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A SPECIAL SESSION.

The Ward By-Law Passes—Petition
for Barbers' Sunday
Closing.Big List of Communications—The
Dominion Government Dis-
cussed—Other Business.A special meeting of the City Council was
held last night in the Council Chamber.
There were present the Mayor in the chair, and Ald. Hunter, Lovell, Munn,
Briggs, Baker, Hall, Styles and Ald.
Humber.The minutes of the previous meeting were
taken as read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Mr. Morris, applying for a sup-
ply of city water at Cedar Hill. Referred
to Water committee for report.From Pemberton & Dunbleton, behalf
of residents on the continuation of Belcher
street, complaining of the tapping of their
private water pipe by outside parties. Re-
ferred to Water Commissioner and commit-
tee for report.From Col. Prior, asking permission to
keep a small ammunition of the B. C.
G. stored in three rooms of the City
Market while the new drill hall was being
built, and suggesting that members of the
Brigade might also be allowed to drill in the
building until such time as the new
drill hall was completed.Ald. LOVELL informed the Board that
the market superintendent could see no
possibility objection.Ald. McKILLCAN called attention to the
fact that when the men were drilling, they
would interfere with business at the stalls.
Besides the Dominion Government was
surely able to pay some rental for the
accommodation.Ald. HALL thought that if there was a
chance of getting any revenue out of the
idea, the money should be obtained.Ald. HUNTER spoke very strongly about
the manner in which the Dominion Govern-
ment had continually done harm to Vic-
torians and snubbed the city in every manner
possible. If they wanted the use of one of
Victoria's public buildings it should be
made available.The powder magazine at Beacon Hill was a standing dis-
pute to the Dominion Government, and he didn't
think the city was justified in granting any
favors whatever, unless the money was
forthcoming.Referred to the Market committee, with
power to act.A fine communication was received
from Col. Prior with reference to the erection
of a rifle range at Clover Point.Permission granted, provided that the
shooting did not interfere with the sewer-
age works.From the city engineers reporting to the
cheapest way the View street sewer
could be replaced at \$10,000, and with
trenches 7 ft. x 20, on extended to Johnson
street, \$7,000; the latter went on to say that
a wooden sewer, however good, was not
advisable, as it would only be a tem-
porary affair at best.Ald. McKILLCAN thought it would be a
great mistake to extend the View St. sewer
into the Johnson St. system. The council
should not agree to having the Johnson
street sewer a common drain, when the
sanitary engineer's report stated that he
was to make use of this system in his sys-
tem of city sewerage.Ald. HALL didn't believe in patch-
work in building sewers. If the Johnson
street sewer could be utilized it certainly
should be. It would not then be money
thrown away.Ald. STYLES said that if the method
hinted at by the engineer was adopted it
would be a way out of the difficulty, and
would give View street a drain that
would be available to the entire system.Ald. McKILLCAN said that the work had
to be done.The public demanded it, and it was nonsense to talk about there being
no funds.The MAYOR called attention to the fact
that the amount would have to come out of
the \$25,000 appropriation for the streets.

Ald. McKILLCAN moved that the work

be carried out by laying an earthenware
drain. Carried. Ayes—Hunter, Munn,
Lovell, Briggs, Baker, Hall, Styles and Ald.
Humber—The Mayor and Ald.
Hunter.Communication from E. A. Wilnot re-
garding the condition of the bridge crossing
the cove of Victoria Arm, calling attention
to its dangerous state and advocating the
building of a new bridge.Ald. BAKER said that the question was
one of safety, convenience, and should be at-
tended to at once.Ald. HUNTER said that something would
have to be done with this bridge. The
whole of the foundation work was rotten
and people were continually driving over it
at a very fast pace.Ald. HALL called attention to the necessity
of repairing James Bay bridge this
year, as the condition was very bad and
conditioning, being such a great public
convenience, it was absolutely necessary
that it should receive some attention.Ald. STYLES advocated the rebuilding of
the Cove bridge, giving the Council an idea
of its condition.Ald. BRAGG called attention to the great
need of money to carry all the work that
the Board of Directors of the Royal Jubilee
Hospital had in view. The financial sys-
tem was the real way for obtaining
funds for all these necessary objects, and
he hoped that in the near future he would
see the system in operation.Ald. HUNTER thought that the bridge
should be at once rebuilt. He was ashamed to
hear Alderman talking of closing up a
public thoroughfare for repairs but
had read it from the Florence Tilton,
representative of the King's Daughters.Resolved, that the bridge be ordered
closed for public traffic if necessary.From Bowdell & Irving, asking for re-
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ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL

Great Scheme for Raising Funds—
Appeal to a Generous Public.The Board of Directors of the Royal
Jubilee hospital, met last evening, in the
Board room of the hospital. Those pres-
ent were: Messrs. Joabina Davies, pres-
ident, in the chair; Hayward, Wilson, Brown,
Flumerfelt, Braverman, Byrne, Braden,
Redfern and Chudley.In the unavoidable absence of the secre-
tary, Mr. Chudley acted in that capacity,
and read the correspondence.A letter was read from the city clerk,
stating that the Street committee recom-
mended that the exact width on Mount
Tolmie Avenue be reduced while work
owners be desisted to the city.Mr. Hayward did not think it advisable
that the Board should do its property to
the other property holders would also do the same.The letter was received and filed, and the
secretary instructed to communicate with
Mr. Snowdon with the view of having his
10 feet strip of land released.Dr. Richardson forwarded a letter which
he had received from Mrs. Florence Tilton,
representative of the King's Daughters.Resolved, that the bridge be ordered
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ALL METAL—not mounted on Wood.many people who would not contribute if
called upon by a hired officer, who would
do so if asked by a member of the board.It was decided that the list of partici-
pants be revised, and the refund of dues be pre-
pared, and would probably be ready to-day.The board adjourned to the call of the
chairman.

AMATEUR THEATRICALS.

Crowded House Witnesses an
Especially Amusing and Interest-
ing Performance.The Officers of "C" Battery En-
tertain a Large Number of Guests.A delightful evening, a galaxy of "fair
women and brave men," and an excellent
and entertaining programme, were factors
which contributed to the success of the
amateur theatrical performance, given last
night in the Polo Club, C Battery barracks.Although there was adequate accommoda-
tion for the numerous guests, few seats
were found vacant. Those whose good
fortune it was to see the performance were
highly pleased."The Blind Beggar" was carried through
without a hitch, and won a hearty encore.

The programme was:

"THE BLIND BEGGAR." — Mr. George Bushby

"A New Westminster Beggar." — Mr. L. Wilson

"The Old Beggar." — Mr. J. G. Smith

"The Beggar's Fortune." — Mr. W. C. Abbott

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