

CITY WILL MAKE ITS APPEAL TO GOVERNMENT

A Public Meeting Decides to Press for Passing of Waterworks Bill

(From Thursday's Daily) By a unanimous vote a resolution urging the government to allow of the bill being presented to the house...

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WANT ACETYLENE BUOYS FOR ALASKAN WATERS United States Mariners Seeking to Induce Government to Light Northern Coast Puget Sound navigators who voyage to Alaskan waters are agitating for lights to be placed by the United States government in northern waters...

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS (From Thursday's Daily) Bissell-Roach Last night at the home of the bride's mother, 837 Pandora avenue, the wedding was solemnized at 7:30 o'clock of Miss Alice Roach, well known in Victoria...

OAK BAY COUNCIL MEETS Three Hours' Session Yesterday at Which Little Business Was Accomplished The postponed regular meeting of the Oak Bay council was held yesterday afternoon in the Oak Bay offices...

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