CITY OF REGINA

By-Law No.....

A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF REGINA TO PROVIDE FOR THE RAISING OF THE SUM OF $33,000.00 TO BE EXPENDED IN THE EXTENSION OF THE ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF REGINA.

WHEREAS the Council of the City of Regina deemed it expedient that the existing Electric Light and Power system of the said City should be extended as a municipal public work;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient for the purpose of defraying the cost of the said extension of the electric light and power system that debentures should be issued to the amount of Thirty-three thousand dollars ($33,000.00) payable in thirty years from the first day of July 1909 bearing interest at the rate of four and a half per centum per annum payable half yearly which sum of Thirty-toree thousand dollars ($33,000.00) is the debt intended to be created by this By-law;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the rateable property in the said City according to the last revised assessment roll (namely assessment roll for the year 1908) is twelve million, four hundred and one thousand, three hundred and eighty dollars ($12,401,380.00);

AND WHEREAS the total amount of the existing debenture debt of the said City is One million, five hundred and sixty-five thousand and twenty dollars and forty-eight cents ($1,565,020.48) of which no part either principal or interest thereof is in arrears;

AND WHEREAS the said City is required by law to make provision for the Sinking Fund to cover the repayment of the sum of Nine hundred and forty thousand dollars ($940,000.00) part of the indebtedness of the said City;

AND WHEREAS the said Sinking Fund now amounts to Fifty-four thousand, two hundred and forty-five dollars and forty-one cents ($54,245.41);

THEREFORE the Council of the City of Regina in Council assembled enacts as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Council of the City of Regina to borrow on behalf of the said City upon the credit of the Municipality at large the sum of Thirty-three thousand dollars ($33,000.00) for the purpose of defraying the cost of constructing the said extension of the system of waterworks as aforesaid by the issue of debentures of the said City on the credit of the said Municipality at large for the said sum of Thirty-three thousand dollars ($33,000.00) to be payable as hereinafter provided.

2. The said debentures shall bear date on the day of the issue thereof and shall be made payable in such manner that the whole amount of the principal indebtedness incurred thereby shall be paid at the end of thirty years from the first day of July 1909.

3. The rate of interest shall be four and a half per centum per annum computed from the first day of July 1909 payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July in each year and coupons shall be attached to each of the said debentures representing the respective payments of interest.

4. The said debentures shall be sealed with the Corporate Seal and shall be signed by the Mayor and City Treasurer and the said coupons shall be deemed to be properly executed by each one having printed or lithographed thereon the name of the Mayor and by having placed thereon the written signature of the City Treasurer, and the debentures and coupons shall be made payable at the Bank of Montreal in London (England), New York, Montreal, Toronto or Regina, and the debentures may be issued in sterling or currency or partly in the one and partly in the other.

5. In addition to all other amounts there shall be levied and collected in each year, during the currency of the said debentures, on all rateable property in the said City by special rate or rates sufficient therefor the sum of One thousand, four hundred and eighty-five dollars ($1,485.00) for the annual interest and the sum of Five hundred and eighty-eight dollars and forty cents ($588.40) by way of sinking fund to meet the principal at maturity, making in all the sum of Two thousand and seventy-three dollars and forty cents ($2,073.40).

6. This By-law shall take effect on the day of the final passing thereof.

7. John Kelso Hunter is hereby appointed Returning Officer for the purpose of taking the votes of the burgesses upon the said By-law.

8. The following persons shall be the respective Deputy Returning Officers to take the votes of the said burgesses upon the said By-law:—

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9. This By-law shall be submitted to the burgesses on Friday the eleventh day of June 1909, and for the purpose of taking the votes thereon the polling places shall be open between the hours of nine o'clock a.m. and five o'clock p.m. in each of the following places in the City of Regina:

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10. On Saturday the twelfth day of June 1909, in the City Hall in the City of Regina at ten o'clock in the forenoon the Returning Officer shall sum up the number of votes given for and against this By-law.

11. On Thursday the tenth day of June 1909, at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon the Mayor shall attend at his office in the City Hall for the purpose of appointing persons to attend at the various polling places and at the official summing up of the votes hereinbefore referred to on behalf of the persons interested in this By-law and promoting or opposing the passage of the same respectively.

Read a first time this 18th day of May, 1909.

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CITY OF REGINA

By-Law No.....

A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF REGINA TO PROVIDE FOR THE RAISING OF THE SUM OF $33,000.00 TO BE EXPENDED IN THE EXTENSION OF THE SYSTEM OF WATERWORKS FOR THE CITY OF REGINA.

WHEREAS the Council of the City of Regina deemed it expedient that the existing system of waterworks recently constructed by the said City should be extended as a municipal public work;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient for the purpose of defraying the cost of the said extension of the system of waterworks that debentures should be issued to the amount of Thirty-three thousand dollars ($33,000.00) payable in thirty years from the first day of July 1909, bearing interest at the rate of four and a half per centum per annum payable half yearly, which sum of Thirty-three thousand dollars ($33,000.00) is the debt intended to be created by this By-law;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the rateable property in the said City according to the last revised assessment roll (namely assessment roll for the year 1908) is twelve million, four hundred and one thousand, three hundred and eighty dollars ($12,401,380.00);

AND WHEREAS the total amount of the existing debenture debt of the said City is One million, five hundred and sixty-five thousand and twenty dollars and forty-eight cents ($1,565,020.48) of which no part either principal or interest thereof is in arrears;

AND WHEREAS the said City is required by law to make provision for the Sinking Fund to cover the repayment of the sum of Nine hundred and forty thousand dollars ($940,000.00) part of the indebtedness of the said City;

AND WHEREAS the said Sinking Fund now amounts to Fifty-four thousand, two hundred and forty-five dollars and forty-one cents ($54,245.41);

THEREFORE the Council of the City of Regina in Council assembled enacts as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Council of the City of Regina to borrow on behalf of the said City upon the credit of the Municipality at large the sum of Thirty-three thousand dollars ($33,000.00) for the purpose of defraying the cost of constructing the said extension of the system of waterworks as aforesaid by the issue of debentures of the said City on the credit of the said Municipality at large for the said sum of Thirty-three thousand dollars ($33,000.00) to be payable as hereinafter provided.

2. The said debentures shall bear date on the day of the issue thereof and shall be made payable in such manner that the whole amount of the principal indebtedness incurred thereby shall be paid at the end of thirty years from the first day of July 1909.

3. The rate of interest shall be four and a half per centum per annum computed from the first day of July 1909 payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July in each year and coupons shall be attached to each of the said debentures representing the respective payments of interest.

4. The said debentures shall be sealed with the Corporate Seal and shall be signed by the Mayor and City Treasurer and the said coupons shall be deemed to be properly executed by each one having printed or lithographed thereon the name of the Mayor and by having placed thereon the written signature of the City Treasurer, and the debentures and coupons shall be made payable at the Bank of Montreal in London (England), New York, Montreal, Toronto or Regina, and the debentures may be issued in sterling or currency or partly in the one and partly in the other.

5. In addition to all other amounts there shall be levied and collected in each year, during the currency of the said debentures, on all rateable property in the said City by special rate or rates sufficient therefor the sum of One thousand, four hundred and eighty-five dollars ($1,485.00) for the annual interest and the sum of Five hundred and eighty-eight dollars and forty cents ($588.40) by way of sinking fund to meet the principal at maturity, making in all the sum of Two thousand and seventy-three dollars and forty cents ($2,073.40).

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CITY OF REGINA

By-Law No.....

A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF REGINA TO PROVIDE FOR THE RAISING OF THE SUM OF $34,000.00 TO BE EXPENDED IN THE EXTENSION OF THE SYSTEM OF SEWERAGE FOR THE CITY OF REGINA.

WHEREAS the Council of the City of Regina deemed it expedient that the existing system of sewerage recently constructed by the said City should be extended as a municipal public work;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient for the purpose of defraying the cost of the said extension of the system of sewerage that debentures should be issued to the amount of Thirty-four thousand dollars ($34,000.00) payable in thirty years from the first day of July 1909, bearing interest at the rate of four and a half per centum per annum payable half yearly which sum of Thirty-four thousand dollars ($34,000.00) is the debt intended to be created by this By-law;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the rateable property in the said City according to the last revised assessment roll (namely assessment roll for the year 1908) is twelve million, four hundred and one thousand, three hundred and eighty dollars ($12,401,380.00);

AND WHEREAS the total amount of the existing debenture debt of the said City is One million, five hundred and sixty-five thousand and twenty dollars and forty-eight cents ($1,565,020.48) of which no part either principal or interest thereof is in arrears;

AND WHEREAS the said City is required by law to make provision for the Sinking Fund to cover the repayment of the sum of Nine hundred and forty thousand dollars ($940,000.00) part of the indebtedness of the said City;

AND WHEREAS the said Sinking Fund now amounts to Fifty-four thousand, two hundred and forty-five dollars and forty-one cents ($54,245.41);

THEREFORE the Council of the City of Regina in Council assembled enacts as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Council of the City of Regina to borrow on behalf of the said City upon the credit of the Municipality at large the sum of Thirty-four thousand dollars ($34,000.00) for the purpose of defraying the cost of constructing the said extension of the system of sewerage as aforesaid by the issue of debentures of the said City on the credit of the said Municipality at large for the said sum of Thirty-three thousand dollars ($33,000.00) to be payable as hereinafter provided.

2. The said debentures shall bear date on the day of the issue thereof and shall be made payable in such manner that the whole amount of the principal indebtedness incurred thereby shall be paid at the end of thirty years from the first day of July 1909.

3. The rate of interest shall be four and a half per centum per annum computed from the first day of July 1909 payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July in each year and coupons shall be attached to each of the said debentures representing the respective payments of interest.

4. The said debentures shall be sealed with the Corporate Seal and shall be signed by the Mayor and City Treasurer and the said coupons shall be deemed to be properly executed by each one having printed or lithographed thereon the name of the Mayor and by having placed thereon the written signature of the City Treasurer, and the debentures and coupons shall be made payable at the Bank of Montreal in London (England), New York, Montreal, Toronto or Regina, and the debentures may be issued in sterling or currency or partly in the one and partly in the other.

5. In addition to all other amounts there shall be levied and collected in each year, during the currency of the said debentures, on all rateable property in the said City by special rate or rates sufficient therefor the sum of One thousand, five hundred and thirty dollars ($1,530.00) for the annual interest, and the sum of Six hundred and six dollars and twenty-five cents ($606.25) by way of sinking fund to meet the principal at maturity, making in all the sum of Two thousand one hundred and thirty-six dollars and twenty-five cents ($2,136.25).

6. This By-law shall take effect on the day of the final passing thereof.

7. John Kelso Hunter is hereby appointed Returning Officer for the purpose of taking the votes of the burgesses upon the said By-law.

8. The following persons shall be the respective Deputy Returning Officers to take the votes of the said burgesses upon the said By-law:—

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CITY OF REGINA

By-Law No.....

A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF REGINA TO PROVIDE FOR THE RAISING OF THE SUM OF $15,000.00 TO BE EXPENDED IN THE PAYMENT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS WITHIN THE CITY OF REGINA. (PAVEMENTS).

WHEREAS the Council of the City of Regina deemed it expedient that certain improvements consisting of Bitulithic Pavements, Creosote Wood Block Pavements and Asphalt Block Pavements should be constructed by the Corporation of the City of Regina upon certain streets within the area of South Railway Street on the north, Victoria Street on the south, Broad Street on the east and Albert Street on the west, as well as a part of 10th Avenue between Broad Street and Halifax Street and on a part of Osler Street between 10th Avenue and 11th Avenue;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient for the purpose of defraying the cost of said works that debentures should be issued to the amount of Fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.00) payable in fifteen years from the first day of July 1909, bearing interest at the rate of four and a half per centum per annum, payable half-yearly, which sum of Fifteen thousand dollars, ($15,000.00) is the debt intended to be created by this By-law;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the rateable property in the said City according to the last revised assessment roll (namely assessment roll for the year 1908) is twelve million, four hundred and one thousand, three hundred and eighty dollars ($12,401,380.00);

AND WHEREAS the total amount of the existing debenture debt of the said City is One million, five hundred and sixty-five thousand and twenty dollars and forty-eight cents ($1,565,020.48), which no part either principal or interest thereof is in arrears;

AND WHEREAS the said City is required by law to make provision for the Sinking Fund to cover the repayment of the sum of Nine hundred and forty thousand dollars ($940,000.00) part of the indebtedness of the said City;

AND WHEREAS the said Sinking Fund now amounts to Fifty-four thousand, two hundred and forty-five dollars and forty-one cents ($54,245.41);

THEREFORE the Council of the City of Regina in Council assembled enacts as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Council of the City of Regina to borrow on behalf of the said City upon the credit of the Municipality at large the sum of Fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.00) for the purpose of defraying the cost of constructing pavements as aforesaid by the issue of debentures of the said City on the credit of the said Municipality at large for the said sum of Fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.00) to be payable as hereinafter provided.

2. The said debentures shall bear date on the day of the issue thereof and shall be made payable in such manner that the whole amount of the principal indebtedness incurred thereby shall be paid at the end of fifteen years from the first day of July 1909.

3. The rate of interest shall be four and a half per centum per annum computed from the first day of July 1909, payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July in each year and coupons shall be attached to each of the said debentures representing the respective payments of interest.

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PARLIAMENT PROROGUES

Governor-General Assents to 154 Bills—Imperal Conference on Subject of Naval Defence—Members Unavoidably Absent to Be Paid.

Ottawa, Ont., May 19.—The ceremonies in connection with the formal closing of the first session of the eleventh parliament of Canada passed off quietly this afternoon. The weather was bright and warm, and there was a large turnout of people to see the military show. In the house fully 100 members gathered to await the summons of the black rod to the senate chambers, where his excellency was in attendance and gave assent to 115 bills. Thirty-nine had been previously assented to, making a total of 154 for the four months session. Among the bills which were not put through their final stages and which will go over till next session, are the act to amend the insurance act, Hon. Oliver's immigration bill and Senator Campbell's bill relating to the water carriage of goods.

When the senate met, Senator McMullen expressed surprise that the house of commons had failed to pass Senator Campbell's bill. The senate had given the matter great consideration. It was generally demanded in the public interest, and he understood it has failed in the lower house owing to the influence of a few Nova Scotia shippers. It was to be regretted that the house of commons should have taken this action toward important legislation from the upper house.

Senator Beique declared that the commons could do as they liked with any bills. The commons were responsible to the people for what they did and not to the senate.

SPEECH FROM THRONE

The speech from the throne was as follows:

"Honorable gentlemen of the senate; Gentlemen of the House of Commons. In relieving you from further attendance on this session, I thank you for the assiduity and diligence which you have given to the discharge of the duties entrusted to your care, and it must be a source of satisfaction to yourselves that you have been able to perform your labors in a comparatively brief space of time.

"I am pleased to notice that your attention has been engaged in some measures of great importance. In the first rank of such measures is to be noted the amendment of the railway act, under which by the joint action of the national government, provincial and municipal authorities, together with the railway companies, railway crossings are to be gradually removed and a constant menace to life and property thereby effectually done away with.

"The loan of ten million dollars to the G.T.P. railway company will no doubt insure the completion during the coming summer, of the prairie section of the National Transcontinental railway and will secure to the fast developing western provinces for this year's crop a new and competitive outlet towards the sea. The act to place the department of labor, which has been in existence for some years, under the direct responsibility of a minister of the crown, exclusively entrusted with its management, is a further step in a field of legislation wherein Canada has already taken a not unimportant place.

"The act charging the secretary of state with special responsibility in regard to the external affairs of Canada will facilitate the transaction of business in connection with that most important branch of the public service. The resolution adopted by the House of Commons for the organization of a Canadian naval service, in operation with and close relation to the imperial navy is a proper acknowledgement of the duties now appertaining to Canada as a nation, and as a member of the British empire. The financial conditions the world seem to be more hopeful than they were four months ago when I opened this session, and whilst in Canada we have undoubtedly suffered less than in other countries during this period of universal depression, it will still be part of prudence to exercise care and economy in all branches of the service.

"Gentlemen of the House of Commons: I thank you for the provisions which you have made for the public service. Honorable gentlemen of the Senate, gentlemen of the House of Commons: I sincerely hope and pray that Almighty God will continue to pour His blessings upon our country and let us now offer Him the fervent expression of our gratitude for the signal favors which we have received from Him."

A great many members leave for their homes tonight and by Thursday the corridors of parliament will once more be practically deserted.

The proceedings this morning were of a rather hurried character, as all business had to be wound up today. Fortunately nothing on hand was of a contentious nature, and it was all got through rapidly.

The house finished all supply and also putting through an additional resolution providing for the indemnity of members unavoidably absent. These include Mackenzie King, Edmond Bristol, M. Y. McLean and a few others.

J. D. Taylor renewed his attack upon the administration of the New Westminster penitentiary. Hon. Mr. Aylesworth pointed out that nothing more than carelessness had been proved on the part of officials. After a desultory discussion all the penitentiary estimates went through en bloc.

After supply had been concurred in Mr. Foster brought up the question of naval defence. He referred to the resolution passed by the House on March 29 and pointed out that the policy therein indicated would require some years to carry it out and would be of little avail in the event of an emergency. In this respect the resolution did not meet the more advanced public opinion on the subject and was not altogether acceptable to any section of the community. In view of this would the premier be disposed to make a fuller statement.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he was aware that the resolution did not suit a certain section of public opinion. To meet that opinion it would be necessary to make an immediate grant of money or perhaps to build a Dreadnought. While not inclined to agree with that view, he would state that in this matter it was the duty of Canada to act squarely as to her own defence. Just how far Canada should go he would not say. The government had considered that the best way to give effect to the terms of the resolution was to send ministers immediately to confer with the Imperial authorities. This was decided upon, but at that stage the Imperial authorities suggested a conference. Sir Wilfrid then quoted a reply sent to the request of the Imperial authorities. In reply to a question by Mr. Foster he said the government had accepted the principle of a conference. Mr. Foster wanted to know if in view of the wider range the matter was taking, the government would send additional ministers to the conference. Sir Wilfrid said the matter had not been considered.

Girl Suicides.

About midnight last night Mr. Holden, one of the proprietors of the Cottage Cafe was attracted upstairs by the calls of one of his servant girls who had a few minutes before, On Mr. Holden reaching the upstairs he noticed a strong odor of carbolic acid. He went to the girl's room, but found the door locked. He burst it open, however, and found the girl gasping on the bed. He gave the girl milk as an emetic and immediately summoned a doctor. When Dr. Thomson arrived the girl was too far gone. Dr. Meek was called in by Dr. Thomson to view the remains in the event of an inquest being necessary.

The cause of the girl's rash deed is unknown.

Blairview.

Seeding in this vicinity is nearly completed and the farmers are looking for a big crop.

Dr. Crishen of Tregarva had a visit to Rolston's on Sunday to see a lame colt.

J. McDougald leaves for the west shortly, the young broncho buster will take charge.

H. V. Gore spent Sunday in Kennel.

R. Reaburn has found his colt that he looked so long for.

E. Rolston spent a few holidays with his parents.

Herd law has now put a stop to all stock running at large.

One of our young bachelors has a temporary house keeper fixing his house up, we expect a permanent one shortly.

D. Jones and A. Gore took a trip over east on Sunday. What's the attraction.

Our young bicyclist is taking in some of the attractions in his spare time.

AUCTION SALE!

Having received instructions from Mr B Meadows, I will sell by Public Auction on

WEDNESDAY, June 2nd, 1909

on the Farm of Mr. John Shera, Section 6, Township 20, Range 17, about twelve miles due north of Balgonie, Stock and Implements, of which the following is a partial list:

HORSES

1 three-year-old Colt, bred from a French Coach stallion.

CATTLE

1 Shorthorn Bull, Lavender Sittyton 4 years old, sired by Sittyton Hero, (Kinnon's show bull); 1 Shorthorn Bull 2 years old, sired by Cottonwood Comet, from Kinnon's stock; 1 Shorthorn Bull Calf, 7 months old, sired by Farmer's Champion 1st prize bull at Calgary; 4 Shorthorn Cows, 2 Shorthorn Calves 14 High-bred Grade Cows and Heifers The pedigrees of this Shorthorn Stock may be seen at the time of sale.

IMPLEMENTS

1 Disc Seeder, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 New Mower, 1 Melotte Cream Separator.

SALE WILL COMMENCE AT 1.30 P.M.

TERMS OF SALE: All sums under $10 cash. Over that amount approved joint notes at 8 per cent. On all sums over $10 a discount of 8 per cent for cash will be allowed.

H. ANTICKNAP, Auctioneer

The Glen Morris correspondent of the Carlyle Herald writes as folloRs: "We never accused the Department of Education of being funny, but its recent action surely indicate some such characteristic. An outline map of the Glenmorris S. D. was received last week by the secretary with the request that all sloughs and ravines in the district be marked upon it. The board are considering the advisability of engaging a local topographer for the summer."

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