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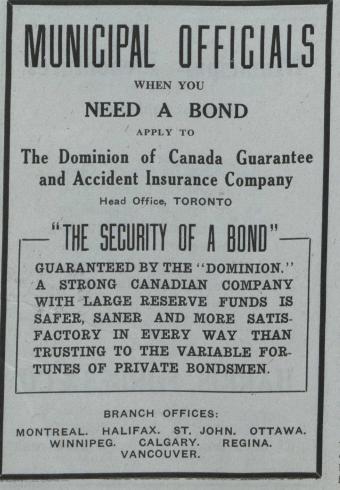
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SOME RECENT MUNICIPAL ISSUES.

OUTREMONT, P.Q.

Messrs. Versailles, Vidricaire & Boulais, Limited, Montreal, recently bought \$1,500,000 5-year 6 per cent. bonds of the City of Outremont, dated November 1, 1917, ratified by the Provincial Legislature and authorized by the Minister of Finance, January 21, 1918. Price, 95.66.

FOXWARREN, MAN.

An issue of \$13,000, 6 per cent., 10-instalment deben-tures of the consolidated school district of Foxwarren, Man., has been purchased recently by H. O'Hara & Co.,

W. L. McKinnon & Co. recently purchased an issue of \$3,000 6 per cent., 8-instalment bonds of the village

KENORA, ONT. C. H. Burgess & Co. have taken up an issue of \$7,400 6 per cent. consolidation debentures of the town of Ken-

THE MONTREAL ISSUE.

The Bank of Montreal in December, financed a maturity of the City of Montreal, amounting to \$6,900,000, it being understood then, that the bonds could be disposed of at any time that was deemed favourable.

MONCTON.

\$118,000 City of Moncton, 5 per cent. paving debentures, maturing serially 1923 to 1927, was recenty sold to Macneill & Young, Toronto.

ANNEXATION OF MAISONNEUVE.

The annexation of Maisonneuve to Montreal is now a fact. An important stipulation is made that in order to meet their huge obligations, Maisonneuve citizens will have to pay a special tax of 21/2 per cent. for a period of

ST. THOMAS, ONT.

S. O. Perry, city clerk, is offering 51/2 per cent. debentures, aggregating ten thousand dollars and maturing 1919 to 1927, for sale locally. Proceeds go to the British Red

VANCOUVER'S ASSESSMENT.

The assessment figures for Vancouver, as plaved before the City Council, by the City Assessor, for 1918, amount to \$75,716,910 on improvements, and \$140,819,150 on land. making a total of \$216,536 000, as compared with improvements \$73,595,457, land \$139,714,115, or a total of \$213,309.-573 in 1917. During 1917, the city's population increased about 7,000, the total being given as 102,550, as against 95,922 a year ago.

1917 TAX COLLECTIONS HIGHER.

Tax collections of Moose Jaw during 1917 amounted to Of this sum, \$529,081 represent payments for \$763,846. current taxes and \$235,765 represent payments for arrears. The total levy for the year was \$864,938, so that the current collections for the year 1917 amounted to 61.20 per cent, of the levy. In comparing these figures with 1916. the total collections for that year were \$779,981. Of this sum \$496,339 were for current taxes and \$283,642 were for arrears. The total tax levy for the year was \$867,805, so that the current tax in 1916 amounted to 57.20 per cent. of the levy. Moose Jaw's total tax collections for the last four years were: 1914, \$712,351; 1915, \$808,834; 1916, \$779,-981; 1917, \$763,846.

Fire losses in Moose Jaw during 1917 totalled \$41,592, which was made up of \$23,405 of building, and \$18,187 of contents. Based on a population of 19,000, the per capita loss was \$2.18, as compared with \$2.75 in 1916 and \$2.84