C. North Vancouver, requesting that the City Rifle Range Committee meet the District council in Committee on March 4<sup>th</sup>, at from 5 to 6 p.m. or 7 to 8 p.m.

The Clerk was instructed to notify the District Clerk that the Committee would meet them at about 5 p.m. on March 4<sup>th</sup>.

From the City Solicitor, enclosing draft agreement between Thomas Caseley McMillan and Lorne Edwin MacKenzie and the City with respect to installing gasoline pump and tank on 1<sup>st</sup> Street in front of Lots 1 and 2, Block 165, D.L. 271, said agreement being similar to other existing agreements with respect to gas tanks and pumps.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Bridgman and resolved that the above draft agreement be approved and the Mayor and Clerk authorized to execute the same and the Clerk to attach the Corporate Seal.

From the City Engineer, advising that Mr. Gougan had cut 17 cords of shingle bolts on D.L. 855 for which the Engineer's Department has accepted payment in the amount of \$12.00, Mr. Gougan to pay the Government Royalty. Mr. Gougan has been given notice not to do any more cutting on this property.

Moved by Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the above action of the Engineer be endorsed.

From Mr. Gougan, applying for permission to cut shingle bolts on portions of D.L. 855, owned by the City.

Referred to the Engineer for report and recommendation.

From the City Engineer, Dated February 26<sup>th</sup>, recommending (1) that the work of the Board of Works Department be carried out by a foreman whose duties shall include being on the job at the same time as the workmen, the keeping of the time sheets and distribution of the pay cheques.

(2) That the two foremen now paid on a monthly basis be put on a daily basis.

(3) That the Engineer's car be converted into a light delivery by the City workmen as provided in the Estimates in order that it may be useful in the delivery of light materials, tools, etc., to the various works, for shipping the workmen from one job to another and for general purposes in connection with the Board of Works Department.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

From Major McLean, 6<sup>th</sup> Field Company, requesting support in aid of a Band for the North Shore.

Referred to Estimates.

A List of Tax Sale properties owned by the City in D.L. 265 and 616 was submitted and copies delivered to each member of the Council.

Referred to Committee of the Whole for attention on March 16<sup>th</sup>.

From the City Collector, being report of collections for the month of February.  
Filed.

Petition was received from Mrs. Jane Donald and eleven other resident families in the vicinity of 266 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Street West, requesting the Council to take immediate steps to have 266 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Street West vacated.

The house in question is occupied by Mr. Meloche and family.  
Referred to Committee of the Whole.

Under the head of Inquiries, Alderman Irwin drew attention to the fact that the Engineer's department has a map of the road through Moodyville, also the proposed right-of-way of the Terminal Railway through Moodyville.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Bridgman and resolved that the map of road right-of-way and proposed terminal Railway right-of-way through Moodyville, be referred to Committee of the Whole.

Tenders for tax sale lots were received and dealt with as follows:

From Irwin & Billings on behalf of a client, to purchase Lot 13, less West 20', Block 49, D.L. 548; list price \$750.00, deposit \$75.00.

Moved by Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Bridgman and resolved that the above offer be accepted, purchaser to pay along with first cash payment, an amount equivalent to proportion of taxes for the current year.

Alderman Irwin was excused from voting.

From Irwin & Billings on behalf of a Client, to purchase Lot 15, Resub. 3, Block 37, D.L. 549; list price \$400.00, deposit \$40.00.

Moved by Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Bridgman and resolved that the above offer be accepted, purchaser to pay along with first cash payment, an amount equivalent to proportion of taxes for the current year.

Alderman Irwin was excused from voting.

From Irwin & Billings Co. Ltd., on behalf of a Client, offering to purchase Lots 3 and 4, Block 236, D.L. 546; list price \$175.00, deposit \$17.50.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Vance and resolved that the above offer be accepted, purchaser to pay along with first cash payment, an amount equivalent to proportion of taxes for the current year.

Alderman Irwin was excused from voting.

From Irwin & Billings Co. Ltd., on behalf of a Client, offering to purchase Lots 1 and 2, Block 220C, D.L. 546-550, List price \$550.00, deposit \$100.00.

Also from another client, offering to purchase Lot 2, Block 220C, D.L. 546-550 List price \$250.00, deposit \$25.00.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Vance and resolved that the offer of Irwin & Bills Co. Ltd., to purchase Lots 1 & 2, Block 220C, D.L. 546-550 be accepted, purchaser to pay along with first cash payment, an amount equivalent to proportion of taxes for the current year; and that other tenderers be advised that the lots are sold.

Alderman Irwin was excused from voting.

From L.B. Howard and Alex. Smith & Company, on behalf of clients offering to purchase Lots 12 and 13, Block 35A, D.L. 550, List price \$900.00, deposit in both cases \$100.00.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

From D.H. McColl on behalf of a Client, to purchase Lot 11, Block 159, D.L. 271; List price \$400.00, deposit \$40.00.

Moved by Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Bridgman and resolved that the above offer be accepted, purchaser to pay along with first cash payment, an amount equivalent to proportion of taxes for the current year.

From Irwin & Billings and Co. on behalf of a Client, to purchase Lot 15, Block 116, D.L. 274; List price \$275.00, deposit \$27.50.

Moved by Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Bridgman and resolved that the above offer be accepted, subject to the purchaser paying along with first cash payment, an amount equivalent to proportion of taxes for the current year.

Alderman Irwin was excused from voting.

From Irwin & Billings and Co. Ltd. on behalf of a Client, to purchase Lot 16, Block 116, D.L. 274; List price \$275.00, deposit \$27.50.

Moved by Alderman Vance, seconded by Alderman Bridgman and resolved that the above offer be accepted, purchaser to pay along with first cash payment, an amount equivalent to proportion of taxes for the current year.

Alderman Irwin was excused from voting.

From Irwin & Billings and Co. Ltd. on behalf of a Client,  
From J. Loutet & Company on behalf of a Client, and  
From Charles R. Robinson

all offering to purchase Lot 19, Resub. 9 to 13, Block 38, D.L. 548/9; List price \$500.00.

Referred to Committee of the Whole.

A further offer from J.L. Scott to purchase Lots 1 & 2, Block 220C, D.L. 546-550 was received by the City Clerk at 4:40 p.m. These lots having already been sold the offer was not considered.

Tenders were also received as follows:

From G.A. Roedde Ltd., and Clarke & Stuart Company for supplying one loose leaf binder for tax sale roll.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the tender of Clarke & Stuart in the amount of \$9.00 for one binder for tax sale roll be accepted, their tender being the lowest.

From North Shore Press Ltd., and Shoemaker, McLean & Veitch Ltd., for supplying one thousand application forms for Building permits.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the tender of Shoemaker, McLean & Veitch for supplying one thousand application forms for Building permits, at the price of \$5.25 be accepted, their tender being the lowest.

Moved by Alderman Vance, seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that the tender of Shoemaker, McLean & Veitch Ltd., for supplying 4000 envelopes and 1000 letter heads at the price of \$20.50 net be accepted, their tender being the lowest.

The Engineer submitted proposed subdivision of Lot 5, Block 12, D.L. 616, also recommending that the same be approved on payment of the \$2.00 fee required by Statute, taxes for the year 1924 having been paid.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that plan of subdivision of Lot 5, Block 12, D.L. 616 be approved and the Engineer authorized to sign same on behalf of the City.

Reports and recommendations by the Finance, School, Board of Works, Waterworks, Ferry, Fire and Light, Parks, Health and Police Committees, on due accounts, were submitted by the respective Chairmen and read to the meeting and the Treasurer was authorized to pay the accounts to the amounts following:

Finance	\$1582.50	
Bank Charges	274.07	
	<u>338.82</u>	\$2,195.39
School		\$10,495.00
Board of Works	\$688.20	
	<u>984.90</u>	\$1,673.10
Waterworks	\$342.48	
	<u>122.61</u>	\$465.09
Ferry		\$8,311.74
Fire & Light		\$1,147.14
Parks	\$203.27	
	<u>120.84</u>	\$324.11
Parks (Health)	\$300.00	
	<u>88.00</u>	\$388.00
Parks (Police)		\$1,357.50

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Vance and resolved that account J.A. Russell \$10.00 for fine Rex vs. Ramsay Bros. Also account A.R. Creagh \$20.00 for fines Rex vs. P. Burns & Co., and Rex vs. Swift Canadian Co., which had been O.K'd by the Chief Constable, be referred to the Solicitor for report as to whom the cheques should be made payable to and that the Treasurer be authorized to issue cheques on receipt of the City Solicitor's report.

Alderman Irwin, Special Committee on Town Planning Act, submitted written report in connection therewith.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that the above report be received and laid on the table for two weeks.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the Treasurer be authorized to issue cheque in the amount of \$7.00 being one-third of cost of report by Special Committee on Pacific Great Eastern Railway

matters, cheque to be made payable to E.G. McFeat, Secretary Pacific Great Eastern Railway Committee of the Board of Trade.

Moved by Alderman Tolmie, seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that the following report and recommendation of the Ferry Committee, be adopted:

RECOMMEND that the Clerk be authorized to renew Fire Insurance on the Vancouver Ferry Terminals which expires on March 7<sup>th</sup>, amount \$6,000.00.

RECOMMEND that the Clerk be authorized to renew insurance on Ferry No. 3, \$80,000.00 at best possible rate.

RECOMMEND that a communication from the Esplanade Garage with respect to carrying gas cylinders on the ferries, be referred to the Ferry Superintendent.

RECOMMEND that application of W.D. Jones, Ticket Collector for increase in salary, be referred to the Ferry Committee for a recommendation.

Re communication from W.F. Smith, with respect to asking out Refreshment booths on upper deck of ferries No. 2 and 3 and replacing the seating accommodation.

RECOMMEND that the refreshment booths on the upper deck of No. 2 and No. 3 Ferries be taken out and the seating accommodation replaced and that Mr. Smith be charged a monthly rental of \$60.00 per month for the second year of his lease for the two lower Refreshment booths and \$70.00 per month for the third year of his lease; and that the lease be amended accordingly.

The Superintendent reported that No. 3 Ferry will be on the run on Thursday, March 5<sup>th</sup>.

RECOMMEND that tenders be invited for repairs to No. 2 Ferry, to be received at the City Clerk's office up to 5 p.m. on March 16<sup>th</sup>, tenderers to be asked to bid on individual items as well as bulk sum.

The Treasurer verbally reported that up to February 28<sup>th</sup> \$102.00 worth of tickets 10 for 50 cents had been sold from the Collector's office; \$17.00 being sold on March 2<sup>nd</sup>.

RECOMMEND that the selling of 10 tickets for 50 cents be discontinued as from March 8<sup>th</sup> instant, owing to experiment not having proven successful nor satisfactory.

The Treasurer submitted quotation from Nicholson for supplying 10,000 sheets Children's tickets \$69.00 and 42,000 passenger auto single in rolls of 500 to a reel, printed back and from 81 cents per thousand.

RECOMMEND that the Treasurer be authorized to purchase approximately one year's supply of children's tickets as well as passenger auto single, from Nicholson Ltd.



A deputation from the Board of Trade interviewed the Committee with respect to mixed conveyance of passengers and cars on the ferries.

The deputation from the Board was informed that the Ferry Superintendent and Engineer have in hand the submission of a report in connection with overhead system on the ferries.

RECOMMEND that the method of landing vehicles and foot passengers be referred to the Ferry Committee and Superintendent for a recommendation, viz, separating vehicles from the foot passengers entering or leaving the ferries.

Mr. Crickmay also drew attention to the lights being turned off too early in the mornings on the boats and not being turned on early enough in the evening; also to puddles of water on the Vancouver wharf.

RECOMMEND that the lights be turned on, on the boats one-half hour earlier in the evening and left burning one-half hour longer in the morning.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the following report and recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted:

RECOMMEND that the matter of assistance for Mrs. George Roughead to go to Brule Mines where her husband and two boys are working, be referred to the Chief of Police with power to act.

RECOMMEND that the Clerk be authorized to renew liability insurance on the City's motors as fleet insurance.

The Clerk reported that the Solicitor had served notice on G. Berniditti that his tenancy of the North Vancouver Hotel would expire on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1925; that notice had been served personally by the Police Department.

RECOMMEND that the Royal Financial Corporation be advised that the City has no funds at the present time on sinking fund account.

RECOMMEND that the matter of report on cost of assessment be laid over for two weeks.

RECOMMEND that communication from Mr. John Moore with respect to the charge of \$4.25 cost where tax sale lots are redeemed, being returned, be laid on the table pending report from the Solicitor.

Re General assessment and estimates.

RECOMMEND when the Judge's decision in assessment Appeal cases has been received, that the Mayor call a Special meeting of the Council for consideration of Estimates, if he sees fit.

RECOMMEND that the matter of typewriting machine for the Treasurer's office, be referred to the Chairman and Treasurer with power to act.

Re matter of disposal of tax sale lots

RECOMMEND that a deputation from the Real Estate Exchange be invited to meet with the Council in Committee at 7:30 p.m. on March 16<sup>th</sup>.

Moved by Alderman Vance, seconded by Alderman Irwin and resolved that the following report and recommendation of the Water Committee be adopted:

Mayor Donaghy submitted communication from himself to the Honourable John Oliver, dated February 23<sup>rd</sup>, with respect to the matter of water supply for Greater Vancouver, also communication from the Premier dated February 24<sup>th</sup>, stating that the Municipal authorities of all the surrounding Districts would be consulted and kept advised as to the proposals for augmenting the Vancouver Water supply.

RECOMMEND that the above action of the Mayor be approved and that Mayor Donaghy, Alderman Vance and Alderman Cameron take up with the District of North Vancouver, any representations that need to be made to Victoria in connection with water supply.

RECOMMEND that the Engineer submit an estimate of cost for water extension and improvements at the Intake.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Cameron and resolved that the following report and recommendation of the Board of Works Committee be adopted:

Re communication from Fred C. Myers with respect to the condition of 13<sup>th</sup> Street East, between Ridgeway and St. Andrew's.

RECOMMEND that the matter of necessary work in this District be referred to the Board of Works Department with power to act.

RECOMMEND that a three plank sidewalk be installed on Mahon Avenue north of 16<sup>th</sup> Street for a distance of approximately 85 feet.

RECOMMEND that the matter of repairs to View Street near 24<sup>th</sup> or 25<sup>th</sup> be referred to the Board of Works with power to act.

RECOMMEND that a Bylaw or Bylaws be prepared for submission to the Electors to provide \$5,000.00 for sidewalks and \$10,000.00 for improvements to streets, to give access to residents' homes.

Moved by Alderman Cameron, seconded by Alderman Irwin and resolved that the following report and recommendations of the Parks Committee be adopted:

Communication was received from the North Shore Cricket Club applying for permission to use Mahon Park on April 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>; May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>; June 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>; July 8<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>; August 1<sup>st</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>; Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>.

Also requesting that the Cricket pitch be extended seven yards to the north and the baseball pitch about seven yards to the south.

RECOMMEND that the Sports Organizations be granted permission to construct their pitches in Mahon Park under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer and that permission be granted the Cricket Club to use Mahon Park on the above referred to dates, providing all clubs are agreeable.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that his Council do now proceed to resolve itself into Committee of the Whole. Alderman Vance was appointed Chairman.

### IN COMMITTEE

Re application to purchase Lots 12 and 13, Block 35A, D.L. 550.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, that the Real Estate Association be written to that Mr. Young states that the secretary of the Association had advised Mr. Young that Lots 12 and 13, Block 35A, D.L. 550 had been sold three weeks ago and requesting information in the matter, and that the acceptance of offers to purchase said lots be laid over in the mean time.

Re applications to purchase Lot 9, Block 38, D.L. 548-9.

Moved by Mayor Donaghy that the application of J. Loutet on behalf of James Wardlaw to purchase Lot 9, Block 38, D.L. 548-9 list price \$500.00 be accepted, subject to the purchaser paying along with first cash payment, an amount equivalent to proportion of taxes for the current year; he being a returned soldier and having been badly gassed.

Moved by Alderman Irwin that in the event of the City selling any lots facing on Lonsdale in Block 38, that a 10 feet lane be reserved at the rear.

Moved by Alderman Irwin that in cases where the City owns lots adjoining on Lonsdale Avenue of a depth of 160 feet or thereabouts that a 20 feet lane be reserved if necessary; that in cases of a depth of 125 feet or thereabouts that only 10 feet be reserved.

Moved by Mayor Donaghy that petition from Mrs. Donald and others to have premises 266-2<sup>nd</sup> Street West, vacated immediately, be referred to the Solicitor and Chief of Police to take the best action possible.

Moved by Alderman Irwin that the report of the Engineer, dated February 26th, with respect to changes in the Engineering Department be adopted, sub-foremen to be straw bosses and paid on daily basis.

Moved by Alderman Cameron that the Board of Works Committee be empowered to look into the Engineer's department with a view to economy.

Moved by Alderman Townsley that the Board of Trade be advised that the Mayor has already appointed a Committee of the Council as a Parks Committee.

Re Hoardings in the City.

Moved by Alderman Irwin that the Council endorse the recommendation of the Board of Trade with respect to regulating or completely eliminating Hoardings in the City in so far as the City's power goes.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman that Hoardings on City lots be removed as soon as possible.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman that the Board of Trade be requested to advise the Police if they know of any destruction of signs.

Moved by Mayor Donaghy that the question of providing suitable signs requesting the public to take a Pride in the Parks and Boulevards of the City, and providing rubbish baskets, be referred to the Parks Committee with power to act.

Moved by Mayor Donaghy that the request of the Board of Trade urging the immediate planting of an avenue of trees on the East driving road of the Boulevard and providing a cinder or alternative pedestrian path, be complied with as soon as inaccessible roads in residential Districts are improved.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman that the Engineer inspect and report on cinder and other sidewalks in the Municipality of Burnaby.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman that this Council endorse the provisions of the resolution submitted by the Union of Canadian Municipalities from the City of London, Ontario.

The owner of a dog and pony show requested permission to use Mahon Park to exhibit his show for one day.

Moved by Mayor Donaghy that this request be not granted.

Moved by Alderman Irwin that a Committee be appointed to confer with the Harbour Board with a view to early action in the matter of right-of-way through Moodyville.

Moved by Mayor Donaghy that Alderman Vance, Alderman Cameron, Alderman Irwin and the Engineer be such Committee.

Mr. McKenzie of the North Shore Motors interviewed the Committee with respect to macadamizing the north side of First Street West from the Theatre to Rogers Avenue.

RECOMMEND that the Engineer submit an estimate of cost and interview the B.C. Electric Railway Company with a view to having the space between the rails improved.

Re Laundry Bylaw Amendment.

Alderman Irwin submitted a draft amendment with respect to defining areas wherein laundries might be permitted, but Alderman Irwin's proposed amendment was not considered favourably and it was moved by Mayor Donaghy that the Laundry Bylaw Amendment Bylaw be reported up to Council, as

submitted by the Solicitor prohibiting the establishment, maintaining or operating of wash houses or laundries within the area comprised in the following Blocks, viz.,

Blocks 114, 119, 126, 132, 141, 155, 166 and 176 all in D.L. 274.

Also Blocks 177, D.L. 271-4; Blocks 178 and 164 in D.L. 271;

Blocks 165, 156, 157, 139, 140 all in D.L. 271/274;

Blocks 133 and 125 in D.L. 274 and Blocks 120 & 113 in D.L. 548/274.

Moved by Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that this Committee do now rise and report.

Whereupon His Worship Mayor Donaghy reconvened the Council.

### IN COUNCIL

Moved by Alderman Tolmie, seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that the above report and recommendation of the Committee of the Whole be adopted.

Moved by Alderman Vance, seconded by Alderman Tolmie and resolved that the Bylaw entitled "The City of North Vancouver Laundry Bylaw Amendment Bylaw 1925" be now read a third time with the numbers of the Blocks inserted therein as recommended by Committee of the Whole.

Whereupon the Bylaw was read a third time and passed by the Council.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Vance and resolved that Mr. C.N. Hayes, occupant of Lot 2, Resub. 1, Block 229, D.L. 545 be advised that the City cannot hold over the matter of payments on above property until June.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Vance and resolved that the Assessor investigate Lots 6 and 7 Sub. F, located between Wolfe Street and Mahon Park, with a view to reserving them from sale.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Vance and resolved that the Chairman of the Ferry Committee and Superintendent report on type of boat that in their opinion, is in the best interests of the City, taking into consideration our present terminals;

(2) How long would it take to prepare plans and specifications for new ferry;

(3) How long a time should be given tenderers to put in bids so that comprehensive tenders can be received;

(4) How long a time should be allowed for the building and placing on the run, of a new boat.

At 11:30 p.m. it was moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Vance and resolved that the Council do now adjourn.

Whereupon the Council adjourned.

Signed            D. Donaghy, Mayor