						and the second sec
Qabbath	money at present to fix up the fire hall	allow anyone out at Oak Bay to have the city water while there is an abundance	matter and had no outlet. It was there-	Ald, Humphrey, MacGregor and Beck-	Ald. Brydon and Beckwith again saw	Hayward, Stewart and Hum
Sabbath	as a library, and Ald. Humphrey moved that the letter be received and filed and the school board informed that it is not	of it. It is one of the city's most de- sirable suburbs and a main is already	consider it endangered public health as	The Old Graveyard.	be referred to the city barrister for an	ing for it. "Well, gentlem
	the intention of the council to remove	laid down there. Of course anyone so	open drain.	The cemetery committee reported on the condition of the Quadra street	Mr. Bradburn said section 17 of	have passed that section clause I wish to see inserted
Observance	the library at present. Carried.	supplied should be given to understand that in the case of a shortage of wa-	Ald. Kinsman-Then there won't be any necessity to build that drain we	graveyard, saying that "after carefully	by-law covered this, but the aldorman	It is as follows: On and
	Waddington Alley.	tor they are liable to have their supply	have heard so much about?	looking over the necessary work re- quired they desired to report that a por-	not pay very much attention to Mr. Bradburn just then, Ald. Kinsman say	passage of this by-law no pe
	Mr. Chris. Morley called attention to the condition of Waddington alley, slong	cut off. It seemed an unwise thing, how- ever, to say to a man who had his house	Ald. Beckwith did not agree with the report, because although he did not	tion of the back fence, about 150 feet,	ing the solicitor said it could not be done as proposed by the motion. Ald	any kind on a Sunday, for w
Board of Aldermen Adopt the	which there is considerable heavy traffic just now and the letter was referred to	just finished that he cannot have the	claim expert knowledge such as these gentlemen possess, he did know some-	requires renewing and the northern and western fences need some repairs, and	Kinsman didn't like the idea of some	ceives remuneration." This created a little mild
First Clause of the	the engineer for report.	The letter was referred to the water	thing about the conditions existing in the	also painting. The gates also require repairing. The growth of underbrush	respectable citizens brought into the no	but his worship explained the ject was to ensure that the o
By-Law.	James Bay Bridge.	commissioner for report.	neighborhood. He suggested that the visit for determining whether or no the	will need cutting down and a general	make the necessary connections Th	have a good by-law if they
	The local manager of the Electric Railway Company stated that the com-	from the water commissioner, who said	pond is a menace to public health had	cleaning up, and your committee would recommend that \$150 be expended un-	had not off the	Sunday closing by-law at must be consistent.
The Mayor's Clause Prohibiting	pany is now in a position to proceed with	he had received a number of similar ap- plications and asked for instructions. He	not been made at the proper time of the	der the guidance of the city engineer.	connections and when the property	Ald. MacGregor said such a
All Work on Sunday Is	the erection of a temporary bridge across James Bay and asked that the	pointed out that if the requests were	be allowed to remain in its present con-	and that the necessary repairs may be done by the city carpenter. Also that		that had not been asked for, be going too far. If such a cl
Defeated.	engineer be instructed to give them the	granted it would have the tendency to make people build their houses just be-				ed it would mean that every
2010000	location for the same. Ald. Stewart thought there was some	youu the city munts, and on the other	monulus.	It is government property and in formor	These had been have a day of the second seco	have to walk to church. From the audience there
a line literation of the	mistake. He understood that there was	hand, if refused, there would be a loss of possible revenue to the city. Those	Ald. Hayward moved that the report be received and filed, which was second-	years the government did so contri-	citor a list of about 60 defaultor	stentorian expression of app
Permanent Sidewalk on Govern.	some plan to erect a permanent bridge across James Bay and thought the letter	who are granted the privilege are charg-	ed by Ald. Williams. Ald. Humphrey	The report was signed by Ald. Kins-		derision, it was not quite cle and his worship was moved t
ment StreetSewerage	must have been intended to refer to	ed at per cent. higher rates than those who are in the city.	sent to those who had called the atten-	Ald. Hayward and Humphrey thought	posed of, and in the sixth an adjourn-	that no expressions could be from beyond the rail.
Connection	Rock Bay. The mayor explained that the company had been granted permis-	Ald. Stewart then moved that the re-	tion of the council to the matter, which	the committee had failed in the main		Ald. Beckwith said the inclus
	sion to erect a temporary bridge so that	people who erect residences in the sub-	brought from Ald. Beckwith the sarcas- tic statement that they would be heard	They were to have conferred with the	inflict a fine until the city solicitor applies for a judgment.	clause proposed by the mayo make the whole by-law un
The Board of Aldermen held a long	in case of anything being done to the present bridge the traffic would not be	urbs as the "blue-blooded" people and	from soon enough when they had actions	government in regard to transferring the	Ald. Hayward asked if the city could	What would be done with t
session last night, there being a large	interfered with. Ald. Stewart then moved that the	city. There is a good deal of money in the	the state of the pond.	property to the city, and they moved an amendment that the report be referred	do the work out of the current revenue or if it would be necessary to introduce	and the firemen for instance? was asked was that the city
quantity of correspondence to be dealt with and some important motions to be	company be given the location, the bridge	the supply of water in such cases, too,	A little sharpshooting took place be- tween Ald. MacGregor and Stewart, the	back to the committee to complete this	a by-law to borrow the money The	given a by-law similar to th
discussed. It was late before the order	to be on the east side of the street line. Ald. Humphrey seconded this, and sug-	the bonds.	former saying that the work already	lost and the report as received was	mayor replied that it would be necessary to introduce a by-law and the soli-	exists in all well regulated c The mayor retorted that
of "by-laws" was reached, Ald. Hay-	gested that the sidewalk on the east side		done would be lost and it would now be	adopted.	citor said it could be done under the	wanted to do was to bring th
ward obtaining leave to introduce his debt consolidation by-law, and it being	of the bridge be cut off. When the per- manent way is built it could be allowed	in the position of land owners within the	necessary to haul gravel to fill in the ditch that has been dug.	Home For Aged and Infirm. The committee asked that the pur-	local improvement plan and the property benefited by the work would be held as	line with Toronto. Ald, Hayward thought the in
read a first time. Then came the		city limits who could not find purchasers for their property because of the taxes,	Ald. Stewart wanted to know what	chasing agent be instructed to obtain a	security for the amount. This is being	of the by-law should certainly sistent. The idea underlying
Sunday closing by-law, introduced by	sidewalks. The mayor expressed the opinion that it is absolutely necessary	and yet saw people outside the city get-	ditch Wouldn't it be there to fill up	quantity of underclothing for the in- mates and some sundries, the total	done in England as in all other local	ure he supposed to be that it v
Ald. Beckwith, the second reading of	that there be two sidewalks, one not be-	ting the same privileges without having to pay those taxes. He believed most	with? Ald. MacGregor retorted that a	amount being \$125. Adopted.	carried with the addition of instruc-	sary for the physical and more of the individual that he sho
which was agreed to and the committee stage entered upon. Clause 1, prohibit-	ing sumerent to accommodate the same.	of the property owners in the city would	the report was received and filed as sug-	Brass Goods Delayed.	tions to the city solicitor to prepare the necessary by-law. The mayor	one day's rest in seven, and
ing the sale in the city of everything	mistake to commit the council without	oppose the granting of privileges asked	gested by the motion although Ald. Mac-	The standing committee on finance recommended the expenditure of \$5,-	further explained that the by-law would	ciple would apply equally as others as to barbers. Undert
except "drugs, medicine and milk" was	due consideration, for if this temporary bridge be erected it may be in the way	limits years ago was to bring into the	would be just as expensive to do what	038.63 out of current revenue and the	include a mention of every particular piece of property benefited by the sew-	instance. Why should tram ployees have to work? Steam
passed after some considerable discus- sion and then the mayor had a clause to	when the permanent work is under-	tax-paying zone those who had built out- side of it to escape paying their share	would be necessary if the work be aban- doned as it would be to complete the	report was just being adopted when Ald. Brydon raised a question about	erage connection being made.	too? They need a rest more
insert to the effect "that on and after	Ald. MacGregor also wanted to know	of the city's burden.	work.	some brass goods which had not been delivered, as provided in the contract,	Sabbath Observance.	others probably, and it certainl desirable that the council s
the passage of the by-law no one within the city limits should do any work for	if this temporary bridge would not inter-		The medical health officer also reported on the condition of the basement of the	by April 12th. Ald. Beckwith made the	Although the audience which had gathered to listen to the proceedings of	consistent. Stop everything o
which remuneration is received." This clause was too strong for the introducers	fere with the work of the permanent	was an abundance of water now and the	North Ward school, a matter which had	assertion that although the tender of	the council on the Sunday closing by	day. The Mayor: "Yes, stop the
of the by-law, notwithstanding the state-	cil was thinking about their own tempor-	building of residences at Oak Bay should be encouraged, it leaves money in the	been referred to him inconsequence of a communication received from the	who had quoted \$185 less than the firm		volving on its axis."
ment by the mayor and Ald. Hayward that if a Sunday closing by-law is to be	ary bridge and that it would be better to let the tramway company have the	city.	Board of School Trustees. The officer	who obtained the contract, had been re- jected because they stated they could	i ure was taken up and agreed to mith	Ald. Cameron thought this carrying the thing to a ridio
passed it had better be a good one, and	use of it. Ald. Stewart said it would	Ultimately a special committee was ap- pointed to consider the question in con-	said that he found the basement in good condition and free from danger to the	not undertake to deliver the goods in	out discussion, Ald. Beckwith missing the opportunity of making a speech on	treme. Local option should be to regulate this matter as it
that it is advisable the council should be consistent in the matter. This clause	not interfere with the work except where the sidewalk is and where the	sultation with the water commissioner	children using it as a playground. Re-	the time specified, the contractor to whom the contract was given relied up.	the principle of the measure an omis-	Ontario. There, if a majority
being defeated and it being 11:15 the	line would have to make a turn, and Ald. Hayward said that if	and report. The mayor appointed Ald. Brydon, Stewart and Hayward on the	ceived and filed and a copy to be sent to the school trustees.	on obtaining them from Messrs, Boyd.	sion he endeavored to rectify in com- mittee and was not allowed to. On the	tain trade wish to close their Sunday they petition the co
committee rose, against the expressed wish of Ald. Beckwith, who was de-	this temporary bridge was going to inter-	committee.	Debt Consolidation,	and hence the delay. He believed that the city had a claim for damages	motion that the council go into commit-	the council must introduce a b
sirous of finishing the consideration of	fere with the street line he would vigor- ously oppose it. It would be well for the	Mr. Moody's Claim. Mr. C. C. Moody addressed another	The city assessor reported that the	against the contractor, and wanted to see the matter pressed. Ald, Brydon	sentient vote, and with the mayor in	ber and 'fruit businesses an a
the by-law before adjourning. A special meeting of the council will	council to have their own plan ready be-	communication to the council relative to	petitioners whose names appeared on the petition presented to the council last	insisted upon the item being laid over.	the chair clause 1 was taken up. This	majority have petitioned thi and they should be heard.
be held on Friday evening for the pur-	fore fettering themselves with a bridge they could not dispose of after it had	His claim for the sum of \$1 out which	week favoring the introduction of a by-	but the mayor said there was no danger of the money being paid until the goods.	passage of this by-law nothing shall be	clothing business, there is only
pose of considering the report of the city engineer on street and sidewalk work.	been built.	regard to some sale of property for	law to carry out Ald. Hayward's scheme of debt consolidation represented a suffi-	were received, and he did not think the	sold or offered for sale within the city	in that business who wants to and it seems a shame that all
The full board was present, his wor-		taxes. He disputed the title of any one other than E. A. Moody to the property	cient percentage of the assessable valu-	city was suffering any loss in conse- quence of the delay. Ald, Hayward said	Ald. Humphrey had an amendment.	shall have to pay one-seventh
ship the mayor presiding; City Clerk Dowler and Mr. J. M. Bradburn (for the	cided to request the engineer to prepare	and analyzed a shown for \$19 and anne	able property in the city, 10 per cent. Sixty-eight of the signatories, consisting	if damages could be proved to have been	he wished to include among the exempt- ed articles, cigars, ice cream and tem-	and expenses because of him. is asked is a reasonable Sal
city solicitor) also being in attendance.	the plans for the location of the tempor-	cents to pay out the interest of one. Brown, who now holds the property.	of agents and those house bounds bounds	sustained by the city a suit might be entered, but it would be necessary to	perance drinks. He thought it would	servance.
After the reading and adoption of the minutes the city clerk heard communi-	conneil for approval, Ald. Hayward sug-	The mayor pointed out that the name	attorney and owners represented \$2,798,- 625.	prove that the city has suffered damage.	be a hardship that people coming to the city on Sunday should be unable to	The mayor's amendment was by a vote of 7 to 3, his wors
cations as follows:		of C. C. Moody does not appear in any record of the transaction complained of	The report was received, and at a later	Permanent Sidewalks.	buy a lemonade in the dry, hot days of	finding supporters in Ald. Ste
Jarrah Wood,	of the eastern street line. The mayor	by Mr. C. C. Moody and there was no	stage in the proceedings Ald. Hayward obtained leave to introduce the by-law,	Ald. Hayward's motion ordering the construction of permanent walks on	summer.	Hayward. It was now 11.15, and his
From F. Elworthy, secretary of the B. C. Board of Trade, enclosing a letter	thought it would be better to leave that to the city engineer, and this was done.	widence before the council to show that Mr. C. C. Moody has authority to act	which was read a first time. Ald. Hay-	both sides of Government street, be-	arose right there. A great many cigar	suggested that the committee ter rise, it being already past
from Mr. James Martin, of the Jarrah-	Sewage Disposal.	for E. A. Moody. The letter was re-	ward wished to take the second reading	tween Courtney and Johnson, was then	store keepers are willing to see the hr.	tory time-11 o'clock-but A
dale Forests and Railways Company, directing the attention of the Board of	Mr. Philip Fewster, of Vancouver, ad-	ferred to the city solicitor and city treasurer for report.	by-law was too important to allow of	cost had been prepared by Engineer	allowed to intreach on the business by	with wished to continue and the by-law. His worship
Trade to the value of Jarrah wood for	dressed the council on the matter of the	Imployant Communications	such a course being advisable and it could not be read a second time unless a	Cousins and was submitted to the coun- cil as follows:	selling cigars.	that a two-thirds vote would
piles, bridges, block paving, etc. This is the letter which was read at a recent	"Septic tank" system had been endors-	The mayor stated that there was an-	two-thirds vote decided upon it. The	Estimated cost of concrete sidewalks,	Ald. Humphrey pressed his objection to refusing to allow a man to buy a	ed to authorize the council to and the vote being taken tha
meeting of the council of the Board of	ed in England and was likely to prove of inestimable value to cities. Mr. Fewster	other 'ong communication from Mr. Moody regarding the establishment of a	second reading stood over until Monday	with curb and guitters on ronowing	temperance drink on Sunday Ho	mittee continue it was lost.
Trade and published in full at the time in these columns. Mr. Martin offered	intends visiting England for the purpose	mint and one from Mr. John Heary on	Craigflower Road.	street, \$1,166.35; Broughton to Fort,	going to a hotel, taking a room, push-	tion to rise and report prog then made by Ald. Beckwith a
to send samples of the wood for	don and placed his nonvious of the dia	the subject of Sabbath observance. He thought it would be well to announce	Rev. W. H. G. Ellison adressed the	\$355.70; Fort to Yates, \$2,122.35; Yates to Johason, \$1,390; total, \$5,034.40.	ing the electric button and paving	Questions.
test, if they would delfay the cost of freight.		for the benefit of those people who wish to air their views on matters not within	council on the matter of the old Craig- flower road, which has been before the	Ald. Beckwith called attention to the	double the ordinary price. Then as to restaurants, a great many men depend	Ald. Stewart called the att
				unsightly sidewalk apposite the new post		the need of ment 1

health officer for report.

freight. Ald. Williams, in moving that the let-ter be referred to the city engineer for report, said that it might be well to try the wood for bridge and pile wok, but the wood for bridge and pile wok wok and the matter of the benefit of those people who wish for the benefit of those people who wish the province of the council, that their the province of the council asking them the province of the council aski ent system. Carried. taken up with the reading of such letters. There was a chorus of approving to keep the road open, and he wished ters. There was a chorus of approving hear, hears to this and the letters of Messre Moody and Henry were not Infectious Diseases. Mr. I. St. Clair suggested that measles Messrs. Moody and Henry were not be placed under the same regulations as read.

Block for Street Paving.

Sewerage Connection.

need of work being pressed at the water works, and asked ergineer could be instructed t ed with the preliminaries that done in this good spring weath

as there was the best wood in the world right at hand for block paving it would not be wise to entertain the idea of using jarrah wood for that purpose. The letter took the course indicated by

the motion. Fort Street Track.

A. T. Goward, secretary of the Elec-Water Connections. tric Railway Co., stated that it is the in-There was quite a batch of correstention of the company to improve the pondence regarding the extension of the track on Fort street by laying heavier rails and asked that the engineer be given authority to furnish the company with the correct grade of Fort street above Douglas.

property belongs to the Tippens estate, road, The mayor stated that the engineer and if the city water be available for had this work in hand and that he had domestic purposes Mr. Quagliotti can obbeen instructed to furnish an estimate of tain a tenant at once and so allow Mrs. the cost of making the street to the Tippens to obtain revenue from the proproper grade. His worship recommended perty. The next lots are connected and in this connection that it would be well the letter went to the city engineer for for the aldermen to consider at this time report. the advisability of having the track laid.

The next letter came from Mr. F. M. in the middle of the street, pointing out Rattenbury, who said he was just finishthat as it is now there is a large portion ing a house at Oak Bay and wants the of the roadway that cannot be used for city water. If permission be granted any purpose.

Mr. Rattenbury is willing to supply the Ald. Humphrey agreed with this, and Ald. Beckwith said that if the track be pipe and make the connection. Ald. Humphrey objected to recognizing laid in the middle of the road it will be necessary that the railway company be the principle that a man can go outside instructed to keep the track in good condi- the city limits to avoid the payment of tion, otherwise it would be inconvenient city taxes and yet be allowed the privilfor the ordinary traffic. Ald. Humphrey ege of city water. It was simply placing explained that the difference in the a bonus on the erection of residences in height of the rails in some places was localities which would debar the city caused by the road not being properly from obtaining any revenue from them. graded, and the motion that the engineer He would oppose all such applications. The mayor said that if it was the furnish the correct grade was carried. wish of the council that no one outside | mated cost \$175. On the same subject a letter was read subsequently from the city engineer en- of the city limits except those already closing a plan of the rails proposed to supplied should enjoy the advantage of city water, it would be well for the counbe used by the railway company, which cil to pass a resolution embodying that the engineer recommended to be adopted, principle. It seemed to him, however,

the mayor explaining in answer to questions that the rails are to be seven inches high from the base to the top of being supplied. the "T" The engineer's recommenda-Ald. Humphrey said that although tion was endorsed on motion of Ald. there might be plenty of water now Stewart. there might come a time when the water

Rockland Avenue Drain

ing from the drain.

it out.

Mr. F. B. Pemberton called the atan injustice to the people in the city who tention of the council to the condition of had property on which they were paying a drain on Rockland avenue leading from the city taxes.

would be short, and besides that, it was

Mr. Combe's house, which at present makes the street almost impassable. He Ald. Stewart suggested that in cases of this kind double rates be charged and thought that a box drain should be put was informed that extra charge is alin and that a couple of barrels of lime be ready made, which prompted Ald. Stewused at once to abate the nuisance aris- art to the statement that it seemed apparent the people are not being charged Referred to the city engineer with the enough.

understanding that if the work is only Ald. Beckwith thought the council a small matter he has authority to carry should be allowed to decide each case on its merits. In the case of Mrs. Tippens,

School Board Request. an old resident of the city and who has The secretary of the Board of School no easy time to get along as it is, it Trustees forwarded a copy of a resolu- seemed advisable that in order to enable tion passed at the last meeting of that her to get a tenant for her property she body asking the council if they are in- should be allowed the privilege asked tending to remove the library to the fire for, but that is a different thing to allowhall building shortly to be vacated, to ing that privilege to people who wish to place the rooms now occupied as the build magnificent residences beyond the library at the disposal of the school city limits. He was prepared to use his judgment in each case as it came up. trustees.

His worship said the council have no Ald. MacGregor was quite willing to

apply to diptheria, scarlet fever and other infectious diseases. To the medical

Cadboro Bay Road. Mrs. Isabella Speers wrote asking that portion of Cadboro Bay road in front portion of Cadboro Bay road in front portion of Cadboro Bay road in front of her property be put in repair expressout that the old Craigflower road, one and Beckwith said they had no intenof the main arteries of travel to the tion of blocking the work proposed by ing the opinion that she should be allowed the same privilege as others country tributary to the city, is almost Ald. Hayward, Ald. Brydon failing to To city water to houses beyond the city lim- the city engineer for report, Ald. Mac- impassable and that the sidewalks are see how the embodiment of the addition its, the first letter read being from Mr. Gregor saying that Mrs. Speers deserv-L. J. Quagliotti, who wished to connect | ed some consideration as she had given lots 3 and 4 of lot 6. Cloverdale. This ten feet of her lot for the making of the

Engineer's Report.

The engineer recommended that the following box drains be laid: Sayward avenue, between Denman

North Pembroke street, between Sayward avenue and Clarke street, 200 feet. of each council meeting he asked the Clarke street, between North Pem- aldermen whether they wished to take roke street and Denman road, 400 feet. up deferred business he was generally Bay street, between First and Douglas answered with a motion to adjourn. streets, 300 feet. Richardson street, west of Moss street,

renewing and extending 200 feet. Esti- were willing to deal with it when it was brought up. mated cost \$180. Adopted, provided that pipe drains be laid where advisable.

newing: of Moss street, 970 feet by 6 feet. Esti-

Adopted. Johnson street, south side between George and Camosan street, 800 feet of making the road conform to the street upon a municipality should not be ex-6 feet walk. Estimated cost \$145. Adopted, provided the sidewalk is ouilt on the street line. that while the city has plenty of water

Surfaced lumber will be used in future there could be no objection to the houses on new sidewalks.

Pemberton Road Pond.

The health and sanitary officers reportd on the matter of the pond on Mr. B. ed that portion to the original motion, sewer; therefore be it resolved that the W. Pearse's property, which has formed and in addition to the city engineer, the payment of the said tax on the part of ple coming from Eastern Canada the subject of considerable discussion at city solicitor will act with the commit- the said property owners be considered recent meetings of the board. They said | tee.

they found the pond contained a quantity of decayed and decaying vegetable the committee would report on. Would as the council shall, under the pro-



aches, and you feel bilious, consti-pated, and out of tune, with your stomach sour and no appetite, just buy a package of

Hood's Pills And take a dose, from 1 to 4 pills. You will be surprised at how easily they will do their work, cure your headache and billousness, rouse the liver and make you feel happy again. 25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

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in a dangerous condition. The petition could block the work. Ultimately Ald. stated that an attempt to close the road Hayward's motion carried as introducwould be vigorously opposed and asked 'ed, it being understood that granite that a sidewalk be built on the east side curbs will be used instead of concrete, although where there are concrete curbs side of said road. Ald. Humphrey moved that the peti- now they will be allowed to remain. tion be laid over for a week as promised Mr. Ellison, and Ald. Brydon second-Ald. Humphrey's motion calling for struck others, as being very extraordin ed, although the latter thought that a road and North Pembroke street, 400 great many matters are laid over for a tenders for the supply of 200,000 fir blocks each, 3x6x5 and 3x6x6, was carweek of which nothing more is heard. ried. The mayor said that when at the end Fort street paving work, the object in calling for tenders for the two sizes he-

> ing to enable the council to decide also thought that the by-law should prowhich is the better size for the purpose. The matter could be laid over and brought up next week if the aldermen Ald, Kinsman moved: "Whereas the summary compulsion of

owners of property along the line of or Ald. MacGregor was tired of shillywithin the 150 feet of a public sewer, shallying with the road question, and to connect with such sewer, will neces-The city carpenter reports the follow- moved that a special committee be ap- sitate the expenditure in a number of ing sidewalks worn out and requiring re- pointed to enquire into the whole matter instances of a large sum of money, and report to the council next week, which added to the ordinary taxes will Belcher avenue, south side and east so that when the petitions came up for be greater than the income derivable consideration they could arrive at some therefrom for upwards of a year or definite understanding. The committee more; and whereas it is a well known should go over the matter with the city and fundamental principle of municipal engineer and report upon the cost of government, that the powers conferred

line. There are only about two blocks ercised in an arbitrary manner, or in that need repairing. If it would cost such a way as to work hardship to any too much to be done this year let it go, portion of the ratepayers, unless abso but the time had come when the council ought to "face the music." lutely necessary for the safety and pro-

tection of all; and whereas the said Ald. Hayward agreed with the idea of property owners are already required to special committee, and on the sugges- pay the sewer rental tax as if their tion of the mayor, Ald. Humphrey add- property was connected with the public

hereafter as exempting owners from

Ald. Hayward wanted to know what making sewer connection until such time zens had been deterred from settling visions of sub-section 10, 11 and 17 of people had come here and seen the shops they decide the question of legal status. Has the council the right to close the section 245 of the Municipal Clauses open and had gone to Vancouver to road? The mayor said there was no Act, make such house connections un-doubt on that point, but Ald. Hayward der the local improvement plan, pro-shall be run in line with other Caust said he would like to be better informed viding an option to the owners of pro- dian cities, or whether the pattern regarding that than he then was. The perty of paying full amount of cost of such connection, down or by equal year-Brydon and Beckwith wanted a full agreeing that the petition might be left over for a week for the report of the said the matter had been delayed long enough and that it would be settled next week. This with an air of deter-

opinion of the city solicitor. Ald. ly instalments extending over a term of years. The properties in question to

This provoked considerable discussion, strictest observance of the Sabbath. ommittee if they would also give the Ald. Stewart opening the ball with the legal position of the case. Ald. Wil-liams believed in fixing the road and use his discretion in the matter of enforcing connection with sewers. The cigars and keep them over until the passing of such a resolution as this Sunday, but he could hardly might lead to a great many people who pected to "pack" bottles of soda water

mination. The motion carried, and the | can afford to do the work taking advan- | around with him. following committee was appointed :- | tage of the leniency of the council. | The amendment was defeated, Ald.

work might be obtained from the city Ald. Brydon supported the clause. He engineer without delaying the work said a previous speaker had referred to eceived an assurance that the en was attending to it. Toronto as the leading city in Canada Ald. Hayward asked if anythin "Would the council please defer action resolution with this addition, as it would follow Toronto's ex-for a week?" Received and filed and surely result in delay. His intention ample and have a strict Sabbath ob-

Humphrey's amendment. The object of

getting ice cream exempted was simply

to keep the fruit stores open, and that

would result in tobacco and cigars being

sold as well as ice cream. This would

mean that the business would be thrown

into certain quarters only and would be

a discrimination against others. If the

city was going to have Sabbath obset

struck him, and he had no doubt

ary, when he came to the city, and i

was especially harmful in its effect upon

break the Sabbath on their ways to and

from Sunday school. Ald. MacGregor

hibit the carrying of clothes to and fto

on the streets by wash Chinamen on

Ald. Beckwith said that to exempt

cigars, ice cream, etc., would defeat the

object of the whole by-law. It had

been brought forward in the increst

vested in the business, and who asked

that they should be protected agains

those who competed unfavorably with

them by trading seven, instead of sil

days, in the week. They wanted

have the same right as the aldermo

have, to enjoy a holiday on one day

to keep their customers, who would oth

erwise leave them and go to the sto

that are open on Sunday. The sight

stores being open on Sunday strikes pe

very wrong, and he knew for a fact th

Victoria because of it. Some of these

by other cities of the Pacific coast sha

Ald. Humphrey could not see what

Ald. Kinsman favored Ald. rill

temperance drinks. A man can bu

connection cigars had with fruit store

other strong speech in favor of

people who would have been good

and at the request of a large number of

fruit dealers who had large capital i

vance at all it should have Sabhath ob-

servance properly. Sunday trading had

servance by-law.

The blocks are needed for the the little, children who are tempted to

Sunday.

the week

right now.

be followed.

een heard from Mr. Cecil Sm nswer to the telegram sent hir vas told that no answer of any ki ome to hand. Ald. MacGregor objected to Ald.

Ald. Williams wanted to have the broken rock on Rockland sed for filling up the holes there His worship asked when a eeting could be held for the con on of the engineer's report on ork, and it was decided to meet Friday night. The council then rose.

THE SINEWS OF WAR. -0-

mmittees Appointed to Secur Funds for the Celebration.

The finance committee of the ration committee met last nig pointed sub-committees for co necessary funds for the der They are as follows: No. 1, south of Yates and overnment streets-Messrs. ayward, G. A. Kirk and A.

No. 2, north of Vates and vernment street-Chief T. De Elliott and Chief Sheppard, No. 3, south of Yates, betwee iment and Douglas street acGregor, W. H. Langley, odley and Major Williams. No. 4, north of Yates, between nment and Douglas street imphrey, William Dalby and nnerton.

south of Yates and uglas-Messrs. H. M. Graham tson, F. B. Pemberton and

The Mayor-They have the same o. 6, north of Yates and ea aglas street—Ald. Beckwith, Ald. Beckwith argued that these peo ple are obliged to keep their stores open

don, B. S. Heisterman and 7, James Bay-John Hall, es and J. F. Foulkes.

8, Rock Bay and Victoria H. Price, C. Jenkinson and

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