int Committees Decide That Esquimalt Is the Place for the Smelter.

gislature Will Be Asked for Power to Bonus the Selover Syndicate.

he smelter question has taken aner turn. The city council has adopted port of its special committee suggesg that the legislature allow the city to ius the Selover syndicate to the ext of \$150,000, if the syndicate will put a smelter at Esquimalt. This report drawn up after consultation with board of trade committee. The 0,000 is to be given in three annual alments of \$50,000, if the citizens see r way to pass the necessary by-law the legislature allows the course. the legislature allows the course. terms upon which the smelter will seen from the letter of Mr. Wm. Selection below. He says, in behalf of sudjections and set of the says, in behalf of sudjections.

We will agree to construct and rate a 400-ton plant, to consist of not than two silver-lead stacks and one per plant, with a 25 to 50-ton refining at for separating the lead from the er and gold, on the following condi-is: That after sasd plant is comted we further agree to operate for a of 30 days one or more stacks, to onstrate to you that our plant is at is known as a 400-ton plant. iately thereafter the sum of \$50,000 ash shall be paid to our trustee, and year from the said test, a further of \$50,000 shall be paid to the stee, and two years from the date of test a further and final payment of 000 shall be paid to the trustee 000 shall be paid to

ring in all a sum of \$150,000. Selover has informed the city icil that his syndicate are prepared roceed at once. The special com-tees appointed to deal with the mat-decided upon Esquimatt as the c place, because they considered smelter would just as must benefit city being there, and because they d not find a suitable location within city limits. Mr. Remington, inonly available site was the Songhees

The committee naturally felt rve. The committee naturally felt t it would not be advisable to locate nelter there, especially as one could y easily be got at Esquimalt.

rom a smelter to fruit is a far cry, the council got there. The Selover position disposed of for the present, took up a letter from Mr. Munro ler, who on behalf of the Fruit wers Association of Victoria district, for a conference with the counc onsider the question of stores in the market. The aldermen decided to t the fruit growers at 3 o'clock on nesday.
e lumber contracts do not suit Mr.

F. Adams, and he wrote a letter sug-ing to the council that they should ing to the council that they should into the whole matter. His letter not couched in language that met approval, and Aldr. Gregor moved the letter be received and thrown he waste paper basket. Mr. Mayor ided that he could not put such a ion. Mr. Adams' communication

he Consolidated Electric Railway found difficulty in the choosing of inders, and they asked the council days delay before section 16 of by-269 was enforced. Mr. J. B. Mc-igan, the manager, stated also that ipts had fallen off considerably, and before buying fenders.

You might just as well grant the pany 60 months as 60 days," said Partridge, "as the greatest traffic company has had for many a day company has had for many a day be carried within the time they ask

delay." ld. Stewart remarked that the celeion would not come on until after 60 days, while Ald. McCandless agreed that the extension of fime not unreasonable. He also believed the restriction of 30 passengers to car was prejudicial to the company. a rule, he said, was not enforce nere else. The Mayor agreed and that he would like to see the numextended to 50.

Id. Wilson thought they had been

enient enough and he was opposed extension. McGregor did not think they had ower to alter the by-law, and ulti-

y it was decided to notify the comat the council has no power to acto the request without amending e vexed question of a proper place

armers' horses and wagons in the cet will be settled soon, it is hoped. market committee recommended tenders should be called for to cover ice in the market to hold 25 horses. hat a charge be made for the privi-The cost is not to exceed \$500. recommendation was adopted, but men were of opinion that a less exiture than \$500 would meet the re-

ements of the case. e fire wardens' report was adopted. commended that the contract for eet of hose be granted to the Gutta ha Rubber Co., of Toronto, that the r of Nicholles & Renouf be accepted opper wire at \$28 per mile, that behe lowest tender; and that Messrs. t & Gray's tender for fire hydrants each be accepted. No. 2 fire hall be roofed with iron, so the tenders ngling were not accepted.

last matters to engage the attenthe aldermen were the swings and in the park. Ald. Hall, as chairof the park committee, took on himself to order \$70 worth of rs to be done in the way of ng the swings fit for children to ennemselves in and in strengthening ear pit to prevent the bruin family wandering untrammelled around ark. Ald. McGregor and Partridge ted to the \$70 being paid just yet as had not been consulted, and they so roughly with Ald. Hall that the tened to resign. Ultimately peace ecured, though Ald. Hall declared his interest in the park would from this day forth. The account

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fere with our enjoyment of Christmas, or the 24th May or 1st July, and the Indians should be allowed to enjoy themselves in their own way. He claimed that a certain reverend gentleman, who had got Indians heavily fined for celebra-

ting a potlatch, had a little more zeal

he had been misrepresented.

Hon. Mr. Turner remarked that both hon. gentlemen seemed to him to blame the government for not putting a larger Hume, Huff, Irving, Helmcken and Eb-

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The second reading was negatived.
The house adjourned at 5:25 p.m.

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