## DECEMBER 1941

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Authorized that Mr. F. Bullman be transferred from Ridgeway Elementary School to Ridgeway Junior High to fill the vacancy caused by the absence of Mr. Eb. Crute on war work, effective December 1st 1941 at a salary of \$1200.00 per annum.

Authorized that Mr. W. Gilmour be transferred from Roche Point School to Ridgeway School to take over Mr. Bullman's duties, at a salary of \$1250.00 effective January 5th 1942.

The Hon. Ian MacKenzie visited the North Shore during the afternoon and met Commissioner Vance and Captain Bates, Chief Warder, A. R. P. and visited the two shipyards and the Air Raid shelter being erected on 4th Street.

The matter of A. R. P. comes under Mr. McKenzie's Department at Ottawa.

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Authorized the replacing of the two hoisting wheels on the ramps of the new North Vancouver Ferry No. 5 at a cost of \$45.00.

Report of the Municipal School Inspector for the month of November was received and filed.

Report of Ferry Receipts for the month of November was received and filed.

Authorized that Jack Loutet be and he is hereby appointed Arbitrator on behalf of the City and District of North Vancouver in the dispute between the City and District of North Vancouver and the Civic employees, re salaries.

Authorized the approval of Drawing No. K-8800/2941 of the B. C. Electric Railway Company Limited showing proposed location for a pole on Alder Street east of St. Patrick's Avenue.

Authorized that George Cook be advised that the City and District will make a Grant to the Central Christmas Cheer Committee this year, and that report be obtained on how much they intend doing this year.

"City of North Vancouver Tax Lands Sale By-law 1941, No. 16" was introduced and given three readings.

Received report from Mate W. Rennolf that on the 9.20 a.m. trip from North Vancouver a Mrs. Goden got her foot jammed under the apron, in spite of the fact that Deckhand Trebilco kept her back when load was going on board. She proceeded to Vancouver and no complaint has been received.

Referred to Insurance Company for their information.

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"The City of North Vancouver Tax Lands Sale By-law 1941, No. 16" was reconsidered and finally adopted by the Commissioner, signed by him and the City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal.

Certified copies were forwarded to Victoria for the approval of the Lieutenart-Governor in Council.

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Authorized that L. W. Hookham be granted permission to rent Lots 1 and 2, Block 139, D. L. 271/274 for the purpose of storing lumber for ship hatches at a monthly rental of \$10.00 payable in advance.

Authorized that the B. C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd., be advised that the City cannot undertake the opening of lanes for pole lines.

A trial trip of North Vancouver Ferry No. 5 with the men to adjust the Compass on board took place this morning at 10.30 a.m. Everything proved satisfactory a few minor adjustments being ordered.

The New Ferry went on the regular run on Sunday, December 7th 1941.

Japan declared War on Britain and the United States on Sunday, 7th December 1941 attacking first from the air, the U.S. bases at Pearl Harbour, Hawaii, etc.

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- 8th Authorized that Mrs. Jenkins be appointed Janitress of Queen Mary School as a temporary measure.
  - 2. Received Certified copy of Order-in-Council No. 1666 dated December 4th 1941 approving "The City of North Vancouver M. B. King Lumber Company (North Shore) Limited Siding Agreement By-law 1941."
  - Black-out orders were received from the Military Command at Victoria to be effective from Dusk to Dawn until further notice.
- 9th Authorized that T. Parry and J. A. McCance be put on as Watchmen at the Ferry wharves from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. at the rate of \$4.00 per day, one on the Vancouver wharf and the other on the North Vancouver wharf, on account of Blackout regulations.
- 10th Received letter from Maitland, Maitland, Remnant & Hutcheson advising that Mr. P. F. Roland had been hurt at the turnstile on October 5th and asking \$75.00 for a prompt settlement.

  Referred to the Insurance Company and Acting Ferry Superintendent for report.
  - Captain G. R. Bates, Chief A. R. P. Warden received and turned over to the City \$5.00 from Mr. W. A. F. Beasley as a donation towards A. R. P. work. Authorized that Mr. Beasley be thanked for his donation.
- 11th | Statement of Cash receipts for the month of November was received and filed.
  - Received Certified copy of Order-in-Council No. 1676 deted 8th December 1941 approving "The City of North Vancouver Tax Lands Sale By-law 1941, No. 16"
  - Blackout regulations were lifted to-day until further orders.
  - Forwarded to the Director of Medical Services, Statement of Heads of Families, Single cases and Unemployables on Relief during the month of November.
    - Forwarded to the Administrator of Unemployment Relief, declaration of expenditure re supplying clothing and boots to eligible indigent persons for the month of November.
  - Forwarded to the Accountant, Employment Service of Canada, accounts for Relief disbursed by the City for the month of November.
- 12th Forwarded to the Administrator of Unemployment Relief Form R. A. 12-B, 1940 covering Direct Relief disbursed by the City for the month of November. Standard Form, Bank Reconciliation Statement, etc., were also forwarded.
  - Tenders were opened for the supply of 2 ton Fire Truck for the Fire Department and referred to the Fire Chief for tabulation and report.
- 15th Authorized that List of Motor Vehicle licenses which are free to the Municipality, as prepared by the Superintendent of Works, be forwarded to the Inspector, Motor Branch, B. C. Police, Victoria.
  - Received report from the Fire Chief re tenders for two ton fire truck, for his Department.
    - Authorized that 2 ton Chassis and cab for the Fire Department be purchased from Buster's Super Service Limited at the price of \$1356-18
- Authorized the change in tires for fire truck ordered on December 15th from Buster's Super Service Limited from 6-50-20 six ply to 7-50-20 eight ply, at the extra cost of \$174.57.
  - Authorized that a Grant of \$150.00 be made to the Christmas Cheer fund.
  - "City of North Vancouver Tax Lands Sale By-law 1941, No. 17" was introduced and given 3 readings.
- Authorized that the North Van Ship Repairs Limited be granted permission to trim trees in front of their property, to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Works.
  - Tenders for binding Collector's Rolls for the City were duly considered by the Commissioner and the tender of G. A. Roedde Limited in the amount of \$68.00 plus sales tax, was accepted, same being the lowest.

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Authorized that application be made to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for credit account re telegrams sent from Commissioner Vance, City Clerk, D. G. Tate and Chief Warden G. R. Bates.

"City of North Vancouver Tax Lands Sale By-law 1941, No. 17" was reconsidered and finally adopted by the Commissioner, signed by him and the City Clerk and sealed with the Corporate Seal. Certified copies were forwarded to Victoria for the approval of

the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

Received complaint from Albert V. Scott, 525 N. Clinton Street, Vancouver, claiming to have become entangled in a part of our equipment while boarding M. V. Ferry No. 5 at 4.40 p.m. on December 15th. Referred to the Insurance Company.

Received from T. Grenfell claim for damages to his car amounting to \$11.75 which he claims took place on 29th Street at 9 a.m. cn November 6th, through hitting large rock which scraper had dislodged. Referred to Insurance Company.

Received report from Captain Gibson and Captain Porter re accident to No. 5 Ferry through hitting a log which broke rudder quadrant. Ferry tied up.

Referred to the Insurance Company.

No. 5 Ferry had to be put on Drydock for examination and repairs. Back on run Saturday, December 20th in the afternoon.

Authorized the purchase from the La France Fire Engine and Foamite Limited of 4 Extension ladders with hoist etc., at the price of \$1062.00 for use by the Fire Department.

Authorized that Christmas cards be sent out to Civic employees and others on list as O. K'd by the Commissioner.

Mrs. Sparkes, Janitress of Queen Mary School, retired to-day on account of her health.

Received report from Mate C. Young that Deckhand C. Coy slipped and fell between joints of leads on the east side, but said he was unhurt.

Deckhand C. Coy had to go hiome at 8 a.m. as his arm and side were apparently injured. He is row on Workmen's compensation.

| Christmas Day - Public Holiday.

Boxing Day - Public Holiday

3 Saturday morning - Civic Half-holiday.

Received report from Mate Rennolf dated December 26th that Mrs. Falcioni stated she had tripped over the handle of the mail truck and hurt her knees. Deckhands and Mate busy making landing and did not see her fall. Referred to the Insurance Company.

Received notification from the Department of Labour that further sessions of the Board of Arbitration in connection with municipal rates of pay will be held on Monday, January 12th 1942 at 10 a.m. in the Court House, Vencouver.

Authorized that Captain Thomson's services be loaned to the A. R. P. for Civil protection work, and that Fireman T. Cumming be promoted to rank of Captain while Captain Thomson is absent from duty.

Authorized that a temporary man be put on the permanent staff at the rate of \$5.00 per shift of 12 hours during the period of Captain Thomson's absence.

Building permits for the month of December were issued as follows:-

3,000.00

2,700.00

900.00

2 Dwellings 2 Commercial \$50.000.00 2 Industrial 2 Miscellaneous \$5**6,6**00.00 8

30th

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21 st

25th

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27th

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31 st

Authorized that B. H. E. Goult, Secretary-Registrar, Industrial Conciliation & Arbitration Act be advised that the City and District of North Vancouver agrees to the extension of the life of the Arbitration Board to January 29th 1942.

Authorized that application for exemption from taxation of the Ferry terminals at Vancouver for the year 1942, be made to the Vancouver City Council.

31st, Received certified copy of Order-in-Council No. 1740 deted 29th December 1941 approving "City of North Vancouver Tax Lands Sale By-law 1941, No. 17."

Comparative Statement of Building Permits for the years 1940 and 1941 was submitted" as follows:-

1940 1941 142 Permits 364 Permits \$225,925.00 \$858,526.20

The following permits were submitted to the Commissioner and passed for payment:-

Firance	\$1570.24 - \$860.56 - \$1952.41 - \$940.07 -	\$ 5,343.28 <b>-</b>
Board of Works	\$1636.62 — \$5580.89 — \$ 241.48 —	\$ 7,458.99 <i>-</i>
Ferries	\$5032.95 - \$5429.24- 10787.61 - 10202.07 - 19602.02 -	<b>\$51,053.89</b> —
Waterworks Parks	\$20,473.08 - \$ 3,958.19 - \$1512.67 - \$ 27.37 -	\$24,431.27 — \$ 1,540.04 —
Health	\$1061.87 - \$1339.45 - \$ 259.07 -	\$ 2,660.39 <b>-</b>
Fire & Light  Police Schools Relief	\$3266.32 - \$4566.10 - /3.907.35-	\$ 7,832.42 <b>-</b> \$ 3,636.85 <b>-</b> \$ 3,709.84 <b>-</b>
Authorization		\$ 2,643.28 —

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