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H. P. Wilson, manager of the Royal Bank, will be home tomorrow.

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Chief Vickers returned yesterday from a trip to New Westminster.

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E. E. Confectionery sells high class ice cream in bricks; also pure candies. 155tf.

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Mrs. R. L. McIntosh gave a delightful tea yesterday for Miss Long who is in the city en route to the Islands to visit her brother, Arnold Long.

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Mrs. Balfour, of Hamilton, will be here Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Clavery.

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H. Roy has secured permission to move his building on Second Avenue to the vacant lot on Third Avenue between the Manson building and the Empress Hotel.

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Frank Herman, the man who stole the ride on the Attorney-General's private car, was last evening taken in charge by the police for using abusive language. He was fined $5.

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Pat O'Melley, who got fourteen days yesterday for theft, was up again today charged with stealing a suit of clothes and razor. He was committed for trial.

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The man Clayton, who was found guilty of theft in police court yesterday, had a similar charge laid against him again today and was found guilty. Sentence was deferred.

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J. Lagon, of the forestry department, Victoria, is in the city on official work. He leaves tomorrow to spend a couple of weeks in Hazelton and will remain here some time on his return.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4. tf

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Mrs. Frizzell is spending a few weeks at Harrison Hot Springs.

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Another new arrival, aluminum cooking utensils. Wallace's. 61-2

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Joe Roerig leaves tomorrow for a two weeks' trip to Vancouver, Banff and other places.

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Quarter oak dressers and chiffoniers receive a 25 per cent reduction at Tite's summer sale. tf.

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The city council has approved of the extension of a one inch water main from Conrad St. out 9th Avenue, on application of M. Davis. The work is to cost $200.

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The drawing for the dinner set at Wallace's will take place on Thursday at 3:30 p.m. Ticket holders requested to be present. 161-2

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E. A. James, of Winnipeg, formerly a prominent official of the Great Northern Railway, was registered at the Prince Rupert on Sunday. It was his first visit to Prince Rupert since 1908 when he was here as an arbitrator in a dispute between the Grand Trunk and the Provincial Government. Mr. James is an enthusiastic "Pegger," and cannot see anything better on the continent than his home city, yet he believes Rupert has made wonderful strides and has a great future.

Window blinds, stock size, 3 ft. x 6 ft., 45c each, at Geo. D. Tite's furniture sale. 161tf

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The city council has granted Ald. Geo. Kerr a leave of absence for a few weeks.

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The by-law to amend the city by-law regarding the air space in buildings and plumbing regulations has been laid over for another week by the city council.

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Mesrs. Lynch and Besner have offered to purchase the four year debentures for the First Avenue sewer at 96 in order to facilitate the construction of the sewer. The city council has accepted the offer pending the passing of the by-law.

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Mayor Newton, Alds. Morrison, McClymont, Basso-Bert and Dybhavn have been appointed a court of revision on the assessments for the proposed sewers on 1st Avenue. The court sits at 10.30 a.m. August 1st.

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Ald. McClymont asked at the City Council last evening if the city is going to put a second water main across the Shawatlans Passage as an auxiliary pipe as the original plans called for. Ald. Maitland says it would be done before the end of the year.

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Ald. McClymont informed the City Council that Gen. Manager Donaldson, of the G. T. P., had agreed to give the city right of way for a road from the end of Eighth Avenue to the cold storare plant for $1 a year. He would also recommend the granting for a right of way for the city's pole line across the waterfront.

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Arthur Little is trying to work off a Tory hoax on the unsuspecting public. He is displaying on his front window a copy of the magazine Canada in which a statement is made that the provincial government is constructing that road around the island. The good news caused a prominent citizen to take off his hat and cheer this morning.

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W. M. Brewer, who is investigating the mineral prospects of the district on behalf of the provincial mining department, has received notification to make a report on the Graham Island prospects. The department has heard of the increased activity there and wants information.

Tenders for Wharf

The city council received two tenders for the building of a small wharf for the scavenging department:

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CITY TREASURER'S REPORT

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ments of local improvement taxes, and, unless this is done, I venture to say with the additional bylaws just going through that next year the city will be called upon to provide a contingent amount in the estimates of $35,000 to $40,000 to meet the delinquent payments. In fact, even this year unless arrears come in liberally before the close of the year I estimate we will require about $48,000 to keep our sinking funds intact, which we are compelled to do by the Municipal Act.

The total levy for local improvements for 1914 is $129,923.64, of which $78,996.02 has to be reserved for sinking funds and $50,927.62 for payment interest. In addition to the levy we have to take care of $31,269.39 arrears from 1912 and 1913. Of this amount $17,800.06 belongs to the capital accounts of the different bylaws (Section One grading and plank roadways authorized in 1911), $6,605.20 arrears of debentures taken up by city, $3,420.60 on Market Place grading; $3,443.53 is accrued interest on long-term improvements through nonsale of bonds and uncompleted work. These figures make up a total of $161,193.03 local improvement taxes outstanding on May 1, 1914

Our cash collections to June 8 were $92,809.75. This total includes Government and city proportion. Of this amount $11,693.48 was on account of 1912 and 1913 arrears, leaving a balance of $81,116.27 to apply against 1914 levy. Our sinking funds required $78,996.02 of this amount, thus leaving $2,120.25 with which to pay interest liabilities, amounting to $50,927.62, or a shortage of $48,807.37.

Assuming at the present time all our local improvement work was completed and debentures sold the present ratio of collections would mean only a little more than sufficient money to set aside as sinking fund reserve and we would be compelled to raise in our estimates a sufficient sum to make our interest payments pending collection of arrears. It would, therefore, be imperative to provide out of general revenue an amount of $48,800, equivalent to three mills on our assessment.

I respectfully submit this is a hardship on properties where there are no local improvements, because they are being taxed 3 mills on general rate to help out delinquent local improvement taxpayers. Granted it is only a temporary loan to be repaid back to general fund, but from experience of the past three years it is a recurring charge and the money is practically tied up. Furthermore, properties are continually changing hands and the subsequent holder derives the benefit, not the property holder who was penalized through another's delinquent payment. Then again I beg to suggest it is extravagent finance, inasmuch as the holders who are delinquent force the city to levy an additional millage to take care of an obligation which they have failed to meet, not only therefore have they got to pay an extra amount in their general tax bill, but they have also to pay twelve per cent interst. On a $20,000 lot at the rate of 3 mills an additional $30 as well as 12 per cent interest would have to be paid. Assuming the $20,000 carried a local improvement tax of $250 per annum, the holder would be paying 24 per cent interest through nonpayment—$30 in general rates to provide for payment temporarily out of general fund and $30, being 12 per cent interest through arrears on local improvement taxes, as provided for by Municipal Act.

The earliest date on which a tax sale could be held on these taxes is two years and three months after they become due. It is, therefore, apparent that general fund will be called upon to pay a very large amount before the city can enforce payment under this, its only legal procedure.

Respectfully submitted,
E. D. JOHNSON,
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