The Minutes of two previous meetings were confirmed.

On behalf of the Finance Committee Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendations:

"Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Committees concerned for the month of July 1915:"

- Finance Accounts: 6347.02
- Victoria Hall Accounts: 81.68
- Road Dept. Accounts: 11013.06
- Police Dept. Accounts: 379.81
- Light Dept. Accounts: 23690.60
- Library Accounts: 225.13
- Parks Dept. Accounts: 568.29
- Roads Pay Rolls: 13516
- Scavenging Pay Rolls: 1051.00
- Parks Pay Rolls: 1791.10
- Light Pay Rolls: 6437.95
- Victoria Hall Pay Rolls: 1051.00
- Police Pay Rolls: 2945.35

$68597.58

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. Common this recommendation was adopted.

"Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the action of the Committee in approving the acceptance of the sum of $1400.00 from Hon. Wm. Owens as his share of the cost of reconstructing Mount Pleasant Avenue Retaining Wall."

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was adopted.

"Your Committee recommends that a remittance of $17.40 be made on the tax accounts due by Mr. D. McNamara on his Greene Avenue property, Cadastre 375 part 12 and 11, a clerical error having been made in the area of the property."

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common this recommendation was adopted.

Ald. R.B. Common on behalf of the Parks Committee submitted the following recommendation:

"Your Committee recommends that an appropriation of $775.00 from old loans be made for the purpose of draining one of the Park Comfort Stations. The amount to be taken from funds of the Old Loans."

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. P.W.
McLagan this recommendation was adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd on behalf of the Road Committee submitted the following report:

Your Committee recommends the acceptance upon and in consideration of the following conditions of the offer of Mr. Thos. W. Lamb to cede to the City of Westmount Cadastre lot 285, sub-division 16, having an area of 4,543 feet situated at the corner of the Boulevard and Clarke Avenue, as is shown upon a plan made by J. T. Z. Patenaude, Q.L.S. dated May 1st. 1915, a copy of which is attached hereto:

(A) That the City accept the cession of the said property for the purposes of a public street and public place.

(B) That the City shall construct a sewer along the southern boundary connecting with the sewer on Clarke Avenue as indicated upon a plan made by Percy E. Jarman, City Engineer and dated July 5th. 1915 to afford drainage from the rear of four lots viz. Cadastre 285, sub-divisions 12, 13, 14 and 15, the cost of the said sewer to be assessed against the said four lots drained by it and any change of grade of manhole or manholes that may hereafter be made necessary on the said sewer shall be made at the cost of the proprietor changing the grade of lot or lots. The City shall have the right of access to the sewer for the purposes of inspection and repairs. This right shall be a servitude upon the property in favor of the City.

(C) That upon the construction of the said sewer and the assessment of the cost thereof upon the proprietors of said lots Cadastre 285, sub-divisions 12, 13, 14 and 15 the said proprietors shall be relieved of the assessment presently existing upon the said lots for the cost of the construction of the part of the sewer in the Boulevard.

(D) Only one dwelling detached or semi-detached may be erected on each of the lots Cadastre 285, sub-divisions 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 and this condition shall be a servitude upon the property in favor of the City.

(E) That the said dwellings when erected shall be back from the street line as is shown upon the plan made by Percy E. Jarman, City Engineer and dated July 5th. 1915 and this condition shall be a servitude upon the property in favor of the City.

(F) That the proprietor or proprietors shall consent to the placing of gas mains and electric light and power wires and conduits in the front of the said lots Cadastre 285, sub-divisions 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 inside the sidewalk and this condition shall be a servitude upon the property in favor of the City.

(G) That the Mayor and the Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the Deed of Cession after approval thereof by the City Attorney.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd submitted a further recommendation as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the offer of Mr. L.G. Little to cede to the City of Westmount for the sum of $225.00 or at 50¢ per square foot, Cadastre 374, part sub-division 24 be accepted, and that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be authorized to sign the deed of cession on behalf of the City, upon approval thereof by the City Solicitor.
It is also recommended that upon cession of this property the Engineer be authorized to proceed with the work of grading and developing, as per plan submitted by him, at a total estimated cost of $1900.00 including the purchase of the land, the amount to be taken from By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd submitted a further report as follows;

- Your Committee recommends that the Council approve of the plan of W. E. Boucher, Q.F.S. for the re-subdivision of Cadastre 210, sub-divisions 10, 11, 12 and 13 on Willow Avenue, to Cad. 210-10, 11-1, 11-2, 12-1, 12-2 and 13.
- Your Committee further recommends that a permit be granted to John Quinlan for the erection of a garage at the corner of Redfern and Western Avenues in line with the front of the house, as per plans submitted.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

The report of the Road Committee with reference to the development of Belvedere Terrace was referred to next meeting of Council.

Ald. E.H. Brown on behalf of the Police, Fire and Health Committee intimated that recent tests taken by the milk analysis shows that some of the dealers are still supplying unsatisfactory milk, the bacteria count being very high.

He also submitted reports from the City of Rochester, the United States Public Health Service and the American Public Health Association showing how the milk supply was dealt with by these authorities in the United States.

To deal effectively with the milk supply in the City of Westmount Ald. E.H. Brown submitted a By-law prepared by the City Solicitor entitled By-law concerning nuisances and move that the By-law receive its first reading, the motion was seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd and unanimously agreed to. The By-law having been read a first time it was moved by Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd and resolved that it be submitted for its second reading at next meeting of the Council.

Ald. E.H. Brown, Chairman of the Police, Fire & Health Committee submitted the following recommendations;

- Your Committee recommends that the account of the Alexandra Hospital against J. J. Cooke for the care and treatment of his child be written off, the amount being $88.00.
- On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey this recommendation was adopted.
- Your Committee recommends that the Business Tax levied against Moses Lax of #345 Victoria Avenue be reduced to $21.60 the Chairman of the Board of Assessors having reported the annual value of the store, exclusive of that portion of the building being used as a dwelling, for the current year, being $360.00.
- Your Committee also recommends that the Business Tax levied against James Graham of St. Catherine St. be reduced to $24.00, the Chairman of the Board of Assessors having reported that a clerical error had been made in stating the annual value of the store occupied by Mr. Graham. This should read $400.00.
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd these recommendations were adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd then submitted a motion with reference to Machine Guns, notice of which was given at last meeting of the Council:

The Council of the City of Westmount offer to provide the Militia Department of Canada for use Overseas as may be desired by them necessary, but preferably to a Local Battalion, two Machine Guns at an approximate cost of Two Thousand Dollars. As soon as the Guns can be delivered the funds will be remitted to the Receiver General of Canada.

The motion was seconded by Ald. W.K.Grafftey and unanimously adopted.

Letters were submitted from Mr. A. McA Murphy and Mr. Geo. R. Lighthall suggesting that the City of Westmount should take steps to supply an aeroplane and also a crew to the Overseas Aircraft Flotilla. The letters were referred to the Finance Committee for further consideration. In the meantime information to be secured as to the cost of an aeroplane the number of crew required and the cost of course in the aviation school.

In connection with this question the Council were of the opinion that a By-law should be submitted to the people to authorize a Special Appropriation being made in the next year's appropriations for special war contributions.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties published, the name of another Westmount citizen appeared; viz;-

Richard H. Street,
(Formerly 23rd.)
699 St. Antoine St.
Westmount.
Died of wounds, July 29th, 1915.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. Shepherd it was unanimously resolved that his name be inscribed in the minutes of the Council and that a letter of condolence be sent to his relatives together with a copy of the resolution previously adopted.

The Council decided that the regular Committee meetings be postponed during the month of August.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was resolved that the Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A
GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD
ON TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 7th, 1915,
AT NINE O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor, John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd

Together with the Valuation Roll which was submitted for homologation, complaints against the valuations shown therein were submitted from the following:

Arch. McGoun
J. S. Goldenstein
I. Blumenthal
Montreal Baseball Club
A. Haig Sims
Z. Fineberg & Sons
W. Evans
J. A. Nicholson
Dr. A. Marien
Mrs. Philip Myers
Mrs. M. L. Falardeau
G. E. Blackwell
Jas. S. Johnston
Chas. F. Dale
Montreal Water & Power Co.
Arch. McGoun and I. Blumenthal being present, were heard in support of their complaints.

The Council authorized the Secretary Treasurer to make the following changes in the roll:

Roll # 1509 Rental Value $620.00
Roll # 2950 Rental Value $620.00
Montreal Water & Power Co. Area, 12000 ft. Value $6,000.00.

Further consideration of the remainder of the appeals was deferred until next meeting of Council.

Mr. H. Ransom, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, was authorized to make the following changes in the Valuation Rolls:

Roll # 2372, Mrs. Thos. J. Gillelan to be entered as occupant.
Roll # 3811 to 14 proprietor to be shown as Est. Miss Margaret R.P. Starke.
Roll # 5256 Mr. J. S. Benoit and Mr. Ernest Lavoie to be shown as tenants of garage in the rear of #225 Clarke Ave. at an annual rental of $75.00 each.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to transfer the property of the Montreal A. A. valued at $405,900 from the taxable to the non-taxable column, this property having been exempted from taxation by the Provincial Legislature.

It was also moved by Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by W G M Shepherd and resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to examine the entries in the non-taxable column of the Valuation Rolls and that he be
authorized to transfer to the taxable column all properties owned by
clergy men, personally, and used by them, in accordance with
law which requires that only property owned by the Church shall be ex-
empt from taxation, further that the homologation of the Valuation Roll
be deferred to an adjourned meeting of Council to be held September 14th.
at 9.30 p.m.

A letter was submitted from Mr. H. J. Ross with reference to
the rear stairway #164 to 168 Selby Street, damaged by fire and asking
for a permit to repair same by replacing it as formerly existing.
The letter was referred to the City Solicitor for considera-
tion and report.

A letter of date August 26th. 1915 was submitted from Mr.
C. J. Brown #4263 St. Catherine St. W. applying for a permit to erect a
detached house on Cad. 210 Subdivision 7 & 8 Willow Avenue as per plans
and specifications submitted the said property having a frontage of
48 ' 4".

it was resolved that this permit be granted in accordance with By-law 266
Article 460.

The Road Department Committee submitted a proposed agreement
in duplicate, with the Belgo Canadian Realty Co. Ltd. as per minute of
the Road Department Committee meeting held August 17th. 1915 and recom-
ended that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to
sign the said agreement on behalf of the City of Westmount.

On the motion of Ald. W G M Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W.
McLagan it was unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

A letter of date August 10th. was submitted from T. A. Mor-
rrison & Co. with reference to Tamco quality sand and referred to the Road
Committee for consideration.

A letter was submitted from the International Irrigation Con-
gress to be held September 13th. to 20th.

A letter was submitted from Mr. J. E. Wilder with reference
to the opening of a street in the centre of the property owned by Mr. Geo.
E. Blackwell and Mr. Wilder between Chesterfield and Windsor Avenues on
Prince Albert Avenue.
The letter was referred to the Road Committee.

A petition objecting to this proposed street, signed by pro-
prietors in the neighborhood was also submitted and referred to the Road
Committee for consideration.

A letter was submitted from Mr. & Mrs. Street #699 St. Antoine
Street thanking the Council for their letter of sympathy with reference
to the death of their son, Private Richard Herbert Street.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties there
appeared the name of
Private William R. Lester,
Princess Patricia's Light Canadian Infantry
(formerly with McGill Battalion)
Killed in action on August 4th. 1915
Son of Mrs. Charles Lester,
78 Bruce Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. W G M Shepherd seconded by Ald. R. B.
Common it was resolved that his name be inscribed in the minutes of Council
and
Portrait of Fred Fisher, V.C., to Hang in Black Watch Collection

Unique Tribute to Canada's First V.C. and Old Member of The
Financial Times Organization.

The copy of the portrait of the late Lance-Corp. Fred Fisher, V.C., painted by G. Horne Russell, now the property of the Westmount Academy, of which he was a graduate, has been sent to Lt.-Col. H. Sutherland, Chairman of the Black Watch Memorial Home, Dundee, Scotland. The portrait will be hung in the V.C. gallery together with those of all other members of the Black Watch who have won the Empire’s most renowned military distinction. Fred Fisher, V.C., at the time of the outbreak of the war, was a member of the Editorial Department of The Financial Times. He was among the first of the Canadian boys to enlist in their services in the defence of the Empire and was in uniform within a very short time after the war had been officially declared in 1914. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fisher, of Montreal, and was the first Canadian to win the V.C., the highest military distinction obtainable in the British or Canadian armies.

The request by the Black Watch for the copy of Fred Fisher’s portrait recalls to the members of The Financial Times organization his fine personality and the spirit which he brought to the organization during his association with it.

An interesting story is told of Fisher, who, together with his brother, visited the old home of his family near Dundee after being stationed at Salisbury Plain. While in Scotland, they were invited to dine with the officers of the Black Watch, 42nd (The Royal Highlanders, an unprecedented privilege for private soldiers and accorded because of the memory of their grandfather, who had been an officer in a Scottish regiment.

The name of Fred Fisher, V.C., is one of the proudest on the roll of the many illustrious members of the Black Watch, but it was not until inquiry was made regarding the possibility of securing a portrait of the young soldier, who served with the affiliated 15th Royal Highlanders of Canada, that it was discovered he was the young Canadian “kille” for whom the rule regarding the non-admission of privates to the officers’ mess had been set aside, and who had been royally entertained by the officers on the occasion of his visit to Dundee.

The official citation of the exploit for which the V.C. was posthumously awarded to Fred Fisher is as follows:

"On April 23rd, 1915, in the neighborhood of St. Julien, he went forward with the machine gun of which he was in command, and, gallantly assisted in covering the retreat of a battery, lost four men of his gun team. Later, after obtaining four more men, he went forward again to the firing line, and was himself killed while driving his machine gun into action under very heavy fire in order to cover the advance of supporters."

Two brothers, Lt. D. A. and Lt. W. H. Fisher, also served overseas with the Canadians, the latter with
that a letter of condolence be sent to his mother, Mrs. Charles Lester, #76 Bruce Avenue together with a copy of the resolution previously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a further report;-

I take much pleasure in reporting to the Council that two Westmount citizens have recently received honors for distinguished service overseas;-

The late Lance Corporal Fred Fisher, son of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Fisher, 576 Lansdowne Avenue, awarded Victoria Cross, April 23rd, 1915, by King George V.

Private William Kenneth Graveley, son of Mr. W. R. Graveley #112 Greene Avenue, awarded Fourth class Order of St. George, August 25th, 1915 by the Czar of Russia.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and resolved that these particulars be inscribed in the minutes of the Council and that a letter of congratulation be sent to the parents of Private William Kenneth Graveley.

The second reading of the Milk By-law was deferred until next meeting of the Council.

On behalf of the Finance Committee Ald. P.W. McLagan submitted the following report;-

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Committee concerned for the month of August 1915;-

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the foregoing report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further recommendation of the Finance Committee as follows;-

Your Committee recommends that the remainder of the bonds authorized to be issued under By-law #285 viz. $70,000.00 be issued and dated November 1st, 1915 payable in forty-four years from date. The denomination or par value of the said bonds shall be $500.00 each and that of the interest coupons shall be $11.25 each, the interest payable thereon being at the rate of 4%.

Your Committee further recommends that the tender of the American Bank Note Company to print the said bonds for the sum of $325.00 be accepted.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be authorized to make the following charges for written information supplied from records or files of the Council:

Copies or extracts from any book or document not otherwise specified in the resolution of the Council adopted July 7th, 1913, 10¢ per hundred words.

For any certified extract or copy a minimum charge of not less than 25¢ will be made.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On behalf of the Road Committee Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the Council order Fitzherbert P. Buchanan to fence in the vacant lot west of the store situated at the corner of Sherbrooke Street and Victoria Avenue, being part of Cadastre lot 215, sub-division part 27.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R.B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Council thereupon adjourned to meet in Committee.

Upon resuming, the minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

On behalf of the Road Committee Ald. P.W.McLagan submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the tender of the Warner Quinlan Asphalt Co. be accepted for the paving in sheet asphalt concrete base and Scoria blocks of Redfern Avenue from St. Catherine St. to Western Avenue, The Boulevard from Lansdowne Avenue to Roslyn Avenue and Wood Avenue from Sherbrooke Street to Holton Avenue, at the following amounts:

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The cost to be charged to By-law #285, payments to be made in cash or bonds as the City may decide.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey the recommendation was adopted.

On behalf of the Police, Fire & Health Committee Ald. E.H. Brown submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the tenders for the supply of winter clothing for the Police and Fire Departments be accepted as follows:

John Smithers,  
Boots, gt $3.90 and $4.60  
Canadian Fire Hose Co. Rubber Coats at $7.00 each
Canadian Fire Hose Co. Rubber Boots at $4.35 and $5.45
William Currie, Police pants at $6.50

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On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council adjourn to Tuesday the 14th. inst. at 9.30 p.m.

Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
of the CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL
SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 14th, SEP­
TEMBER 1915 AT 11.15 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRE­
SENT:—

Mayor John McKargow,
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

In the absence of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd, Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a report of the Road Committee with reference to the taking over of Mr. Baillie's new street, Belvedere Terrace.

Before adopting this report the Council decided to refer it back to the Road Committee so that an addition be made to section 4 of the report to the effect that the City shall be under no obligation to reimburse Mr. Baillie the cost of the work until such time as the next Loan By-law, to include these amounts, is approved by the Proprietors (Electors).

Ald. E. H. Brown also submitted a proposed by-law concerning sidewalk enlargements and ramps and it was moved by Ald. E.H.Brown, seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and resolved that the by-law be read a first time.

The by-law having been read a first time it was moved by Ald. E.H.Brown seconded by Ald. W.K.Grafftey and resolved that the by-law be presented for a second reading at next meeting of Council.

The consideration of the new Valuation Roll was then proceeded with. Mr. H. Ransom, Chairman of the Board of Assessors being present reported that, as directed by Council, he had examined Mr. I. Blumenthal's house on Redfern Avenue along with the other members of the Board of Assessors and stated that they were quite satisfied with the valuation of $28,000.00 placed upon the building and could not recommend any change.

It was thereupon resolved that the valuation of $28,000.00 be allowed to stand.

Mr. H. Ransom was authorized to make the following changes in the roll;—

Roll # 7295a, Cad. 374, parts of sub. 39, 428 ft., value $400.00, to be transferred to the non-taxable column, this property having been purchased by the City.
Roll # 7308, 6 Belvedere Road, Mrs. W. A. McKay, widow, to be entered as tenant.
Roll # 5570, Proprietor to be shown as Est. Henry Gatehouse, and Mrs. Henry Gatehouse, widow, to be entered as tenant.
Roll # 5552, Proprietor Est. Henry Gatehouse.
Roll # 7313 Proprietor Est. Henry Gatehouse.

Letters were submitted from Mr. J. M. M. Duff, with reference to his properties #4840, 4842 and 4846 Western Avenue and it was resolved to allow the rental values on #4840 and 4842, as shown in the valuation roll to stand, viz; $440.00 and $540.00, also that the rental value for #4846 be shown as $420.00 and that Mr. Henry Mogridge- Waiter- be entered as tenant.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report;—

Following the instructions of the Council as per minute of the 7th. inst. I have removed from the non-taxable column and entered the same in
The various appeals as stated below were then dealt with:

- Roll #3272 W. Evans, #108 Blenheim Place, rental value. Dismissed.
- Roll #7608, Montreal Baseball Club. Dismissed.
- Roll #7396 and #7389, A. Haig Sims and P. P. Cowans. Dismissed.
- Roll #6431 to 7, Z. Fineberg & Sons. Dismissed.
- Roll #4598, J. A. Nicholson, value of building reduced to $9500.00.
- Roll #4246. A. Marien. Dismissed.
- Roll #160 to 68; Roll #1593; 1604; 2137 to 41, 7853, 7862. Geo. E. Blackwell. Dismissed.
- Roll #5256, I. S. Goldenstein. Dismissed.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. P. W. McIsaac, seconded by Ald. W. X. Grafftey and resolved that the Valuation Roll, amended in accordance with the decision of Council be and is hereby homologated.

A letter was submitted from Mrs. C. M. N. Lester, #78 Bruce Avenue, thanking the Council for their letter of sympathy and copy of the resolution of Council with reference to the death of her son, Private William R. Lester.

A letter was submitted from Mr. W. R. Graveley #1112 Greene Av acknowledging a letter conveying the felicitations of the Council for gallant services rendered at the front by his son W. Kenneth Graveley.

A letter of date September 8th. was submitted from Lieut. Col. Peers Davidson, O. C. 73rd. Battalion, Royal Highlanders of Canada, C.E.F. asking the Council to bear this Battalion in mind when raising funds for machine guns.

The Secretary Treasurer was directed to acknowledge the letter and state that the Council was awaiting a reply from the Minister of Militia as to whether the proposal to assign one of these guns to the 73rd. Battalion would be acceptable to the Government.

A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the League of American Municipalities with reference to the Convention to be held at New Orleans September 27th. to 30th. 1915.
A letter was submitted from Mr. A. Irwin Cunningham, #453 Elm Avenue with reference to the Aviation Crew, and ordered to be placed on file.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a By-law entitled By-law Concerning Nuisances and moved that it receive its second reading. The motion was seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and adopted. The By-law having been read a second time it was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and resolved that the by-law be read a third time. By-law #306 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned until Tuesday the 28th. Sep. at 9:30 p.m.
A deputation of property owners and residents from Claremont Windsor, Chesterfield and Prince Albert Avenues appeared before the Council and expressed themselves as being in opposition to the proposal of Messrs Blackwell and Wilder to open a street with a blind end between Chesterfield and Windsor Avenues, off Prince Albert Avenue. The Mayor informed them that the matter would be fully considered and suggested that they appoint a Committee amongst themselves to meet with Messrs Blackwell and Wilder and see if an arrangement could be made which would be satisfactory to all concerned.

The Council thereupon adjourned to meet in Committee.

Upon resuming Ald. P. W. McLagan as Chairman of the Finance Committee submitted a recommendation from the Committee that a by-law to raise funds for Patriotic Purposes be adopted by the Council and thereupon moved that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted and that the proposed by-law be read a first time, the motion was seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown and unanimously carried.

The by-law having been read a first time it was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and resolved that the by-law be presented for a second and third reading at regular meeting of Council to be held on Tuesday, October 5th, 1915.

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd on behalf of the Road Committee submitted the following recommendation:-

"Your Committee recommends the appropriation of the following amounts to cover cost of supervision, contingencies etc. on the contracts for the paving of:-

Wood Avenue 1530.00
Redfern Avenue 675.00
The Boulevard 560.00
$2765.00

the amount to be taken from the funds authorized by By-law #285.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On behalf of the Police, Fire & Health Committee, Ald. E. H. Brown submitted the following recommendation:-

"Your Committee recommends that Dr. McNaughton be appointed Acting Medical Health Officer during the absence in September and October 1915 of Dr. Hutchinson."

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd the recommendation was unanimously adopted.
Ald. E.H. Brown intimated that during the summer not one case of house breaking had occurred in the City and stated that this, in a great measure, was owing to the vigilance and efficiency of the Police force.

Ald. W.K. Grafftey on behalf of the Light Committee submitted the following recommendation:

"Your Committee recommends that under clause 7 of the contract with the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Co. that the said Company be ordered to lay an extension to the gas mains on the west side of Belgium Avenue 147 feet from the north line of Westmount Avenue to supply the two houses recently erected upon Belgium Avenue."

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. R.B Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey intimated that shortly the new lights on the cross streets of the lower level, would be in operation.

On the motion of Ald. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan by-law re sidewalk enlargements and ramps was read a second time. The by-law having been read a second time it was moved by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R.B. Common and resolved that the by-law be read a third time. By-law #307 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Ald. P.W. McLagan, Chairman of the Finance Committee submitted the following report:

"Your Committee recommends that the following appropriations be made to meet the requirements of the various departments of the Corporation, for the fiscal year ending October 31st. 1916, a total amount of $399,312.00 to be provided by a levy of 9 mills on the taxable valuation of the City.

Taxable Valuation $44,368,000.00 at 9 mills--------$399,312.00

Estimated amount of receipts from Sundry Depts. 18,000.00

Total-------- $417,312.00

FINANCIAL & MUNICIPAL BLDGS. DEPT.

1. Salaries 14250.00
2. Fuel 300.00
3. Light 125.00
4. Books & Stationery 600.00
5. Telephones & Postage 750.00
6. Advertising & Printing 550.00
7. Clothing for Janitor 50.00
8. Extra Office help 100.00
9. Bank of Montreal Commission on bonds 350.00
10. Safety Deposit Vaults 25.00
11. Sundry Supplies 500.00
12. Repairs 100.00
13. City Solicitor's Remainder and Special Fees 17800.00
14. Auditors 3000.00
14a. Assessors 1250.00
14b. Assessors' clerk 1200.00
15. Maintenance of Insane 3200.00
15a. Turnpike Trust (Interest) 300.00
16. Record of Property Transfers 800.00
17. Grants to Charitable Institutions 408.20
18. 360.00
19. 1200.00
17a Wages etc. for Enlisted men 3000.00
18. Insurance 1120.00

SPECIAL
Bonds and Interest Payable to the City of Montreal 4400.00
Interest & Sinking Fund Deficiency (6th. Instalment) 4665.89
General Interest & Sinking Fund Discount of 2 1/2% 110489.29
Total 158013.38

VICTORIA HALL
Total---------------- 1000.00

Roads & Drains
1. Salaries (including proportions charged to work done on Capital A/c.) 18055.80
2. Stationery, Printing, Telephones, Engineering supplies etc. Office Lighting and Heating (including proportion charged to work done on Capital A/c.) 1250.00
2a Insurance, Boilers, Trucks etc. 450.00
3. Plant repairs and motor upkeep (including proportion charged to work done on Capital A/c.) 7500.00
4. Stable Supplies 7000.00
5. Dust Preventatives 1000.00
6a Repairing and replacing side walks 2000.00
9. Cleaning roads 4500.00
10. Cleaning pavements 9000.00
12. Cleaning Gullies 800.00
13. Sand for walks and carting and spreading sand. 1500.00
14. Cleaning away snow 9500.00
16. Digging ditches and thawing gullies 2000.00
17. Inspection of buildings etc. 1525.00
18. Repairing streets 14000.00
19. Connection to Montreal sewer 200.00
19a Cleaning sewers 4000.00
20. Reserve for depreciation of horses, auto, road rollers, scrapers, carts, sleighs, harnesses 9712.63

SCAVENGING DEPARTMENT
2. Stable supplies 4000.00
3. Plant repairs and supplies 800.00
4. Carting Garbage 15500.00

WATER DEPARTMENT
Water Hydrant Rental at $50.00 per annum, per 500 ft. of pipe. 15800.00

STREET LIGHTING
STREET LIGHTING
37000.00

PARKS DEPARTMENT
1. Superintendent's salary 1350.00
2. General Repairs 700.00
3. General Labour 6500.00
3a Comfort Stations 250.00
4. Tools, supplies etc. 300.00
17a. Wages etc. for Enlisted men
18. Insurance

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**Total** $15,8013.38

**VICTORIA HALL**

**Roads & Drains**

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**WATER DEPARTMENT**

Water Hydrant Rental at $50.00 per annum, per 500 ft. of pipe.

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<td>4. Tools, supplies etc.</td>
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### CITY OF WESTMOUNT
### VOLUME 12
### COUNCIL MINUTES

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<td>Dressing Boulevards</td>
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### LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

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On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLean seconded by Ald. R.B. Common the foregoing report was unanimously adopted.
Ald. P. W. McLaughan submitted a by-law to levy an assessment to meet the current expenses of the City for the fiscal year 1915-1916 and for other purposes and moved that the by-law receive its first reading which was seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and unanimously adopted.

The by-law having been read a first time it was moved by Ald. P. W. McLaughan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and resolved that the by-law be read a second time.

The by-law having been read a second time it was moved by Ald. P. W. McLaughan seconded by Ald. Brown and resolved that the by-law be read a third time.

By-law #308 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

A petition signed by proprietors on Western and Metcalfe Avenues complaining of the nuisance caused by smoke from the Bakery on Melville Avenue was submitted and referred to the General Manager with directions that prompt action be taken to mitigate this annoyance.

A letter from Mr. R. Gray on behalf of the Trustees of St. Andrew's Church asking exemption of taxes on 4000 feet of land held by them for Church purposes was submitted and referred to the Finance Committee.

Ald. Shepherd on behalf of the Road Committee submitted the following report:

Your Committee recommends that whereas Mr. James Baillie in a letter under date of August 13th, 1914 offers to cede to the City a street thirty-three feet wide running north-west from Belvedere Road, as shown on the plan dated December 1913, made by Leonhard E. Schlemm, and having regard to the fact that a part of the proposed street is now in use and it is considered that it is in the interests of the City that the street should be opened in accordance with the said plan.

And whereas the Lieut. Governor in Council on the 3rd. November 1914 has approved of the petition of the City of Westmount to open a street less than 66 feet in width being part of lots cadastre Nos. 324 and 325 of the plan and book of reference of the Parish of Montreal, your Committee therefore recommends the Council to accept the cession thereof upon Mr. Baillie approving and consenting to the following conditions:

1. That the proprietors consent to the establishment of a building line of twenty-five feet (25') from the street line on both sides of the street.

2. That the work of constructing the sewer, (and its connection with the Sunnyside Avenue sewer) road, sidewalks, retaining walls and steps, the laying of the house and lighting conduits be done by the said proprietor, the whole subject to the approval of the City Engineer.

3. That arrangement be made by said proprietor with the gas company for the laying of the service pipes of said company previous to the completion of the construction of the road.

3a. That a servitude be placed upon the proprietors granting to the City the right of access to the properties for the purpose of constructing sewers, and to connect the same with the existing sewer on Sunnyside Avenue, laying gas mains, and making of electric light connections through conduits or otherwise, and the right to enter upon said properties for the purpose of making necessary repairs, extensions, or alterations to either or all of the said works.

4. Upon the certificate of the City Engineer that the whole of said works have been completed to his satisfaction, the City, as soon as
its Municipal Council shall deem it advisable to do so, will adopt and submit to the ratepayers for approval a By-law authorizing the City to borrow money sufficient to cover the cost of construction of the sewer, roads, sidewalks and retaining wall with five per cent (5%) interest on all monies paid therefor according to the certificates issued.

4a. That the cost of the works hereinafter mentioned shall be assessed as follows:

The cost of the road and retaining wall shall be assessed against the fronting proprietors on the proposed street according to frontage; the whole cost of the sewer against the fronting proprietors on the new portion of the proposed street according to frontage; and the cost of the sidewalks in the usual manner against the proprietors of the City as a whole.

5. The cost of laying conduits for electric wiring, both street and house, to be paid to the proprietor when underground conduits are laid in that part of the City.

6. After such by-law shall have been approved by the ratepayers the City will cause bonds to be issued and sold as soon as its Municipal Council shall deem it advisable to do so and out of the proceeds of such sale the City will reimburse the proprietors for the cost of the sewer, road, sidewalks and retaining wall.

7. The deed of cession of the street to the City is to be executed forthwith and the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer are hereby authorized to sign the deed of cession on behalf of the City, upon approval thereof by the City Attorney.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was unanimously resolved that the foregoing report be adopted.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor
Sec.Treas.
Your Committee recommends that the Secretary Treasurer be authorized to pay the Interest and Sinking Fund that will become due on the 1st. November 1915 as follows;-

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<td>To the City of Montreal interest coupons</td>
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Ald. P. W. McLagan thereupon moved seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and it was unanimously resolved that By-law #309 be read a second time.

By-law #309 respecting Assessment for Patriotic Purposes having been read a second time it was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan
seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that By-law #309 be read a third time.

By-law #309 for the purpose of providing funds for Contributions to Relief Funds and other Patriotic Purposes having been read a first, second and third time and unanimously adopted it was thereupon moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and unanimously resolved that a meeting of Electors, Real Estate Owners, whose names are duly entered on the voters lists be convened by the Mayor for October 22nd. inst. at 8.30 o'clock in the morning to consider By-law #309 and that the Secretary Treasurer be directed to give the necessary notices.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the Parliamentary Electoral lists and reported that in accordance with the Quebec Election Act and amendments, lists have been prepared, sub-divided for each of the twenty-three polling sub-divisions, of all persons qualified as voters under the act. Notice was given of the deposit of the list on the 15th. day of September 1916 and published on the two days following as required by law. One complaint from Mr. W. R. Granger, has been filed within the fifteen days following the notice.

Ald. E. H. Brown moved seconded by Ald. R. P. Common that the name of W. R. Granger, #696 Victoria Avenue, be added to the list. CARRIED.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the Parliamentary Electoral lists, as amended, be approved.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. W. K. Grafftey, seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan that Ald. E. H. Brown be appointed Acting Mayor for the ensuing three months. CARRIED.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor
Sec. Treas.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL HELD ON OCTOBER
19th, 1915 AT 10 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING AT
WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKerrow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown

Re: Blackwell & Wilder's proposed street:-
The Secretary Treasurer submitted a letter from Mr.
E. N. Todd on behalf of the proprietors concerned stating the terms
which they had offered to Mr. Blackwell in connection with the develop-
ment of this property also a copy of a letter sent to Mr. Blackwell
with reference to the same matter.

The Mayor stated that this correspondence was the re-
sult of a suggestion made by the Council that proprietors in the neigh-
borhood try and reach an amicable settlement with Messrs Blackwell and
Wilder for the development of the property in question.

Mr. Blackwell being present, stated that he refused
to accept the offer made.

The Mayor then stated that the question had been con-
sidered and that the opinion of the Council was against the acceptance
of any street with a blind end.

On behalf of the Finance Committee Ald. P. W. McLagan
submitted the following report:-

"WHEREAS Mr. Howard H. Ransom, Chairman of the Board
of Assessors has reported that a clerical error has been made in the
Valuation Roll in entering the annual value of #442 Elm Ave. and whereas
he says that this annual value should read $610.00, your Committee re-
commends that the Sec. Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to correct
this error and enter the annual value of the said property at $610.00."

Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further report as
follows:-

"WHEREAS the Chairman of the Board of Assessors has
also reported that a clerical error has been made in omitting from the
Valuation Roll the following property, owned by Mr. J. B. Brouillette,
a part of Cad. #215, Sub. north part of #40 having a total area of
1620 ft. with a frontage on Victoria Avenue, the value of which is $2000.
and also a part of Cad. No. 215 Sub, parts #40, 41 and 42 adjoining and
in the rear of properties Nos. 320 to 330 Victoria Avenue with a total
area of 2760 ft. and the value of which is $1400.00, your Committee
therefore recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be and is hereby instructed
to amend the Valuation Roll accordingly."

R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

A supplement to the extract from the Valuation Roll
containing the names of all persons added to the list of jurors and the
names of persons to be struck from the extract was submitted and on the
motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unani-
mosly resolved, that the list as submitted be adopted.
The report of the Canadian Fire Underwriters Association referred to the recent re-examination of the City's Water Works and Fire Preventative Appliances was submitted and on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the report be referred to the Police, Fire & Health Committee for consideration.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that in accordance with the report the Montreal Water & Power Co. be instructed to replace the four inch main on Selby Street from Greene Avenue to Rose de Lima Street a distance of 750 ft by a pipe of larger diameter sufficient to meet the requirements of the contract.

A letter from the Government House, Quebec, with reference to the Order of St. John and the British Red Cross Society was submitted and read and referred to the Finance Committee for further consideration.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that the Council stand adjourned until Tuesday the 26th. of October 1915 at 9.30 p. m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 26th. OCTOBER 1915 AT 11.15 P. M. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Messrs Blackwell and Wilder appeared in regard to the development of their property on Prince Albert Ave. between Chesterfield and Windsor Avenues.

Mr. Wilder stated that he wished to apply for a permit to erect three pairs of semi-detached houses on his property as per plan submitted and that should the City refuse to take over the proposed street he was prepared to make the required improvements himself and would do work subject to the approval of the City Engineer.

Mr. Blackwell also stated that he was prepared to build houses of a similar class on his side of the proposed street. As these new plans would mean a re-subdivision of the property and the change in the building line on that part of Prince Albert Avenue the Council directed the City Solicitor to draw up an agreement between the City and Messrs Blackwell & Wilder covering the following points;

1. Class of houses to be constructed as per plan submitted by Mr. Wilder.
2. Mr. Blackwell agreeing to build houses of a similar class.
3. Drains, roads, sidewalks etc. to be made by Messrs Blackwell & Wilder at their own expense.
4. Work to be carried out to the satisfaction of the Engineer.
5. Homologation of re-subdivision.

The whole to be considered at next Tuesday's meeting provided the plans of the houses to be constructed on Mr. Blackwell's property and the plan of the re-subdivision of both properties are received in time for due consideration.

The Mayor and Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report;

"In the matter of By-law #509 adopted by the Council on the 5th. day of October 1915 for the purpose of providing funds for contributions to Relief Funds and other patriotic purposes, we, the undersigned, hereby certify that at a general meeting of real estate owners (electors) duly convened by Public Notice the said By-law was unanimously adopted, one hour having elapsed after the opening of said meeting without a poll being demanded by real estate owners (electors) interested and there present."

Signed at Westmount this 22nd. October 1915

Signed. John McKergow Mayor

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a report of the Finance Committee as follows;
"WHEREAS By-law #309 having been unanimously adopted and approved at a public meeting of all Municipal Electors (Real Estate Owners) held on Friday the 22nd. day of October 1915, your Committee therefore recommends that an assessment or tax at the rate of one half mill in the dollar on the taxable real estate, both land and buildings, situate within the limits of the City as may appear by the Valuation Roll deposited upon the 31st. July 1915 and duly homologated be and is hereby levied and imposed, and that the Secretary Treasurer be instructed to prepare a Special Assessment Roll according to the said valuation roll now in force for the said one half mill in the dollar and deposit the same in the office on or before the 22nd. day of November 1915 and thereafter to give public notice that same will be presented for homologation on the 7th. December 1915 at 8 o'clock p.m.

Your Committee further recommends that the proceeds of such assessment or tax shall be from time to time used in accordance with the by-law as the said Council may direct by resolution."

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the foregoing report be adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further recommendation of the Finance Committee as follows:

"Your Committee recommends that the following refunds of over payments of taxes be confirmed:--
Drains and Roads
Roll #2491-2 G. Rabinovitch----------$3.15
#2694-5 A. Michaels---------2.52
Roll #5652 Congregational Nuns-------17.37
Roll #216 C. H. Godfrey---------9.49"

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further recommendation of the Finance Committee as follows:

"Your Committee recommends that Mr. J. W. Weldon be appointed as City Solicitor for the year beginning November 1st. 1915 at a salary of $2,500.00 per annum."

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd it was unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

The Mayor expressed the Council's appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. J. W. Weldon during the time he had been Acting as City Solicitor.

Ald. R. B. Common, Chairman of the Parks Committee submitted a proposed By-law entitled By-law to amend By-law #69 and moved that the By-law receive its first reading. The motion was seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and adopted.

It was moved by Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftay and resolved that the By-law receive its second reading.

It was moved by Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and resolved that the by-law receive its third reading.

By-law #310 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Ald. R. B. Common submitted a report of the Parks Committee as follows:
"Your Committee recommends that an additional appropriation of $1,660.00 be made for the cost of constructing drains and iron gates, electric light fixtures and additional plumbing fixtures for the Comfort Stations, the whole to be taken from the funds provided under the old loans."

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was unanimously resolved that this report be adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Chairman of the Police, Fire & Health Committee submitted the following reports:

"Your Committee recommends that the following Hospital charges be written off and charged to Hospital charges:-
Thomas Dawes #397 Clarke Ave. $26.00
Mrs. Hugginson #345 Clarke Ave. 23.50"

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

"Your Committee recommends that Mr. J. Wilson be ordered to remove from Hillside Avenue the scale belonging to him which now stands on the public thoroughfare."

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd this report was unanimously adopted.

"Your Committee also recommends that the Council re-appoint Dr. J. A. Hutchinson to be Medical Health Officer of the City of Westmount and Mr. Ed. McMahon as Magistrate of the City of Westmount for the year commencing November 1st, 1915."

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

"Your Committee recommends that the following horse and business taxes be written off the roll 1915-16 for the reasons given below:

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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd this report was unanimously adopted.
On behalf of the Road Committee Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd submitted the following recommendations:

"Your Committee recommends that Mr. A. D. Fry be granted permission to erect steps at his residence on Bellevue Ave. in accordance with the plan submitted, the erection to be to the satisfaction of the City Engineer."

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

"Your Committee recommends that the Montreal Water & Power Co. be instructed to lay water mains on the streets now graded on the Golf Links as follows:—

Sunnyside Ave. from Victoria Ave. to Lexington Ave.
Grosvenor Ave. from Sunnyside Ave. to the northern limits of the Street.
Roslyn Ave. from the Boulevard to the northern limits of the City.
Upper Lansdowne Ave. from Edgehill Road northwards 906 ft. also from the present limit on Upper Belmont Ave. northwards to Devon Avenue."

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

"Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to proceed with the construction of the retaining wall required for the proposed steps leading from the Boulevard to Upper Roslyn Ave. at an estimated cost of $1,000.00 to be charged to By-law #282, the wall to be so constructed as to meet the suggested changes in the model submitted including the extension of the sidewalk at the southern end of Roslyn Ave. and any other alterations that it might be considered necessary to make."

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report:—

"I regret to have to report that in a recent list of casualties published, the names of two more Westmount citizens appeared, viz:—

Private Frank Joseph Smith,
24th. Battalion,
Died of wounds in France, October 8th. 1915.
Son of Mrs. A. Smith, #164 Selby Street, Westmount.

Captain Chas. Hutton Crowdy,
5th. Royal Highlanders of Canada,
13th. Battalion,
Killed in action near Armentieres, France, 21st. October 1915.
Son of Mr. G. J. Crowdy, #482 Roslyn Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence be sent to the parents of the soldiers together with a copy of the resolution previously adopted by the Council.
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd called attention to the campaign in the City of Westmount to raise funds for the British Red Cross and expressed the hope that the citizens would respond liberally to the appeal to be made on Thursday, the 28th. inst.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was resolved that the Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT
AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 2nd, 1915 AT 10 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John Makergow,
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. K. Grefftey
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. P. W. McLagan

A deputation of proprietors from Prince Albert, Claremont, Chesterfield and Windsor Avenues appeared in support of their petition protesting against the opening of a street by Messrs. Blackwell & Wilder on Prince Albert Avenue between Windsor and Chesterfield Avenues.

The Mayor informed them that the final plans to be submitted by Messrs. Blackwell & Wilder had not yet been received and that any action Council might take would be in accordance with the by-laws of the City.

The minutes of two previous meetings were confirmed.

On behalf of the Finance Committee, Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendations:

"Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Committees concerned for the month of October 1915 be approved:

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On motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

"Your Committee recommends that in the case of H. J. Hillyer; Benjamin J. W. Blakeley and Bertram E. S. Gridland (enlisted with the 73rd. Highlanders C. E. F.) that the City pay premiums on Policies up to One thousand dollars ($1000) where said policies are now in force and that a contribution of Ten Dollars ($10.00) per month be made to their wives during the time the men are on active service."

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
"Your Committee recommends that a contribution of One Thousand Dollars ($1000) be made to the Order of St. John and British Red Cross Society, the amount to be taken from funds provided by by-law #309."

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Graffe thy this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer intimated that upon the suggestion of the Mayor, he had been appointed as Treasurer of the British Red Cross collection in the City of Westmount and intimated that the net amount of these collections amounted to $9,295.93. It was thereupon moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Graffe thy and resolved that the Secretary Treasurer be directed to forward this amount, plus $1,000.00 contributed by the City to the Hon. W. G. Mitchell, Provincial Treasurer, Quebec, to be remitted to the Head Office of the Order of St. John and British Red Cross Society.

A letter of date November 2nd. from H. J. Ross, asking for permission to repair temporarily in wood, the portion of stairway in rear of #164 to 168 Selby Street destroyed by fire about the 1st. of August last, was submitted. The Council could not see their way to grant this permission and the letter was referred to the General Manager with instructions to see that the requirements of the Building By-law are adhered to.

A letter of date 29th. October from the Montreal Water & Power Co. with reference to the report of the Canadian Fire Underwriters of September 15th.1915 was submitted and referred to the General Manager with instructions that steps be taken to have tests made for the purpose of ascertaining that the provisions under the contract are being complied with.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned until Tuesday the 9th. inst. at 8 p.m.

[Signature]

Acting Mayor

[Signature]

Sec. Treasurer
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING
NOVEMBER 9th, 1915 AT 10.20 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH
WERE PRESENT:—

Ald. E. H. Brown, Acting Mayor
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

On behalf of the Finance Committee Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendations:

"Your Committee recommends that the Council authorize the Departmental Committee without further authority from the Council to expend for the purposes indicated in the appropriations named in the report of the Finance Committee presented to the Council the 28th. September 1915.

Monthly reports of such expenditures to be made to Council."

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd, this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

"Your Committee recommends that the Engineer's completion certificate for payment of Werner Quinlan Asphalt Company for work done on Wood Avenue, The Boulevard and Redfern Avenue. be approved and that the City exercise its option under the contract and that the City Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the said Company in bonds as per said certificate."

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On behalf of the Police, Fire & Health Committee, Ald. P. W. McLagan reported that it had been decided to appoint a General Committee to take the place of the five Committees now existing and submitted a proposed by-law for the purpose of putting this into effect.

It was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and resolved that the by-law receive its first reading.

The by-law having been read a first time it was thereupon moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and resolved that the by-law be submitted for its second and third readings at next meeting of the Council, meantime copies to be sent to each of the Aldermen.

A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the Red Cross Society thanking the Council for the receipt of $250.00 being the balance of the $500.00 donated by the City.

A letter of date November 9th. from Mr. L. L. Rodier #332 Metcalfe Avenue was submitted in which he asks that the hedge planted by him in front of his house be allowed to remain on the understanding that it would be removed within a reasonable time should the Council so decide.
The letter was referred to the Road Committee, the City Engineer to investigate and report.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by W. G. M Shepherd it was resolved that Council stand adjourned until Tuesday evening the 16th. inst. at 9.30.

[Signature]
Acting Mayor

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Sec. Treasurer
Minutes of proceedings at an adjourned session of the Municipal Council at a meeting held on Tuesday evening, November 16th, 1915, at which were present:

Ald. E. H. Brown, Acting Mayor
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a recommendation of the Finance Committee as follows:

"Your Committee recommends that the Secretary Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to attend all Sheriff Sales of immovable property in respect of which the City has any privileged claim; with power to bid on and buy any such property on behalf of the City when necessary to protect the City's interest."

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd on behalf of the Road Department Committee submitted the following recommendation:

"Your Committee recommends that an appropriation of $1,050.00 be made out of the funds provided for under by-law #285 for the completion of the Avenue Road in connection with Clarke Avenue improvements."

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. Grafftey the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

By-law re General Purpose Committee:
The second reading was deferred until next meeting of the Council.

A letter of date November 9th. from Mr. G. J. Crowdy, thanking the Council for the copy of the resolution and letter of sympathy with reference to the death of his son was submitted and read.

A letter was submitted from the Secretary of the St. George's Red Cross Society asking the Council to contribute to this Society from the money to be raised by the Patriotic Tax. The letter was referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

It was moved by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and resolved that the Council put on record its appreciation of the good work being done by this Society.

A letter of date November 15th. from Fred. Wright, Editor of the Canadian Municipal Journal with reference to an article on the City of Westmount was submitted and referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

A letter of date November 16th. from Mr. H. F. Jackson, #473 Argyle Avenue was submitted, complaining of the action of the Council in refusing to allow his vacant property on Greene Ave. and Western Avenue to be used as a storage yard by Dr. G. M. Gast.

The letter was referred to the Road Department Committee.

A letter of date November 8th. from Mr. Frank Powell with reference to the condition of a piece of ground facing his property on the corner of Blenheim and St. Catherine Sts. was submitted and referred to the General Manager for action.
A letter from the Chateaumvert Quarry Co. Ltd. with reference to the supply of building stone was submitted and referred to the Road Department Committee.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
A General Session of the City Council was called to meet at 8 O'CLOCK on Tuesday evening the 7th. Dec., 1915. Half an hour having elapsed and a quorum not being present it was resolved by Ald. P. W. McLagan and Ald. R. B. Common, present, that the meeting be adjourned to 9 O'clock on the 14th. Dec. 1915.

[Signature]  
Mayor

[Signature]  
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD
ON TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 14th, 1915 AT
11.15 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Ald. E. H. Brown, Acting Mayor
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. G. G. M. Shepherd.

The minutes of three previous meetings were confirmed.

On behalf of the Finance Committee Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendations:-

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Committees concerned for the month of November 1915 be approved:-

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee begs to recommend that the following grants to Charitable Institutions be approved:-

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Also that a further grant of $50.00 be made to the Children's Memorial Hospital and that $50.00 be contributed to the Home for Incurables, the amount to be taken from Contingent Fund.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the following taxes be written off:-
Westmount Methodist Church
Municipal Administration taxes year 1915-16, Roll #1851/2----------------------------- $221.85
Special Patriotic tax due 1st. Jan. 1916 Roll #1851/2----------------------------- 12.33

Westmount Baptist Church
Municipal administration tax year 1915/6, Roll #1751/2 166.50
Special Patriotic tax due Jan. 1st. 1916 Roll #1751/2 9.25

The foregoing amounts being written off in accordance with the resolutions adopted by the Churches that in the event of the property being sold or used for purposes other than Church purposes all taxes will be paid to the City.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On behalf of the Parks Committee Ald. R. B. Common submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that two temporary Comfort Stations be erected in the Park in connection with the skating rinks, one for the ladies' dressing room and one for the boys' dressing room, a drain connection to be made to the main sewer, the whole at an estimated cost of $400, to be charged to funds provided under by-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey on behalf of the Light Department stated that the electric light department had had the most successful year in the history of the plant and submitted the following recommendation:

WHEREAS section 6 of by-law #284 authorizes the Council from time to time to use for any of the improvements or works authorized by said by-law such part of the reserve for depreciation of the Electric Light Plant as may be decided by resolution of the Council, your Committee therefore recommends:

1. That the Council hereby and now resolves that the use be confirmed of an additional $50,000.00 from the funds reserved for depreciation of the Electric Light Plant for the improvements or works authorized by By-law #284.

2. That fifty one thousand dollar bonds numbered consecutively from E. 236 to E. 285 and dated 1st. Nov. 1915 be set aside and retained for the Electric Light Department in the manner set forth by the said by-law #284 as a substitute of said amount.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

With reference to the homologation of the Special Assessment Roll levying tax of one half mill for patriotic purposes due January 1st. 1916 the Secretary Treasurer intimated that as he was aware of the fact that there would not be a quorum at the regular Council meeting on Dec. 9th. at which this roll should have been submitted for homologation he had held back the advertisement from the press for that date and instead had advertised that the roll would be submitted for homologation at this meeting.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this action was confirmed.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was unanimously resolved that the Special Assessment Roll levying tax of one half mill for for Special Patriotic Purposes be and is hereby homologated.

Ald. P. W. McLagan presented the By-law concerning a General Committee and moved that the by-law, as amended, receive its second reading. The motion was seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and adopted. The By-law having received its second reading it was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd and resolved that the by-law be read a third time. By-law #311 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.


Letters from the department of the Secretary of the Province of date November 15th and December 3rd. with reference to asylums, reformatory and industrial schools was submitted and ordered to be filed.

A letter of date December 9th. from the Chairman of the Committee for securing National Labour Bureaux Legislation was submitted stating that a conference will be held on Thursday the 16th. December at 9.15 p.m. in the Y. M. C. A., Drummond St. and asking that the City of Westmount appoint delegates to attend the conference.

The Council appointed Ald. P. W. McLagan and Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd as delegates to attend this meeting on behalf of the City with the right to appoint substitutes.

A letter of date December 1st. from the Central Executive Committee Relief Work for the victims of the war in Belgium was submitted and referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

The Secretary Treasurer reported as follows:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties published there is another citizen of Westmount included among the killed:

Private Brian Hards,
24th. Battalion, C.E.F. (Victoria Rifles)
Only son of Mr. & Mrs. Bertram E. Hards of #343 Clarke Avenue, Westmount.
Killed in action in Belgium, on 11th. November 1915.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was unanimously resolved that a letter of condolence be sent to the parents of this gallant soldier with a copy of the resolution previously adopted and that his name be inscribed in the minutes of the Council.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLeggan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

On behalf of the Finance Committee Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendations:

1. Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and payrolls passed by the Committees concerned for the month of December be approved:

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   **Total** 40634.43

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

2. Your Committee begs to recommend that Mr. L. A. Cannon, K. C. be retained to serve the City during the coming session of the Quebec Legislature at the same remuneration as formerly, namely, a sum not exceeding $500.00.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further recommendation of the Finance Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and the Secretary Treasurer be authorized to sign a petition to

His Honor The Lieut. Governor of the Province of Quebec

To the Hon. Legislative Council of the Province of Quebec

To the Hon. Legislative Assembly of the Province of Quebec

that for the better administration of the City's affairs its Charter, Act 8, EDWARD VII, Chap. 99 as amended by the Acts, 2, George V, Chap. 60 and 4, George V, Chap. 77 be further amended.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common on behalf of the Parks Committee submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the sum of $200.00 be appropriated to build an extension to the existing toboggan slide in the Park and that the sum of $200.00 be appropriated for a second rink as it has been found that twenty-five clubs applying for accommodation could not be provided for on the existing rink; funds to be taken from those authorized by By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey Chairman of the Light Department Committee intimated that this Department has had a very successful year and he therefore submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the charge for domestic lighting be reduced to a five cent Killowatt Hour rate to those making a contract, the said rate to commence and date from the 1st. January 1916.

On the motion of Ald. W.K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan in seconding the motion called attention to the great success attending the lighting since its inauguration the charge for Killowatt hour having been reduced from fifteen cents to five cents.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd, Chairman of the Road Department submitted a letter from the City Solicitor re Quinlan vs. Westmount, stating that on December 31st, 1915 Judge Panneton rendered judgment in favor of the City, dismissing John Quinlan's action with costs.

This was an action taken against the City in 1912 to annul Westmount By-law #257 which prohibited the use of Traction Engines in the streets and declared such engines to be a nuisance.

By-law concerning a Census;

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was resolved that the By-law receive its second reading.

By-law #312 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

By-law re Police Pensions;

Second reading deferred until next meeting.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Chairman of the Finance Committee submitted the report of the Commissioners for the Sinking Fund of the City of Westmount up to November 1st, 1915.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that the report be received and be printed in the City's Annual Report after it has been audited.
Ald. P. W. McLagan announced that it had been decided that the General Manager, the Secretary Treasurer and himself, be appointed as delegates to attend a conference to be held at Ottawa, on Thursday January the 20th. in connection with a civic improvement league for Canada.

A letter with reference to the Soldiers' Entertainment Fund 18 Northumberland St. London, Eng. of date December 17th.1915 was referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

A letter of date December 22nd.1915 from the Chairman of the Rifle Association, Montreal Home Guard, with reference to the charge for maintenance and lighting of the Rifle Range at the Victoria Hall was referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

Ald. P. W. McLagan on behalf of the Finance Committee submitted accounts amounting to $2,415.16 in connection with the case of the John D. Duncan Co. vs. the City of Westmount.

On the motion of Ald. P.W.McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that these accounts be paid.

A letter from Mr. H. F. Jackson of date January 4th.1916 was submitted and referred to the General Committee for consideration.

On the motion of Ald. P.W.McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H.Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned until January 18th. at 9.30 p. m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD
ON JANUARY 25TH, 1916 AT 11.20 P.M.
AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Ald. E. H. Brown, Acting Mayor
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

It was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan, seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and resolved that subject to the proviso hereinafter stated the City of Westmount do acquire from the Executors of the late William Smith in his lifetime of the City of Montreal, Esquire, and from Dame Margaret Watson, widow of the said late William Smith, the following property, namely:—

An emplacemen composed of Subdivision Lot Number One, on the Official Subdivision of Lot Number Two hundred and thirty-three (233-1), and Subdivision Lot Number Six on the Official Subdivision of Lot Number Two hundred and thirty-four (234-6), both on the Official Plan and Book of Reference of the Municipality of the Parish of Montreal, forming together one lot fronting on St. Catherine Street, containing Fifty feet in width by One hundred and twenty-two feet seven inches on the South West side and One hundred and twenty-two feet two inches on the North East side. Said Lot No. 233-1 has a superficies of Twenty-eight square feet. Said lot No. 234-6 has a superficies of Six thousand and ninety square feet.

That certain Lot now known as Subdivision Lot Number Five on the Official Subdivision of said Lot Number Two hundred and thirty-four, on the said Official Plan and Book of Reference, containing Fifty feet in width by One hundred and twenty-two feet two inches on the South West side, and One hundred and twenty-one feet nine inches on the North East side, and containing a total area of Six thousand and eighty-eight square feet, bounded in front by said St. Catherine Street, in rear by a lane, on one side by Lot No. 234-5 and on the other side by lot No. 234-4.

That certain lot now known as Subdivision Number Four, on the Official Subdivision of said Lot Number Two hundred and thirty-four, on the said Official Plan and Book of Reference containing Fifty feet in width, by One hundred and twenty-one feet four inches on the South West side, and One hundred and twenty-one feet four inches on the North East side, and containing a total area of Six thousand and fifty-eight square feet, bounded in front by said St. Catherine Street, in rear by a lane, on one side by Lot No. 234-5, and on the other side by Lot No. 234-3.

That certain lot now known as Subdivision Number Three, on the Official Subdivision of said Lot Number Two hundred and thirty-four, on the said Official Plan and Book of Reference containing Fifty feet in width, by One hundred and twenty-one feet four inches on the South West side, and One hundred and twenty-one feet on the North East side, and containing a total area of Six thousand and fifty-eight square feet, bounded in front by St. Catherine Street, in rear by a lane, on one side by Lot No. 234-4, and on the other side by Lot No. 234-2.

An emplacemen composed of Subdivision Lot Number Two on the Official Subdivision of said Lot Number Two hundred and thirty-four and Subdivision Lot Number Sixty-nine, on the Official Subdivision of Lot Number Two hundred and thirty-five, on said Official Plan and Book of Reference, containing Fifty feet in width by One hundred and twenty-one feet on the South West side and One hundred and twenty-feet eight inches on the North East side, and containing a total area of Six thous
and and forty-one square feet, bounded in front by St. Catherine Street, in rear by a lane, on one side partly by Lot No. 234-1 and partly by 235-64, and on the other side by the Lot No. 234-3; said Lot No. 234-2 has a superficies of five thousand nine hundred and twenty square feet and said Lot No. 235-69 has a superficies of one hundred and twenty-one square feet.

That subject to said proviso the City of Westmount do sell the hereinabove described property to John Alexander Cameron, of the City of Montreal, Notary Public, or any Nominee of the latter, satisfactory to the said City, for the price of TWENTY-FOUR THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN DOLLARS AND FIFTY-TWO CENTS payable on the First day of February, Nineteen hundred and eighteen, with interest thereon at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable half-yearly on the first day of the months of May and November in each year.

Your Committee recommends that a grant of Five thousand dollars ($5000.00) to the Canadian Patriotic Fund be made payable as may be required or in ten (10) monthly instalments beginning 1st. March 1916.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

It was moved by Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd and resolved that Mayor John McKargow be granted leave of absence for three months.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Graytay it was resolved that Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd be appointed Acting Mayor for the three months beginning 1st. February 1916.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd submitted the following report of the Police and Fire Department:

Your Committee recommends the acceptance of tenders for the Police and Fire Department uniforms and equipment as follows:-

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The Sec. Treasurer as Returning Officer for the election of the Library Trustee submitted the following report:-

I beg to report that in accordance with the procedure laid down in the City Charter, public notice was given on the 31st. December 1915 of the nomination of candidates to be held on the 10th. January 1916 for the office of Public Library Trustee.

On the said date last mentioned and upon the expiration of the delay fixed therefor, there had been filed with me papers in due form nominating JAMES COOPER McCORMICK, Gentleman, #4467 St. Catherine St.

Only one nomination having been made for this office, the candidate named above was declared elected to the office for which he was nominated.

All papers in connection with the election of Mr. McCormick are submitted herewith.

The Secretary Treasurer was directed to draw up a table of information required with reference to the census the same to be considered at a meeting to be held next week.

Letters were submitted from the Mayor of the City of Verdun, the Town of Montreal West and La Ville de Longueuil regretting their inability to attend the Milk Lecture which was delivered in Victoria Hall January 14th. by Dr. Chas. E. North of New York City.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I take pleasure in reporting that in a list of honors reported to have been recently conferred it is said that the work of Nurse Vivien Tremaine of #262 Olivier Avenue, Westmount, Matron in charge of #1 Canadian Casualty Hospital, France, who attended His Majesty the King after his accident while reviewing troops in France, has been recognized and the decoration of the Royal Red Cross conferred upon her. She was also decorated with the Victorian Order by the King.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLean seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was unanimously resolved that the Secretary Treasurer be directed to send a letter of congratulation to her mother.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted a further report as follows:-
I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties published there appears the name of

Lieutenant Arthur Lacey Johnson,
2nd. Division Ammunition Column
Died of wounds received in action.
Son of Mrs. Lacey R. Johnson, #378 Wood Avenue, Westmount.
also
Corporal Adrian McKenna,
24th. Battalion,
Killed in action
Son of Mrs. W. L. McKenna, #36 Arlington Ave., Westmount.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a copy of the resolution previously adopted be sent to their families.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer
A General Session of the City Council was called to meet at 8 O'clock on Tuesday evening the 1st. February 1916.

Half an hour having elapsed and a quorum not being present it was resolved by Ald. P. W. McLean and Ald. E. H. Brown, present, that the meeting be adjourned to 9 O'clock, p.m. on the 3th. February 1916.

[Signature]
Acting Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 5th, 1916, AT 11 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd, Acting Mayor, presiding.
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. R. B. Common submitted the following report of the General Committee:

Your Committee begs to recommend that WHEREAS a Private Bill has been introduced in the House of Assembly entitled "An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Montreal", which, if enacted, will create and constitute a special commission for the purpose, among others, "to study whether it would be advisable to annex all or some of the Municipalities of the Island of Montreal to the City of Montreal."

RESOLVED that the Municipal Council of the City of Westmount do place on record its absolute and unalterable opposition to the proposal in the Bill in question, and to every other proposal or scheme which might tend, directly or indirectly, to bring about the annexation of the City of Westmount to the City of Montreal; and that a copy of this Resolution be respectfully submitted to the Premier of the Province of Quebec.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown in the absence of Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendations:

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Committees concerned for the month of January 1916 be approved:

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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS the Chairman of the Board of Assessors places a valuation of $2,900.00 on that portion of the property owned by St. Andrews Presbyterian Church which is exempt from taxation your Committee recommends that the Secretary Treasurer be authorized to refund the amount of the taxes $26.10 less 2%, or a net amount of $25.45 and paid by St. Andrews Church on the said property which is exempt from taxation.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
Ald. W. K. Grafftey submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

WHEREAS a Private Bill has been introduced in the House of Assembly entitled "An Act to Amend the Charter of the Shamrock Amateur Athletic Association" which, if enacted, will enable the said Association to hold immovable property in the City of Westmount free and clear of Municipal and School Taxes.

RESOLVED that the Municipal Council of the City of Westmount do place on record its objection to these provisions and do protest against the granting of any such privilege to any Association or person at the expense of the ratepayers of the City of Westmount and that a copy of this Resolution be respectfully submitted to the Premier of the Province of Quebec.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a further report of the General Committee as follows:—

WHEREAS the Act of the Legislature 14th George, Chapter #77, Section 8 limits the time to three years from the date of the passing of the Act within which the City of Westmount may acquire either by agreement or expropriation from the Royal Institution for the advancement of learning a piece of land for the purpose of establishing a reservoir for the supply of water to the Municipality and it is desirable to have the time extended and application has been made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Quebec for an extension of time within which the piece of land may be so acquired for the said purpose and WHEREAS the Royal Institution for the advancement of learning has intimated that it will not oppose the said extension of time provided that this Council will undertake not to request any further extension of time beyond the date fixed by the Act at present before the Legislature, be it therefore resolved that this Council does hereby declare that it will not seek any further extension of time beyond the date fixed by the Act, within which to acquire the said property for the said purpose.

On the motion of Ald. E.H.Brown seconded by Ald. R.B.Common this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of the Police, Fire & Health Department submitted the by-law concerning a Police and Firemen’s Pension Fund and moved that the by-law receive its second reading.

The motion was seconded by Ald. W.K.Grafftey and unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. R.B.Common it was resolved that the by-law receive its third reading.

By-law #313 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

A letter of date January 31st. 1916 was submitted from Messrs Howard H. Ransom; R. B. Hutchison and W. Godbee Brown making formal application for the position as Assessors for the ensuing year and on the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that they be appointed as City Assessors for the year ending 31st. October 1916, at the same remuneration as last year and that Mr. H. H. Ransom be Chairman of the Board.

A letter of date 2nd. February 1916 from Mr. John W. Ross Hon. Treasurer of the Canadian Patriotic Fund was submitted thanking the Council for their subscription of $5,000.00.

A petition of date January 18th signed by numerous proprietors of West Crescent Heights was submitted objecting to the granting...
of a permit to Messrs E. H. and N. A. Timmins to erect a garage on parts of lots 54 and 55, Cad. #237, Lexington Avenue; the petition was referred to the General Committee for consideration.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of the Electric Light Department submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Acting Mayor, W. G. M. Shepherd and A. F. Bell the Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign a lease as herewith submitted from Geo. E. Blackwell to the City of Westmount of the premises situate on St. Catherine St. and known as number 4188 in said street, now occupied by the City of Westmount Light and Power Department.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. R.B. Common the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the Council stand adjourned until February 22nd. at 9.30 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 22nd, 1915 AT 11 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd, Acting Mayor presiding.  
Ald. P. W. McLagan  
Ald. R. E. Common  
Ald. E. H. Brown  
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance, and Municipal Buildings Department submitted the report of the auditors for year ending 31st October 1915 and moved that the same be adopted and printed for circulation amongst the rate payers.

The motion was seconded by Ald. R. E. Common and unanimously adopted.

With reference to outstanding taxes the Secretary Treasurer was directed to take steps to have these collected as soon as possible.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendations:

The City Engineer having reported that another employee of the City of Westmount had enlisted for Overseas Service, viz; Nazarre Ratelle, who has been in the employ of the City for 20 years or more, your Committee recommends that an allowance of $10.00 per month be paid to his wife.

Your Committee also recommends that the Secretary Treasurer be authorized to arrange for second class passage to England of Mrs. B. E. Cridland, wife of a former employee of the Engineer's Department who has enlisted for Overseas Service.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of Electric Light Department submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to purchase a motor car at an expenditure not to exceed $1500.00 funds to be taken from the surplus revenue of the Electric Light Department.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted the by-law concerning Plumbing and it was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. E. Common that the by-law receive its first reading and that it be taken as read.

It was further moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and resolved that the by-law be presented at next meeting of Council for its second reading.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a by-law to amend Section 15 of By-law #187 as replaced by By-law #240.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the by-law receive its first reading.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. E. Common it was resolved that the by-law receive its second reading.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that the by-law receive its third reading.

By-law #314 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.


it was resolved that this by-law receive its first reading.

On the motion of Ald. E.H.Brown seconded by Ald. R.B.Common it was resolved that the by-law be presented for its second reading at next meeting of the Council.

On the motion of Ald. P.W.McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B.Common it was unanimously resolved that Messrs Macintosh & Hyde be reappointed as the City's Auditors for the year ending 31st. October 1916 at the same remuneration as last year.

A letter of date February 31st. from Alex. Poole #481 Argyle Av. with reference to the collection of garbage was submitted and referred to the City Engineer.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following reports:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties appears the name of
Private Reginald O'C. Bremner,
14th. Battalion,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. R.H.M. Bremner,
225 The Boulevard
Killed in action.

I regret to have to advise the Council of the reported death of C
Corporal J. E. L. Millen
Third Overseas Universities Company
(Princess Patricias)
Son of Mr. & Mrs. J. Ernest Millen,
418 Wood Avenue
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence be sent to their parents with a copy of the resolution previously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signatures]
Acting Mayor
Sec. Treasurer.
A General Session of the City Council was called to be held on Tuesday evening March 7th, 1916 at 8 o'clock, there were present Ald. R. E. Common, Ald. W. K. Grafftay and Ald. P. W. Mc-
Lagan. Half an hour having elapsed and there being no quorum it was agreed that the meeting be adjourned to Tuesday the 14th.
March at 9.30 o'clock.

[Signatures]

Acting Mayor

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Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 14TH. MARCH, 1916 AT 11 O’CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd, Acting Mayor.
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

The minutes of previous meetings were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of the Finance Department submitted the following report of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Committee for the month of February 1916 be approved:

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the following contributions be made to the Organizations as named below:

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<td>Montreal Khaki League</td>
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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that $1000.00 be contributed to the Police and Firemen's Pension Fund in accordance with By-law #313 the amount to be charged to contingent fund.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further report of the General Committee as follows:
Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mount Royal Realty's to re-subdivide the lots cadaster 237 sub-divisions 94 and 95 and cadaster 239 sub-divisions 157 and 158 so that the same may be re-cadastred as one lot.

Your Committee also recommends that if the event of this re-subdivision being made a permit be granted to erect a garage as per block plan submitted subject to all the provisions of the Building By-law.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLaughan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The second reading of the by-laws re plumbing and by-law re nuisances from unsanitary sleeping rooms was deferred until the regular meeting in April.

Special Assessments May 1916;
Ald. P.W. McLaughan submitted the report of the General Committee as follows:-

With reference to the special assessments to be levied for the cost of the construction of roads, drains, paving of lanes etc. etc. during 1915, and prior thereto, statements of costs certified by the City Engineer and plans are herewith submitted and your Committee recommends as follows:-

1. That the statements of the City Engineer of the cost of macadamizing and paving of certain streets and avenues, the construction of sewers, the paving of lanes, the embellishment of public place and the construction of sidewalk and ramp, be approved.

2. That the proportion of the cost of paving and grading upper Belmont Avenue from Edgehill Road to northwards; Grosvenor Avenue from the Boulevard to Sunnyside; be charged upon the fronting proprietors, 2/3rds to be assessed according to frontage on each side of the street and 1/3rd upon the City as provided hereunder in section 9.

3. That the proportion of the cost of renewing in concrete and asphalt the Boulevard from Roslyn Avenue to Lansdowne and Wood Avenue from Sherbrooke St. to Holton Avenue to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors on each side of the said Avenues shall be 50 cents per linear foot and the remainder upon the City as provided hereunder in section 9.

4. That the proportion of the cost of drains laid in streets, avenues and sections of streets and avenues mentioned hereunder, viz. Grosvenor Avenue, from Boulevard northwards; Roslyn Avenue, from Boulevard northwards; Avenue Road, from Mt. Pleasant Avenue eastwards; Sunnyside Avenue (formerly Bellevue) from Bellevue to Upper Bellevue; shall be paid by the fronting proprietors according to frontage of the lots and shall be fixed in the following manner, namely, the entire cost, with the exception of flankage allowance not to exceed 120 feet in favor of corner lots, and intersections, shall be charged against the fronting proprietors one half on each side.

4a. That the total cost of the construction of the Sunnyside Avenue sewer, from Victoria to Roslyn Avenues, shall be assessed upon the owners of real estate according to the frontage of their properties situated within the area composed of the following properties to wit; Official Lot No. 218, Sub. 41 to 53 inclusive, Sub. 55 to 68 inclusive, Sub. 146 to 160 inclusive and Sub. 200 to 214 inclusive.

5. That the proportion of the cost of the construction of the road and the embellishment of the Public Place at the head of Mt. Pleasant Avenue, that is from the Boulevard westwards, be charged upon the fronting proprietors, 2/3rds to be assessed according to frontage on the north side of the said street and the end of the road and the public place and 1/3rd upon the City as provided hereunder in section 10.
6. That the whole cost of the construction of the sidewalk and ramp on Somerville Avenue near Prince Albert Ave., be assessed against the fronting proprietor on the one side of the street only.

7. That the whole cost of the paving of lanes mentioned hereunder, namely, east of Metcalfe between Hillside and St. Catherine St., between Elm Ave., Mt. Pleasant, and Holton and Sherbrooke St.; between Columbia Ave., Greene Ave., Dorchester St., and C.P.R.; between Wood Ave., Elm Ave., Holton Ave., and Sherbrooke St.; South of St. Catherine St.; West of Greene Ave., West of Glandeboye Ave., south of Dorchester St., west of Arlington Ave., Sherbrookes St. to Cote St. Antoine Road., between Bruce Ave., Columbia Ave., Dorchester St. to C.P.R.; between Bruce Ave., Hallowell St., Dorchester St., and C.P.R.; all as shown upon the plans prepared by the City Engineer and submitted herewith, shall be assessed on each proprietor in each lane according to the frontage assessment roll prepared by the Secretary Treasurer and submitted herewith.

8. That the difference between the proportion of the cost of drains to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors of Grosvenor Ave., Roselyn Ave., Avenue Road., and Sunnyside and the total cost of the said improvements including the shares thereof that would fall upon the exempted sections of corner lots be assessed as the City's share upon the lands only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected according to the Valuation Roll now in force in and by means of the Special General Assessment Roll hereunder mentioned.

9. That the difference between the total amounts to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors as above provided for the paving of Belmont Ave., Grosvenor Ave., The Boulevard and Wood Ave., and the total cost of the said improvements be assessed as the City's share upon the lands only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected according to the Valuation Roll now in force in and by means of the Special General Assessment Roll hereunder mentioned.

10. That the difference between the total amounts to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors, as above provided, for the paving and the construction of the road and the embellishment of the Public Place at the head of Mt. Pleasant Ave., and the total cost of the said improvements be assessed as the City's share upon the lands and buildings of the whole City as required by By-law 221.

11. That notice be given according to the Charter to the fronting proprietors of the proportion of the cost of the said improvements to be assessed upon their respective properties and that the Special Assessments Rolls of the proportion of the cost of the said roads, drains, lanes, etc. payable as above provided by fronting proprietors be prepared by the Secretary Treasurer on or before the 21st. of March 1916.

12. That the Secretary Treasurer be further instructed to prepare a Special General Assessment Roll against the lands of the whole City irrespective of the buildings, to levy according to the Valuation Roll now in force at the rate of 2 mills to provide the amount required to meet the annual interest and the amount required for the Sinking Funds on the loans or portions of loans effected under By-laws 5, 16, 48, 149, 109, 175, 222, 282, 283 and 286 and expended for the Glen Bridge, trunk sewers, drains, opening and making of roads and sidewalks, paving of lanes and other improvements assessable in whole or in part against the lands only of the whole City irrespective of buildings and deposit same in his office on or before the 21st. March 1916 and thereafter to give public notice that the same will be presented for homologation on the 18th. April 1916 at 8. p.m.

13. That the above mentioned rolls be submitted to the Council for homologation on the 18th. April 1916 the Secretary Treasurer being instructed to give the notices required by law accordingly.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Preparation of Valuation Roll 1916-17.

It was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and resolved that the Assessors be requested to prepare the Valuation Roll for 1916-17 according to articles 437 et seq. of the Charter giving the following particulars and deposit the Roll in the office of the Council on or before the 31st. July 1916:-

1. The number of each entry or item
2. Names of owners in full
3. Names of tenants or occupants
5. Names of persons qualified to vote on income as provided in the Quebec Election Act.
6. Cadastre and sub-division numbers of each lot or part of lot.
7. Street number of each building.
8. Superficial area of each lot.
9. Real value of land and of buildings, showing whether taxable, non-taxable or exempted, also total value of each property.
10. Annual value and annual rental paid by tenants.
11. Occupation of all persons entered in the Roll.
12. Domicile of all persons entered in the Roll.
13. Salary of all sons of proprietors or sons of tenants entered in the Roll.
14. Salary of all entered on the Roll under No. 5

In the occupation column specify if
15. Aliens.
16. Officers of His Majesty's Courts.
17. Registrars.
18. Managers and clerks of incorporated banks.
19. Officers of the Army and Navy on active service.
20. Officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the active militia.
21. Persons over 65 years of age.

Acknowledgments were submitted from Mr. & Mrs. R. H. Bremner and Mr. & Mrs. J. Ernest Millen thanking the Council for the letters of condolence and copies of resolution inscribing the names of Private Reginald O. Bremner and Corp. J. E. L. Millen in the minutes of Council.

A letter of date March 6th. was submitted from Lieut. Col. C. M. Strange thanking the Council for placing Room D in Victoria Hall at the disposal of the 58th. Westmount Rifles from 8 to 10.30 o'clock p.m. on Monday evenings.

A letter of date February 22nd. from Sergt. William J. Reilley was submitted, thanking the Council on behalf of the non-commissioned officers and men of the 5th. University Companies C. E. F. for the use of Victoria Hall on Monday evening the 21st. February.

On the motion of Ald. F. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING
HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 28th,
1916 AT 11 O’CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRE-
SENT:-

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd, Acting Mayor.
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of the Electric
Light Department submitted the following recommendations:-

Your Committee recommends that the tender of the 20/3/16
of Moloney Electric Company Ltd. for a year's supply of electric transfor-
mers at prices and conditions per said tender, be accepted.

Your Committee further recommends that the tender
of March 16th. of the Canadian Westinghouse Company for five hundred and
ten Watt hour meters at prices and conditions as per said tender, be
accepted.

E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the foregoing recommenda-
tions be adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a proposed by-law enti-
tled By-law to Amend By-law #266 concerning buildings and building con-
struction and on the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B.
Common it was resolved that the By-law be read a first time and that it
be taken as read.

R. B. Common it was resolved that the by-law be read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald.
E. H. Brown it was resolved that the by-law be read a third time.

By-law #315 having been read a first, second and
third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated accord-
ing to law.

By-law re Sleeping Apartments; Consideration de-
ferred until next meeting.

By-law re Plumbing; Consideration deferred until
next meeting.

The Secretary Treasurer reported the death of Pri-
ivate Wm. Chambers (a late employee of the Road Department) whilst on
active service with the 42nd. Royal Highlanders, C.E.F. and it was re-
solved that his name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a
letter of condolence be sent to his widow.

A petition from residents and rate-payers on Roslyn
Avenue and vicinity with reference to the erection of a Moving Picture
Theatre at the south west corner of Sherbrooke St. and Roslyn Avenue
was submitted and referred to the General Committee for consideration.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further report as follows:

Your Committee recommends that a grant of $100.00 be made payable to H. R. H. The Duchess of Connaught, for the benefit of Canadian Soldiers imprisoned in Germany and that the amount be taken from the funds provided by the Patriotic tax.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of the Police, Fire & Health Department submitted a lease of the two storey frame building situated on part of official lot #165 of the Parish of Montreal known as the Quarry property and on the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Ald. E. H. Brown and the Sec. Treasurer be authorized to sign the said lease on behalf of the City.

With reference to the proposed census, Ald. E. H. Brown submitted the following recommendation:
CITY OF WESTMOUNT
VOLUME 12
COUNCIL MINUTES

Your Committee recommends that under the authority conferred by By-law 312 a census shall be taken of the inhabitants of the City of Westmount on the 8th. day of May 1916.

Your Committee further recommends that the Secretary Treasurer shall be the returning officer and chief enumerator and that the Constables of the Police, Fire & Health Department shall be the enumerators for taking the said census.

Your Committee also recommends that the subjects upon which information shall be obtained and the questions to be asked by the enumerators shall be as follows;

Name in full---------------------------------
Street and number--------------------------
Male or female-----------------------------
Age last birthday--------------------------
Nationality-------------------------------
Are you a British Subject------------------
If Canadian, what is your origin on father's side.------------------
Religion (state of what denomination)-------
If enlisted for active service
Overseas, in what unit---------------------
If occupied on Home Service,
in what unit--------------------------------
If enlisted in active militia,
in what unit--------------------------------
Are you married or single or
widowed---------------------------------
If not a house-holder or tenant and
parents are non-resident, what is your
annual income-----------------------------
Occupation---------------------------------

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the foregoing recommendation be adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the report of the Secretary Treasurer with reference to interest and sinking fund payable 1st. May 1916 and on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the following recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The statement of the Secretary Treasurer is submitted herewith of interest and sinking fund payable on the 1st. May 1916 and your Committee recommends that he be authorized to make the following payments;

For Interest to the Sinking Fund Commission---------$9,142.50
For Sinking Fund to the Sinking Fund Commission----$28,258.83
A total payment to the Sinking Fund Commission----$37,400.83
To the Bank of Montreal for Interest coupons payable----------------------------------$75,597.50
Making a total payment of---------------------------$112,998.33

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a proposed By-law concerning PLUMBING and moved that the by-law receive its second reading and that it be taken as read. The motion was seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and unanimously adopted.

It was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and resolved that the by-law be presented for its third reading at next meeting of Council.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a by-law concerning nuisances from unsanitary sleeping rooms and premises, sections 2 and 6 having been
amended since the first reading.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was resolved that the by-law, as amended, receive its second reading.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. E. Common it was resolved that the by-law received its third reading. By-law #316 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

On the motion of Ald. R. E. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that Ald. P. W. McLagan be appointed Acting Mayor for three months from 1st. May 1916.

A letter of date April 4th. was submitted from Mr. W. Murray #2119 Hutchison Street, with reference to the damage caused to the lawn and terrace fronting on his property at the corner of Greene Avenue and Prospect St. by people trespassing. The letter was referred to the General Manager.

A letter of date 3rd. April was submitted from Mr. John Myles, #193 Selby Street, complaining of the condition of the lane running on the north side of Selby Street, west of Greene Avenue and the Secretary Treasurer's reply informing him that the lane was a private lane in connection with which the City has no responsibility was also submitted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan reported with reference to the Victoria Hall that during the year ended 31st. October 1915 the use of the hall and rooms had been given for patriotic purposes, free of charge, equal to $4,975.00.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.E. Common it was resolved that the Council adjourn until April 18th. at 9.30 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING
HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 18th, 1916
AT 11 p.m. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd, Acting Mayor
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Alderman R.B. Common, Commissioner of Parks Department submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:-

"Your Committee recommends that the Acting Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be authorized to sign on behalf of the City the agreement herewith submitted between the City of Westmount and the F. Lyall & Sons Construction Co."

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R.B. Common submitted a further recommendation of the Committee as follows:-

"Your Committee begs to recommend that the contracts for supplies be awarded as follows in accordance with the tenders submitted:-

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VITRIFIED SEWER PIPES
In car load lots

VITRIFIED SEWER PIPES
In less than car load lots W. & F. F. Currie

INVERTS & FARMS TILES
W. & F. F. CURRIE
On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of the Electric Light Department submitted the recommendation of the General Committee as follows:

"Your Committee recommends that the Resolution of Council of 5th. inst. respecting the purchase of 570 meters be rescinded and further your committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to purchase from the Canadian Westinghouse Company 250 meters at a cost not to exceed $2,200.00. Charged to Capital Account E. L. Department."

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey submitted a further recommendation of the General Committee:

"Your Committee recommends that the tender for one year's supply of coal from the Buffalo & Susquehanna Co. be accepted at the price of $4.15 per Gross Ton, F.O.B. Westmount, all charges paid, the approximate quantity required being 2500 tons."

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Consideration of By-law re PLUMBING was deferred until next meeting of Council.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report:

I beg to submit herewith the Special Assessment Roll of the assessment and apportionment against the fronting proprietors of the cost of drains and sewers made under by-laws 282 and 285 and the costs of macadamizing and paving certain streets, roads and lanes in the City under By-laws Nos. 282-283 and 285 mentioned in the statement approved by this Council, on the 14th. March 1916.

Special notices of this assessment addressed by registered letter have been sent through the Post Office to each person in whose name any fronting properties were last assessed to his actual or last known domicile, the said notice indicated the nature of the improvement and the amount or percentage of the cost thereof to be assessed and the public notices as required under the Charter have also been made through the press.

I have to report that no petition has been received by me with reference to the said apportionment of the costs of the works from the proprietors but I have two complaints one from D. W. Ross and one from D. Ross Kerr both submitted herewith.

I beg to report that since the submission of the Special Rolls an error in the frontage has been discovered and the charge amended against the following Cad. #374/3 Sub. 1, the actual frontage being 30 feet Cad. #374/1 parts of Sub. 65-64-63-62, 18 feet. and I would recommend that these amendments be approved.

I would also recommend that the Assessment Rolls be amended to include a charge against the following property for the cost of the drain constructed in the Boulevard with the usual allowance for flankage. Cad. 218, Sub. 40 and part 39, Cad. 218 Sub. 69 and part 70, Cad. 218, Sub. part 145, Cad. 218, 199 and part 198. No assessment having been made against the fronting proprietor in this instance as the lots had a frontage on Grosvenor and Roslyn Avenues but in the charge for the construction of sewers in these Avenues under By-law 282 no charge is made against the said fronting proprietors.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that the assessment upon the properties of Mrs. D. W. Ross and Mr. D. W. Ross be amended by striking from the roll the charge against the 40 feet of the property of Mrs. D. W. Ross.
It was further moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R.B Common and resolved that the amendments of the Special Assessment Roll recommended by the Secretary Treasurer be made and that the Special assessments mentioned in the Roll submitted by the Secretary Treasurer for macadamizing and paving streets, roads and lanes shall be due and exigible and collectable from proprietors on the first day of May 1916 or at the proprietor's option in 14 annual installments of 10% per centum per annum of the principal sum mentioned in the special assessment roll for the purpose of providing a sinking fund of 5% per centum per annum on the said amounts and interest at the rate of 5% per centum per annum on the said amounts with the privilege to proprietors of paying off the same on the terms mentioned in the resolution of this Council of the 20th. March 1894, also that the frontage or special assessments for ordinary and main sewers made under by-laws 282 and 285 shall be due, exigible and collectable from proprietors on the first day of May 1916 or at the option of the fronting proprietors in 44 annual payments sufficient to provide for payments of interest of 5% per centum per annum and sinking fund at the rate of 1% per centum per annum with the privilege to proprietors of paying off the same on the terms mentioned in the resolution of this Council of 20th. March 1894.

Also that the special assessment rolls of the assessment and apportionment of drains and sewers and the costs of macadamizing and paving certain streets, roads and lanes in the City all as under by-laws Nos. 282 and 283 and 285 and mentioned in the statement approved by this Council on the 14th. March 1916, said rolls having been made and prepared under resolution of same date and plans having been considered and amendments to the said rolls made the same as amended be and are hereby homologated.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I beg to submit herewith a Special General Assessment Roll levying according to the valuation in force the amount required to meet the annual interest and 1% per centum required for Sinking Funds on the loans or portion of loans affected under by-laws 5-16-48-109-149-175-283 and 285 and expended for the Glen Bridge, trunk sewers, drains, paving and making of roads, sidewalks, paving of lanes and for other improvements assessable in whole or in part against the lands only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected at a rate of 2 and 1/2 mills on the dollar prepared in accordance with the resolution of Council of March 14th. 1916.

I also beg to report that the said Roll was deposited in the office of the Council 21st. March 1916 and public notice given as required by the Charter.

I have also to report that no complaints have been filed with me respecting the same.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. W.K. Graftney it was resolved that the said Special General Assessment Roll submitted by the Secretary Treasurer be and is hereby homologated and that the tax or assessment at the rate mentioned shall be due and exigible from proprietors on the first day of May 1916.

A letter of date April 13th. was submitted from H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught thanking the City for their donation of $100,000 to the Prisoners' War Fund.

A letter of date April 13th. was submitted from the Rev. O.C.S. Wallace with reference to the proposed erection of a Moving Picture Theatre at the corner of Grosvenor Avenue and Sherbrooke St.

The letter was referred to the General Committee.

Three petitions signed by Westmount proprietors were submitted favoring the erection of a Moving Picture Theatre at the corner of Grosvenor Ave. and Sherbrooke St.
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that these petitions be referred to the General Committee for consideration.

An invitation was received from the Mayor, Commissioners and Aldermen of the City of Montreal requesting the attendance of the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Westmount at the inauguration of the Montreal City Council April 17th, 1916 at 3 p.m.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING MAY 2nd, 1916 AT 11 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

The minutes of meetings held during April were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance and Municipal Buildings Departments submitted the following reports of the General Committee:-

"Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Departments concerned for the month of April 1916 be approved:-

Finance Accounts 4158.70
Victoria Hall Accounts 145.26
Roads Department Accounts 2641.33
Police Department Accounts 949.21
Light Department Accounts 6638.66
Library Accounts 223.12
Parks Department Accounts 474.25
Roads Pay Rolls 7723.14
Scavenging Pay Rolls 1339.70
Parks Pay Rolls 844.70
Light Pay Rolls 2641.29
Victoria Hall Pay Rolls 40.30
Police Pay Rolls 2374.30
$30193.16

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the contract for the year's supply of anthracite coal be awarded to the Wilson-Paterson Company subject to their being willing to enter into a contract at the summer rates when adjusted, the coal not to be shipped until the agreement is settled with the miners or until required by the City.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the sum of $2,050.63 the cost of the construction of stables, etc., be transferred from revenue and charged against By-law #235; that an appropriation of $78.75 from funds of By-law #235 be made for Police Department equipment; that the sum of $5000.00 be set aside waiting for an estimate from the Parks Department of the cost of the construction of the proposed permanent paths in the Park from the Capital funds remaining of the old loans and also that the sum of $478.55 be appropriated for capital expenditure for equipment of the Fire Department from the funds remaining of the old loans.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Your Committee further recommends that $100,000 of the electric light bonds authorized to be issued under by-law #234 should be printed and dated November 1st, 1916 to mature November 1st, 1960.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Graffttey it was resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Parks submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee.

Your Committee recommends that $600.00 be appropriated from the funds of By-law #221 for additional levelling of the New Park.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Mrs. A. P. Proctor, #434 Metcalfe Ave. be permitted to occupy and use the stable on her property as a garage.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following reports of the General Committee;

Your Committee recommends that the cession by the Grey Nuns of property used as a lane in rear of properties fronting on the north west side of Western Ave. running westwards from Kitchener Ave. be accepted and that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the deeds in connection therewith.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown, this recommendation was adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the re-subdivision by the Mount Royal Realities, Ltd., of lots Cadastre 227, 94 and 95 and Cadastre 239b, 167 and 168 making a new sub-division forming one lot, as per plan submitted herewith, prepared by Malcolm D. Barclay, P.L.S. dated 16th. April 1916, showing said lot under new numbers Cadastres 237, 263 and Cadastre 239b-169 be approved.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan this recommendation was adopted.

Your Committee begs to recommend that the following works be authorized to be proceeded with during the present season;

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$49000.00
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By-law Description | Street Side | From | To | Cost
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282 Sidewalk do | Grosvenor E. & W. Sunnyside N. City Complete | Northwards | 775.00
282 do do | Sunnyside N. & S. | Upp. Bel- | sent walk | 625.00
282 do do | Devon N. & S. | Holton M. Pleasant | 2000.00
285 do | Sunnyside S. | Bellvue Upp. Belle- | 1475.00
285 do | Wood | Holton M. Pleasant | 625.00
282 Sidewalk Rev. & M.T.R. Property | Claremont S.E. | Corner of | 1025.00
| | | Westmt. Av. 31 sq. ft. at 0.50 | 47.25
| | | | 7892.25

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and that appropriations be made as follows from the funds provided under By-law 282
By-law 282 | 20,370.00
From funds provided under by-law 285 | 11,830.00
From Road Renewal Fund | 1,150.00
From Revenue | 47.25
\[\text{Total} \quad 33,397.25\]

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was adopted.

Consideration of By-law re Plumbing was deferred until next meeting.

Ald W.G.M. Shepherd submitted a by-law entitled By-law concerning an Architectural Commission and moved that the by-law receive its first reading and that it be taken as read.

The motion was seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan and unanimously carried.

On the motion of Ald W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was resolved that the by-law be submitted for its second reading at next meeting of Council.

Owing to the by-law re Architectural Commission necessitating certain changes in the Building Bylaw Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd submitted a by-law entitled by-law to amend By-law #266. On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was unanimously resolved that the by-law receive its first reading and that it be taken as read.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was resolved that the by-law be presented for its second reading at next meeting of Council.

A letter of date May 1st, 1916 was submitted from the President Directorate of Female Immigration #622 Dorchester St. W. asking permission for a Union Jack Day on the 20th. May for the purpose of raising funds to be spent in the care and distribution of Canadian and Overseas Soldiers Wives and their children.
It was unanimously resolved that this request be granted.

Letters of date April 27th. and 29th. were submitted from Mr. N. S. Dunlop complaining of the assessment made against his property for the cost of the lane in rear of Clandeboye Avenue. The Council decided that they could not entertain this appeal as the roll had been homologated and the assessment made in accordance with the bylaw.

A letter of date April 10th. was submitted from the Financial Post of Canada with reference to the advertising of the City's bonds. The letter was referred to the General Committee for consideration.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was resolved that Council adjourn to May 16th. at 9:30 p.m.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON MAY 16TH, 1916, AT 10.50p.m. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance Department submitted the recommendation of the General Committee as follows:-

Your Committee recommends that a contribution of $500.00 be made to the Western Hospital as a qualification for a Governor to be appointed by the City, the amount to be charged to Contingent Fund. That Ald. W. K. Grafftey be appointed to represent the City upon the Board of Governors - it being understood that at all times a bed will be at the disposal of the City.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads submitted the recommendations of the General Committee as follows:-

That a permit be granted to Mr. Wm. Kelly, #395 Kensington Ave. to erect a garage on the south-east corner of Sherbrooke St. and Kensington Ave. fifty feet from Sherbrooke St. at the rear of his residence.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Messrs Hand & Pick to erect a garage on Mr. J. H. Rand's property on Sunnyside Ave. provided it be placed on the south-west corner in the rear of the lot.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. W. J. Greer to erect a public garage on his property situated on St. Catherine St. as per plan submitted, subject to the requirements of the building by-laws.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to D. J. Finlayson, #568 Victoria Ave. to erect a public garage on his lot on Victoria Ave. location shown upon the plan submitted, subject in all respects to the building by-laws.

On the motion of Ald. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. G. S. Bagg, #234 Metcalfe Ave. to erect a temporary metal garage at the south west corner of the property on the south west corner of Ingleside Ave. and Metcalfe Ave.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that an appropriation be made from by-law #235, of $64.00 to Aberdeen Avenue sewer.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of Electric Light Dept. submitted the recommendations of the general committee as follows:-
Your Committee recommends that the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Co. be instructed to lay a gas main under clause 7 of contract, on Belgium Ave., continuing from the point where it is now laid up as far as Boulevard, the required guarantee having been signed.

On the motion of Ald. W.K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Co. be instructed to lay a gas main on the Boulevard on the north side of Willow Avenue, under clause 7 of the contract.

On the motion of Ald. W.K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. Ald. R.B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Montreal Water & Power Co. be instructed to lay water mains in Belgium Avenue from the point where they are now laid to the Boulevard.

On the motion of Ald. W.K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was resolved that by-law concerning Plumbing, as amended since its second reading be read a third time.

On the motion of Ald. W.K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was resolved that the by-law be taken as read.

By-law #317 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was resolved that by-law concerning an Architectural Commission be read a second time and that it be taken as read.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was resolved that By-law be read a third time and that it be taken as read.

By-law #518 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was resolved that the following four architects, nominees of the Province of Quebec Association of Architects be appointed to the Architectural Commission;-

J. S. Archibald, M. P. Q. A. A.
Robt. Findlay M. P. Q. A. A.
David H. MacFarlane M. P. Q. A. A.
D. Norman MacVicar M. P. Q. A. A; A. R. C. A.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was resolved that By-law entitled By-law to amend By-law #266 be read a second time and that it be taken as read.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was resolved that the By-law be read a third time and that it be taken as read.

By-law #319 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Application having been received from the Irish Canadian Rangers, 199th. Overseas Battalion, for a permit to hold the City Amateur Boxing Championship at the Arena on Saturday May 27th, it was moved by Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. R.B. Common and unanimously resolved that the request be granted.

The City Engineer was authorised to proceed with the construction of the sewer in Belgium Avenue, the sidewalk on the west side of the avenue, and a temporary roadway.
The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties appears the name of, Private Ben. Ryan, Canadian Mounted Rifles, #457272, Nephew of Mrs. J. J. McGoldrick, 14 Gladstone Avenue, Westmount. 21 years old.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was resolved that his name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a copy of resolution previously adopted be sent to his aunt, Mrs. J. J. McGoldrick, 14 Gladstone Ave., Westmount.

On motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 6th, 1916, AT 9:30 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;—

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

The minutes of two previous meetings were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance, submitted the following reports of the General Committee;—

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and payrolls passed by the Departments concerned for the month of May 1916 be approved;—

Finance Accounts 6508.34
Victoria Hall Accounts 175.67
Roads Department Accounts 2651.99
Police Department Accounts 1348.01
Light Department Accounts 4659.03
Library Accounts 220.73
Parks Department Accounts 274.41
Roads Pay Rolls 8410.09
Scavenging Pay Rolls 220.73
Parks Pay Rolls 274.41
Light Pay Rolls 3205.43
Victoria Hall Pay Rolls 57.00
Police Pay Rolls 2953.47

$3212.77

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that payment of $1784.59 be made to Mr. P. B. Mignault K.C. and $685.32 to Mr. D. R. Marsh K.C. being costs of arbitration in the expropriation of the nine properties on the Golf Links in July 1914 and the amounts due for costs in the two actions of Messrs. Mignault & Ridgeway proceeded with to judgment and the action of Nadey suspended.

The amount to be charged to funds available under By-law #232.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that taxes amounting to $11,49 be written off to Contingent A/c.—being taxes on Cadastre 277, El 1 82, property deeded to the City by the Grey Nuns.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the execution on the 20th. May 1916 by the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer on behalf of the City, of the agreement herewith submitted between the City of Westmount and the P. Lyall & Sons Construction Co, be and is hereby authorized and confirmed.
On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Graffney this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the $350,000 bonds authorized to be issued under By-law #261 be dated May 1st, 1916 payable in forty-four years from date, the denomination or par value of the said bonds shall be One thousand dollars ($1000.00) each and that of the interest coupons shall be Twenty-two dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) each, the interest payable thereon being at the rate of four and one-half per cent (41/2%).

Your Committee further recommends that the tender of the American Bank Note Company, Montreal, to print the said bonds for the sum of $295.00 be accepted and that the Secretary Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to forward the form of the said bonds to the American Bank Note Company.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd submitted a further report of the General Committee as follows:-

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign on behalf of the City the contract, in duplicate, as prepared by the City Solicitor, for further work on Belgium Avenue the same having been executed by the Belgo Canadian Realty Co. Ltd.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following report of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that a permit to construct a private garage be granted to the Belgo Canadian Realty Co., if approved by the Architectural Commission and City Engineer on the understanding that the same will be removed should the Council so order.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E.H. Brown, Commissioner of Police, Fire and Health Departments submitted the following report of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that William Walsh who has been a member of the Police Force for the past six years and who has enlisted for overseas with the Irish Canadian Rangers be insured with the Aetna Life Insurance Co. for a policy of $1,000.00 the amount of the premium on which is $92.07, the premiums to be paid by the City during the time that he is in active service and that an allowance of $10.00 per month be paid to his widowed mother, the amount to be charged to funds available under the Patriotic By-law #309.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

Consideration of By-law to amend Building Lines on Western Avenue was deferred.

SALE OF BONDS; Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the following report of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the Council accept the offer of Messrs Coffin & Burr, Inc. to purchase $107,500. City of Westmount bonds dated and maturing as to principal as follows:
All bearing interest at 4½% per annum payable semi-annually on the 1st. day of May and November in each year, subject to the following conditions:-

1st. The bonds dated November 1st. 1915 provided for under By-law #285 to be of the denomination of $500. each, Messrs Coffin & Burr, Inc. to have the option before they are issued to have such bonds changed to denomination of $1000 each, the expense of re-printing etc., to be borne by the purchasers.

2nd. The bonds to be dated May 1st. 1916 to be issued under By-law #281 to be of the denomination of $1000 each.

3rd. The bonds and interest coupons are to be payable at the Bank of Montreal in Montreal, New York or London, England, payments in London to be at the fixed rate of exchange of $4.86 2/3 to the pound Sterling.

4th. The purchasers will pay for the bonds upon delivery on the basis of 5% plus accrued interest.

5th. The purchasers are to be furnished with the legal opinion of Mr. A. Falconer, K.C. of Messrs Fleet, Falconer, Phelan and Hovey certifying that the bonds are legally issued and are valid obligations of the City of Westmount.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. S. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

A letter of date June 2nd. was submitted from J. Tremblay, President of the Montreal Firemen's Benefit Association thanking the Council for their contribution of $25.00 towards the funds of the Association.

The Secretary Treasurer reported as follows:-

I take much pleasure in reporting to the Council that Captain Patterson Lindsey Hall, son of Mrs. F. F. Hall, #494 Lansdowne Avenue has been awarded the Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd it was resolved that a letter of congratulation be sent to Captain Hall's mother.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted a further report as follows:-

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties published there are the following Westmount citizens included among the killed:-

Captain Douglas Waterston, B. A., C. M., M. D.
Canadian Army Medical Corps.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Waterston,
#4468 St. Catherine Street, Westmount
Killed at the front May 22nd. 1916, at France.

Private Charles Adams,
14th. Battalion,
Royal Montreal Regiment,
Killed in action.

This young man was an orphan and was brought up by Mrs. Geo. H.
Bishop, #425 Roslyn Avenue.

Lieut. Colonel G. H. Baker, M. P., for Brome County.
5th. Canadian Mounted Rifles,
Brother of Miss Effie Baker, Sherbrooke P. Q. and Miss Harriet Baker, 210 Hutchison St.
Died of wounds June 3rd. 1916 4375 Montrose Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. J. M. Shepherd it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of sympathy together with copy of resolution previously adopted be sent to their relatives.

It was further reported that the following young men who were boarding in Westmount at the time of their enlistment for overseas service had been killed in action:

Evan S. Cameron, #215 Elm Avenue.
14th. Battalion, Son of E. J. Cameron, Government House, Bathurst, Gambia, West Africa.

R. H. Bertlin, Y. M. C. A. In English Army.
Killed at front.

R. W. Lister, Y. M. C. A.
Father's home, Sunny Mount, Keighley, Yorks, England.

It was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of sympathy be forwarded to their next of kin if the addresses can be obtained.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. E. Common it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

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Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT, CONVEYED BY THE MAYOR,
MRT AT 9 O'CLOCK MONDAY MORNING THE 12th.
JUNE 1916. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor  John McKergow, presiding
Ald.  F. W. McLagan
Ald.  R. B. Common
Ald.  W. K. Grafftey

forming a quorum of the Council.

The meeting was convened to consider the sale of bonds and
the Secretary Treasurer submitted letters from Messrs Coffin & Burr. Inc.
under date of June 10th. 1916, and from A. Falconer, of Messrs Fleet, Falconer, Phelan & Bovey under date of the 9th. June 1916, and after due consider-

ation it was moved by Ald. F. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Graff-
tey and unanimously resolved that:-

WHEREAS Messrs Coffin & Burr Inc., have made a new offer in
lieu of the offer to purchase City of Westmount bonds accepted by the Coun-
cil under resolution of June 6th. 1916, be it therefore resolved

1. That the resolution of this City Council adopted at a
meeting held on Tuesday the 6th. June 1916 accepting an offer of Messrs Coffin & Burr Inc., to purchase $107,500 City of Westmount Bonds be and is hereby rescinded.

2. That the Council accept the offer of Messrs Coffin & Burr Inc., to purchase from the City of Westmount $107,500 of its bonds dated and maturing as to principal as follows;-

$7500 part of the bonds authorized to be issued under by-law
No. 285 dated November 1st. 1915 and maturing November 1st. 1959.

$100,000 part of the bonds authorized to be issued under
by-law No. 281 to be dated May 1st. 1916 and maturing May 1st. 1960 all bear-
ing interest at 4% per annum payable semi-annually on the 1st. day of May
and of November in each year, subject to the following conditions;

1st. the bonds dated November 1st. 1915 provided for under By-
law No. 285 to be of the denomination of $500. each.

2nd. The bonds to be dated May 1st. 1916 to be issued under By-
law #281 to be of the denomination of $1000 each.

3rd. The bonds and interest coupons are to be payable at the
to be at the fixed rate of exchange of $4.86 2/3 to the pound sterling.

4th. The purchasers will pay for the bonds upon delivery, in
Montreal, on the basis of 5% plus accrued interest.

5th. The purchasers are to be furnished with the legal opinion
of Mr. A. Falconer, K.C. of Messrs Fleet, Falconer, Phelan and Bovey certifying
that the bonds are legally issued and are valid obligations of the City
of Westmount.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.
A Special Session of the City Council was called to be held Tuesday evening June 27th, 1916 at 9 o'clock.

Half an hour having elapsed and there being no quorum, no meeting was held.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Sec. Treas.
CITY OF WESTMOUNT
VOLUME 12
COUNCIL MINUTES

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 4th, 1916 AT 10 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKenna
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

The minutes of previous meetings were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance Department submitted the following reports of the General Committee:

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

With reference to the following employees of the City who have enlisted for service overseas, your Committee recommends that Council confirm the action of Committee in paying a bonus of one month's salary to Mr. James Flanagan and Mr. Alfred Ferguson and the insuring of each of them for $1,000.00, premiums to be paid by the City during the time they are on active service, further, that Mr. A. R. Bourdon be insured for $1,000.00 the premiums to be paid by the City during the time that he is on active service and that an allowance of $10.00 per month be made to his widowed mother during the same period and that the positions of the three be kept open for them.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that an additional amount of $550.00 be appropriated for the construction of Wood Avenue steps and charged to funds available under by-law #286.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a grant of $1,000.00 in ten monthly payments of one hundred dollars be made to the Canadian Red Cross Society, the amount to be charged to funds available under by-law No. 309.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.
Your Committee recommends that a contribution of two hundred dollars be made to the British Sailor’s Relief Fund, Canada, and charged to funds available under by-law #309.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.K. Grafftey in the absence of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads Department submitted the following reports of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted for the erection of three garages on Mr. E. Mayer’s property, Cad. 350, Sub. 1 at the corner of Olicier & Western Avenues, the erection to be 4 feet back from the street line on Olivier Ave. the entrance to two of the garages to be from Olivier Ave. and the entrance to the other to be from the lane, the whole to be in accordance with the requirements of the City’s by-laws and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.

Your Committee further recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. W.M. Weir to erect a garage on his property on the north west corner of Westmount and Aberdeen Avenues. This being a corner lot the location to be as shown upon the plan submitted, at a distance less than 50 feet from the street line. The architectural features of the building having been approved by the Architectural Commission.

Your Committee recommends that the application for a permit of Mr. A.F. Byers, to erect a residence and stable on his property at the corner of Summit Road and Summit Circle, as per block plan submitted, be granted, subject to the provisions of the Building By-law.

On the motion of Ald. W.K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown these reports were unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common submitted further reports of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the cost of rebuilding the portion of Clarke Avenue between Avenue Road and the Boulevard, amounting to $1039.10 be charged against the loan authorized by by-law #285 and that a corresponding credit be made to street repairs.

Your Committee also recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to purchase an emery wheel at a cost not to exceed $110.00 and that the same be charged to funds authorized under by-law #285.

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan, these reports were unanimously adopted.

Ald. E.H. Brown submitted a proposed by-law, as approved by the General Committee with reference to temporary garages, entitled By-law to amend By-law #256 and on the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan it was resolved that the by-law be read a first time, the by-law having been read a first time it was moved by Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan and resolved that the by-law be submitted for its second reading at next meeting of Council.

By-law to amend By-law #300 re Licenses. Consideration deferred until next meeting.

By-law re Western Avenue Building Line. On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was resolved that the by-law entitled by-law to amend by-law #256 concerning Building Lines be read a first time and that it be taken as read.
On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was resolved that the By-law be submitted for its second reading at next meeting of Council.


The report of the census taken as of the 8th. May 1916 was submitted as follows:

To the Council:-

The results of the census recently taken as of the 8th. May 1916 have now been completed and I beg to report as follows:

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Enlisted in Canadian Expeditionary Forces 562
Enlisted in British Army 25
Enlisted in French Army 2
Enlisted in Royal Naval Air Service 11
Nursing Sisters with Canadian Hospitals Overseas 16
In Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve 2
Total enlisted for Overseas-------------------------- 618

In Active Militia 314
In Canadian Officers' Training Corps (McGill & Laval) Active militia 60
In Composite Regiment, Home Service 11
In Montreal Home Guard 153
Employed in Munition Work 55
In training for overseas service as officers 2
Rejected as physically unfit 11
Boy Scouts, Corps of Guides, Cadets etc. 24
Voluntary Aid Detachment (Nurses) 8
Red Cross Workers 2
C P R War Office Service 2
Victoria Rifles Reserve 32
In Hong Kong Garrison 1
Italian Medical Officer 1
Westmount officers and men killed in action 33

Unmarried men between 18 and 45 not in any military service 732
Number of houses empty 216
Houses with contagious disease where papers could not be had 2

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was resolved that the same be received and published and that a copy be forwarded to the Government.
A letter of date June 10th. was submitted from Mr. T. Waterston #4468 St. Catherine St. Westmount, thanking the Council for the copy of resolution and letter of condolence.

A letter of date June 22nd. was submitted from Mrs. F. F. Hall #494 Lansdowne Avenue thanking the Council for their letter of congratulation with reference to the honors bestowed upon her son, Captain Lindsay Hall.

The report of the Secretary Treasurer was submitted as follows:-

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the following names of Westmount Citizens appear:-

Lieutenant Bruce C. Macfarlane,
60th. Battalion, C.E.F.
Next of kin Mrs. Bruce C. Macfarlane (Wife)
4546 St. Catherine Street.

Lieutenant Harold Gellen,
60th. Battalion C E F
Next of kin Mrs. Harold Gellen (Wife)
42 Church Hill

Private David B. Rennoldson, P.P.C.L.I.
Killed in action in Flanders between the 2nd. & 4th. of June.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. D. H. Rennoldson
313 Grosvenor Avenue.

Lieutenant James Harvie,
Royal Field Artillery
Died of wounds
Son of Mr. Robert Harvie
355 Metcalfe Avenue

Private Jeffrey Gordon Richardson,
24th. Battalion
Son of Mr. & Mrs. W. S. Richardson
4220 St. Catherine Street.

Sergeant John Reddy Barrett,
5th. Mounted Rifles
Son of Mr. & Mrs. John Barrett
415 Metcalfe Avenue

Acting Sergeant Arthur C. Drysdale,
14th. Battalion, Killed in action.
Son of Mr & Mrs. David Drysdale
4160 Dorchester Street.

Major Fitz-Herbert Price Buchanan,
13th. Battalion, Killed in action.
Next of kin Mrs. Fitz-Herbert Price Buchanan (Wife)
212 Cote St. Antoine Road.

Corporal Richard Gordon O'Leary
4th. Universities Company, P.P.C.L.I.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. J. P. O'Leary
King George Annex,
Saskatoon, Sask.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence and extract of resolution previously adopted, be sent to their next of kin.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the following names be added to the list and inscribed in the minutes and that a copy of resolution and letter of condolence be sent to their next of kin:

* Sergeant Herbert Rittenhouse,
  Universities Company, P. P. C. L. I.
  Son of Mr. & Mrs. C. B. Rittenhouse,
  603 Gertrude Avenue
  Winnipeg, Man.

* Private Lawrence Hardman,
  24th. Battalion.
  Son of Mrs. Alex. Hardman,
  313 Prince Arthur St. West.

Corporal Frederick Morris Swift,
  Son of Mr. & Mrs. W.A.M. Swift,
  8 Vendome Avenue,
  Notre Dame de Grace.

A further report of the Secretary Treasurer was submitted as follows:

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that Major Thomas Sidney Morrissey of the 13th. Battalion Royal Highlanders of Canada, son of T. L. Morrissey, 85 Church Hill, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that a letter of congratulation be sent to Mrs. T. L. Morrissey, 85 Church Hill.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor
Sec. Treasurer.
The minutes of previous meetings were confirmed.

In the absence of the Commissioner of Finance, Ald. R.B. Common submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Departments concerned for the month of July 1916 be approved:-

- Finance Accounts: $7479.16
- Victoria Hall Accounts: $142.66
- Road Department Accounts: $4523.20
- Police Department Accounts: $738.90
- Light Department Accounts: $4622.34
- Library Accounts: $178.61
- Parks Department Accounts: $652.76
- Roads Pay Rolls: $1374.25
- Scavenging Pay Rolls: $1219.62
- Parks Pay Rolls: $1728.20
- Light Pay Rolls: $3096.80
- Victoria Hall Pay Rolls: $2995.93
- Police Pay Rolls: $1374.25
- $38811.43

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following recommendation:-

Your Committee recommends that an appropriation of $130.00 be made from funds provided under by-law #282 for the purpose of constructing and installing two gullies on Upper Belmont Avenue, the amount to be charged against the grading of this Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R.B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd submitted a further recommendation as follows:-

Your Committee recommends that the sum of $1000.00 be appropriated from special reserve, the amount to be spent on the repairs to sidewalks throughout the City.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was resolved that by-law re Western Avenue Building Line be read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was resolved that the by-law be read a third time. By-law #320 entitled By-law to amend by-law #236 concerning Building Lines having
been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and or-
dered to be promulgated according to law.

By-law re licenses. Consideration deferred until next meeting.

Ald. R. B. Common submitted a by-law entitled By-law concern-
ing Weeds and Refuse and moved that the same receive its first reading.
The motion was seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey and unanimously carried.

On the motion of Ald. R.B.Common the by-law was read a second time.
On the motion of Ald. R.B.Common seconded by Ald. W.G.M.Shep-

herd the by-law was read a third time.

By-law #321 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

By-law re Temporary Garages. Consideration deferred until next meeting.

A letter of date July 12th. was submitted from Mr. T. L.
Morrissey, #35 Church Hill, thanking the Council for their letter of congra-
tulation with reference to the honors conferred upon his son Major Thos.
Sydney Morrissey.

Letters of acknowledgment were submitted from Mr. & Mrs.
John Barrett #415 Metcalfe Avenue; Mr. & Mrs. W.A.M.Swift, #8 Vendome Av
N. D. de Grace; Mr. & Mrs. J. P. O'Leary; King George Annex, Saskatoon;
Mr. & Mrs. A. Lister and Mr. A. Bertlin thanking the Council for their
resolution of sympathy and letter of condolence.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report;-

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the
following names of Westmount citizens appear;-

Private Herbert Neilan
60th. Battalion
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Michael Neilan
797 St. Antoine Street.
Died of wounds.

Flight Sub-Lieut. William Ross Wallace
Royal Naval AirService
Son of John H. Wallace
12 Melbourne Avenue

Private John J. Cathcart
1st. Battalion
Son of Mrs Fred Cathcart
146 Salby Street.
Died of wounds

Corporal Walter Rowbotham
Son of Walter Rowbotham
437 Michelieu Street, St. Henry
Killed in action, 23rd. Battalion.

Sergeant Paul Somerville Clark,
Son of Mr. & Mrs W. J. Clark
517 Clarke Avenue
On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a copy of the resolution previously adopted together with a letter of condolence be sent to their next of kin.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 22nd, 1916, AT 8.15 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKergow, presiding
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

It was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common that the proposed by-law entitled By-law concerning the Medical Inspection of Schools be read a first time.

The motion was adopted and as copies had previously been forwarded for consideration, to the members of the Council, the proposed by-law was taken as read.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common that the second reading of the proposed by-law be deferred until the next meeting of the Council.

By-law re Temporary Garages and Licenses, were deferred until the next meeting of the Council.

A draft copy of a contract to be entered into between the City of Westmount and the Canadian Oil Company Limited, having been prepared by the City Solicitor and submitted to the Members of the Council it was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown and seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the contract on behalf of the City.

The General Committee reported that the appropriation for the cleaning of roads and pavements having been exhausted it therefore recommended that the following additional appropriation be made to the Roads Department Committee and the funds be taken from the Special Reserve Fund:-

For Road cleaning  $1,400.00
For pavements  2,700.00

$4,100.00

It was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted.

Mayor John McKergow requested that he be allowed to withdraw and the request being granted, Acting Mayor W. K. Grafftey took the chair.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted letters of acknowledgment from:

Dr. & Mrs. Clark.
Mr. J. H. Wallace
Mr. Robert Harvie
Mr. D. H. Remoldson

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that Private W. Gordon Cuttle, (son of Mrs. Jas. A. Cuttle, #4684 Westmount Ave.) who enlisted with the 5th. Canadian Mounted Rifles has been awarded the Military Medal.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was resolved that a letter of congratulation be sent to Mrs. Jas. A. Cuttle, #4684 Westmount Ave, his mother.
I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the following names of Westmount citizens appear:

Company Sergeant Major Herbert Percy Sullivan,
24th. Battalion,
Son of Mrs. & Mrs. C. A. Sullivan
35 Chesterfield Ave.
Killed in action.

Private William Ryan,
7th. Battalion Leicester Regiment, Imperial Army
Son of Mrs. Wm. Ryan
37 Chesterfield Avenue
Killed in action.

Captain John P. Walsh,
Brother of Mrs. J. J. Murphy
880 Atwater Avenue
Died of wounds.

Lieutenant Colin A. Macaulay,
4th. South Wales Borderers, Imperial Army
Son of Mrs. M. B. Macaulay
1642 Lansdowne Avenue
Killed in action.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the names reported as appearing in the casualty lists be inscribed in the minutes of the Council and that the Secretary Treasurer forward, in harmony with the previous resolution, a letter of condolence to the relatives of the deceased.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor
[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
The minutes of two previous meetings were confirmed.

The Valuation Rolls for the year 1916-1917, as prepared by the Board of Assessors, were submitted for homologation.

Appeals against the valuations were submitted from the following:

A. Pierce, Sherbrooke St. Appeal dismissed.

Edwin Hanson, Mount Pleasant Ave. Referred back to the Assessors for further information and report.

W. R. Miller, Surrey Gardens; Devon Ave; and Summit Crescent; Appeal dismissed.

H. F. Jackson, Greene Ave. and St. Catherine St. Referred back to the Assessors for further report.

M. Zeilicovici, St. Catherine St. Referred back to the Assessors for further report.

Estate Masson, Tupper St. Referred back to the Assessors for further report.

George Rabinovitch, Roslyn Ave Referred back to the Assessors for further report. Mr. Rabinovitch to supply information as to the cost of his house.

Dr. Chas. J. Patton, Victoria Ave. Referred back to the Assessors for further report.

H. W. Fairlie, 549 Grosvenor Ave. Rental to be shown at $430.00.

D. Ross Ker, Bellevue Avenue; Appeal dismissed.

A. D'Allemende, St. Catherine St. Referred back to the Assessors for further report.

A. M. Vineberg, Dorchester St.; Elm; Argyle and Westmount Avenues. Appeal dismissed.

L. Vineberg, Roslyn Avenue. Appeal dismissed.


Montreal Amateur Athletic Association, St. Catherine St. Referred back to the Assessors for further report.

J. B. Vanier, Clarke Avenue. Appeal dismissed.

Mrs. C. C. Macfarlane, Western Avenue. Appeal dismissed.
Mrs. F. H. Badger, #4095 Tupper St. It was decided to request Mrs. Badger to produce her lease and her rental would be reduced to $420.00 per annum.

Mrs. Thos. Brady, #119 Arlington Ave. It was decided to request Mrs. Brady to produce her lease and her rental would be reduced to $400.00 per annum on #77 Somerville Ave.

Miss Margaret J. Currie, #362 Lansdowne Avenue; Appeal dismissed.

R. G. McEwen, #18 Arlington Ave. Rental to be reduced to $540.00.

George Jas. Cuthbertson, #625 Carleton Ave. appeared, requesting that a reduction be made in the valuation placed upon his house. The question was referred to the Assessors for report.

The Secretary Treasurer was directed to enter the name of Miss Margaret J. Currie in the Valuation Roll as an heir to the property #362 Lansdowne Avenue, Estate of David Currie.

The Assessors were directed to enter the property #472 Grosvenor Avenue as belonging to the Estate Robt. M. McLaren.

The property #64 York Avenue as belonging to the Estate Miss Alice K. Maricher, 522 Arlington Ave., #422, Neuburk Avenue,

3114 to 32 and 4121 to 4131 Western Avenue, 4028 to 4088 Tupper St, and 4058 to 4068 Tupper St, as belonging to the Estate Dr. Geo. Wilkins.

The name R. B. Hall 470 Cote St. Antoine Road be struck from the roll.

The homologation of the Valuation Rolls was deferred until next meeting of the Council.

A letter of date August 16th. was submitted from St. George Snow Shoe Club requesting the Council to take into consideration the reduction of taxation on their property. The matter was deferred for further consideration.

Ald. F. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the following report of the General Committee:-

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On the motion of Ald. F. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. A. Brown the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. F. W. McLagan submitted the following report as follows:-

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<td>An appropriation of $800.00 for playground apparatus be made the funds to be taken from those authorized by By-law #221 and used for payment of purchases authorized by the General Committee.</td>
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On the motion of Ald. F. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Consideration of By-law re Licenses deferred until next meeting.
It was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and resolved that By-law entitled By-law concerning the Medical Inspection of Schools receive its second reading.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey the By-law was read a third time.

By-law #322 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.


On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the by-law was read a third time.

By-law #323 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Letters were submitted from Mrs. Jas. J. Murphy, Mr. Walter Howotham and Mr. C. A. Sullivan thanking the Council for their letter of condolence and resolution of sympathy.

A letter of date August 17th. was submitted from Lieut. C. M. Strange, Officer commanding the 56th. Westmount Rifles, thanking the Council for their second instalment of the contribution to the Regimental Band Concerts given in the City Park.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council adjourn until Tuesday the 18th. September at 8.30 p. m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 12th, 1916 AT 10.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and payrolls passed by the Departments concerned for the month of August 1916 be approved:—

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council approve of a petition of the proprietors of Lorraine Avenue making application to the Lieutenant Governor in Council that permission be granted to the City to take over the said property or any part of it, as a street, less than 66 ft. wide.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Commissioner of Finance and Secretary Treasurer be authorized to apply for $121,000 bonds of Dominion War Loan, on behalf of the City, $21,000 of the former loan bonds to be given in exchange, in part payment.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Kenneth G. Rea be instructed to proceed to the completion of the plans and specifications of the new Municipal Buildings as per blue print sketches submitted herewith it being understood that the buildings at an estimated cost of 40¢ per cubic foot will not exceed a total cost of $200,000 the plans to be subject to minor changes— without increasing the cost— which may be considered desirable by the Building Committee.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
Ald. R. B. Common Commissioner of Parks submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to proceed with the construction of Roslyn Avenue steps in concrete, and that an appropriation of $2,750.00 be made for this purpose, the amount to be taken from funds available under by-law No. 282.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioners of Police, Fire & Health Departments submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that James Coulter; Geo. L. Hain & Wm. McDonald constables enlisted for overseas service with the re-enforcing Company, 5th. Royal Highlanders, each be insured for $1,000.00, premiums to be paid by City during period of active service, that James Coulter receive bonus of 1 month's salary and that a monthly allowance of $10.00 be made to Mrs. G. L. Hain and Mrs. W. McDonald during period of their husband's absence on active service, amounts to be charged to funds available under by-law #309.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties appears

Lieutenant Maurice Jaques,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Jaques,
Killed in action. 397 Cote St. Antoine Road.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the name be inscribed in the minutes of council and that a letter of condolence be sent to Mr. & Mrs. E. S. Jaques together with copy of resolution previously adopted.

The Valuation Rolls for year 1916-1917 were submitted for homologation. The Board of Assessors being present submitted their report with reference to the properties which had been referred to them for reconsideration and the appeals were dealt with as follows:

Edwin Hanson, Mt. Pleasant Ave. Valuation sustained.
H. F. Jackson, Corner Greene Ave and St. Catherine St. Valuation sustained.
M. Zeilicovici, St. Catherine St. Valuation sustained.
Estate Masson, Tupper St. do do.
George Rabinovitch, Roslyn Ave. do do.
Dr. Chap. J. Patton, Cad. 217, Sub. 38. Valuation to be reduced to 50 per cent.
equal $2900.
A. L'Allemand, Mt. Catherine St. Valuation sustained.
Montreal A. A. A. Area of 341,200 ft. to be reduced from $1,000 to 70 per cent.
that the valuation of this area be shown as $238,850.
Geo. J. Cuthbertson, #625 Carleton Avenue, Valuation sustained.
Mr. John Brady, #77 Somerville Ave., Rental value to be reduced to $400.
Mrs. F. H. Badger, #4095 Tupper St. Rental value to be reduced to $420.
#4095 Tupper St. Vacant, Mr. J. Laughton, sales manager to be entered as tenant, rental value to be $420.
4093 Tupper St. Vacant, Ralph J. Johnston, salesman, to be entered as tenant, rental value $420.
#78 Arlington Avenue. Mr. Ardrey W. Downs, M. D. Professor. Alien, to be entered as tenant.

#334 Elm Avenue. Vacant. Mrs. Angus Clarke, to be entered as tenant. Rental value $300.

That Cad. #374, parts Subdivisions 21 and 22 the property of Mrs. Murdock McKinnon, Mt. Pleasant Ave. area to be changed to 3438 ft. instead of 2438 ft. entered in error and that the land value be changed to $3800.

A letter of date August 16th. from St. George Snow Shoe Club was submitted asking the Council to consider the question of putting the taxes payable by the Club on a flat rate basis as in the case of the M. A. A. A.

The letter was referred to the General Committee for further consideration.

A letter of date September 6th. was submitted from Mr. Thos. W. Lamb, requesting that a reduction be made in the valuation of his property situated at the head of Clarke Avenue, and the Boulevard, also block of land Cad. 283, Subdivisions 1 to 5.

After consideration it was decided that the valuation placed upon these properties by the Valuators as shown in the Valuation Roll be sustained.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the Valuation Rolls as amended be approved and homologated.

By-law re Licenses— deferred until next meeting.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was decided that Council adjourn until September 26th. at 9:30 p.m.

Mayor,

Sec. Treasurer.
Minutes of proceedings of the Municipal Council of the City of Westmount at an Adjourned General Session held at the City Hall, on Tuesday, September 26th, 1916 at 10.10 p.m. at which were present:-

Mayor John McKergow,
Alderman F. W. McLagan,
" E. H. Brown,
" W. K. Grafftey,
" R. B. Common,
" W. G. M. Shepherd.

Alderman McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following reports of the General Committee:

(1) On the advice of the City Solicitor confirmed by the General Manager the Secretary-Treasurer paid a claim for damages resulting from a fall on Lansdowne Avenue to Mrs Francis E. Brown, the amount being $200. and also on the same authority a settlement was effected and $275.00 paid to Miss Bridget Duff and your Committee therefore recommends that these payments be confirmed.

On motion of Alderman McLagan, seconded by Alderman Brown, this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

(2) The Secretary-Treasurer was directed to subscribe for $60,000.00 of the first issue of the Dominion War Loan Bonds and of these bonds he was directed, on May 1st 1916, to sell to the Sinking Fund Commission $39,000.00 of the said bonds at 98 and your Committee now recommends that this purchase and sale of the said Bonds be and is hereby confirmed.

On motion of Alderman McLagan, seconded by Alderman Grafftey, this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

(3) Your Committee desires to report that provision was made in the November assessments for anticipated expenditures during this year for the amount payable as gratuities to the wives of married men and to dependents and as bonuses to men enlisted for service overseas. These expenditures it was at the time intended should be taken from patriotic funds which it was contemplated would be raised by special assessment if the proposed by-law should be approved. The By-law authorizing the same being adopted and approved by the ratepayers in December last, your Committee now recommends that the sums paid out as stated above during the fiscal year ending October 31st 1916 shall be chargeable against the funds provided under By-law #309.

On motion of Alderman McLagan, seconded by Alderman Common, this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation:-

Your Committee recommends that an amount of $2750.00 be appropriated from funds available under By-law #221, for the purpose of completing the construction of Academy Road from Park Place to Western Avenue.

On motion of Alderman Shepherd, seconded by Alderman Common, this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary-Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the following names of Westmount citizens appear:-

Major Hickson R. Holland,
63rd Battalion, C.E.F.
don of Mrs George Holland
Died of wounds 20 Somerville Avenue

Private Cpl. F. Massie,
73rd Battalion, C.E.F.
son of Mr & Mrs Joseph Massie
Killed in action 715 St Antoine Street
Lieut. Howard Elliot Scott
Enlisted with the Canadian Army Service Corps and transferred to the 24th Battalion, C.E.F.
only son of Ex-Alderman Arthur H. Scott,
4214 Western Avenue
Killed in action.

On motion of Alderman McLagan, seconded by Alderman Brown, it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the Minutes of Council and that letters of condolence together with a copy of the resolution previously adopted be sent to the next of kin of the former soldiers.

Proposed By-law re Licenses - Consideration deferred.

On motion of Alderman McLagan, seconded by Alderman Brown, it was resolved that the Council stand adjourned.

[Signatures]
Mayor.
Secretary-Treasurer.
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING OF THE GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 3rd, 1916 AT 9.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKargow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

The minutes of meetings held during the month of September were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance Department submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Departments concerned for the month of September 1916 be approved:

- Finance Accounts $6,548.64
- Victoria Hall Accounts 189.08
- Roads Accounts 5007.48
- Police Accounts 939.16
- Light Accounts 5554.97
- Library Accounts 212.73
- Parks Accounts 365.30
- Roads Payrolls 7112.59
- Scavenging Payrolls 969.20
- Parks Payrolls 1071.95
- Light Payrolls 2854.53
- Victoria Hall Payrolls 49.00
- Police Payrolls 2162.14

Total---------------- $32,794.59

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the report of the General Committee with reference to the levying of the rate of taxation for the year ending 31st. October 1917 as follows:

After very careful consideration and discussion of what is involved by the increased amount of appropriations as set forth in the report of the General Manager it was resolved that:

On account of the great increase in the cost of both labor and material which has occurred and which it is anticipated may continue during this coming year it is necessary to increase the rate of taxation and therefore this Committee recommends that for the year ending 31st. October 1917 the rate of taxation be fixed at 9½ mills and the remainder of the required sums for the general services of the City for the said period be taken from the funds in the general reserve.

And that in view of this increase in the general rate this Committee recommends that the Council do not levy this year the tax of one half mill levied last year for Patriotic Purposes.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the report be adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common acting for the Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the re-subdivision of the property at north west corner of Western and Redfern Avenues as shown upon the plan submitted, prepared by Anglins Limited—be approved. Lots cadastre 277 sub-divisions 26-27-28- and 29.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common submitted a further recommendation as follows:

Your Committee recommends that an undertaking with the Seminary of St. Sulpice respecting the laying of a water pipe on their property as prepared by the City Solicitor be approved and the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the same.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

By-law re licences. On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that this by-law be discharged from the agenda, meantime.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that by-law to levy an assessment to meet the current expenses of the City for the year 1916-17 and for other purposes be submitted for its first reading and that it be taken as read.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the by-law be read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that the by-law be read a third time.

By-law #324 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

With reference to the Provincial Electoral lists, the Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:

I present herewith the List of Electors, as required by the Quebec Election Act; the legal notices regarding same have been published; that the fifteen days since the completion of the lists have elapsed and I have received no complaint respecting the same.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the list as submitted, be confirmed.

It was decided to defer consideration of the annual appropriations until the next meeting of Council.

Letters were submitted from Mr. W. S. Lowe, #4947 Western Ave and Thos. Goodwill #4945 Western Avenue complaining of the vibration caused to their houses by the operation of the plant of the P. Lyall & Sons Construction Co. Ltd.

The Sec. Treasurer further intimated that a verbal complaint had been lodged by Mrs. Mongenais #200 Prince Albert Avenue.

The Council regretted that it was without their province to deal with the matter as apparently the cause of the trouble was outside the limits of the City of Westmount.

A petition was submitted signed by residents on Wood Avenue
complaining of the nuisance caused by the use of soft coal in the building
occupied by the Sisters of the Congregation of Notre Dame, contrary to the
civic regulations.

The City Solicitor was directed to write to the Lady Superior, enclosing a copy of the petition and request that immediate steps be taken to abate the nuisance and comply with the requirements of the City's By-laws.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the name of Private Stephen Weeks; 87th Grenadier Guards of Canada, appeared. Killed in action. This young man, son of John Weeks, #167 Laporte Avenue, although not a resident of the City of Westmount at the time of his enlistment was employed as an assistant under the Superintendent at Victoria Hall having worked with him for several months.

I also regret to report the death of

Hamilton
Private Gordon Fowler,
73rd Highlanders but transferred to the 15th Regiment at the front.
Son of Mrs. R. W. Fowler,
Killed in action. 41 Arlington Avenue.

Private Llewellyn Jackson,
5th Mounted Rifles
Son of Mrs. W. R. Jackson
Died of wounds. 4821 Western Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence be sent to their next of kin together with a copy of the resolution previously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Council adjourn until the 17th. October at 9:30 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A
MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER
17th, 1916 AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted
the recommendation of the General Committee as follows:—

Your Committee recommends that Council confirm the pay­
ment from Revenue Funds of the sum of $2,392.38 being cost of repairs to
Redfern Avenue, this amount having been authorized to be charged to funds
available under by-law 286, which authorization of Sep. 7/1915 is hereby
resinded.

W. G. M. Shepherd this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further recommendation
as follows:—

The General Committee recommends that the Mayor and Se­
cretary Treasurer be authorized to sign on behalf of the City, a deed re­
nouncing any rights which the City may have acquired by way of servitude or
otherwise in respect of subdivision 49 of Cadastre lot 277 by virtue of the
deed of cession from the Weir, Day & Black Syndicate dated April 21st, 1911.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.
K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads submitted the
following recommendations of the General Committee. —

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to
Anglins Limited to erect garage on the property situated on the corner of
Redfern and Western Avenues as per plan submitted, the whole to be in ac­
cordance with the City's by-laws and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer.

W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be direc­
ted to install a gully at the corner of Cote St. Antoine Road and Claremont
Avenue the cost not to exceed $155.00 the amount to be charged to funds avail­
able under by-law #286.

R. B. Common this recommendation was adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be author­
ized to erect a fence to prevent the nuisance of persons driving across lot
Cad. 189, south east part of Sub. 18, having a 40 ft. frontage west of Clare­
mont Avenue, the cost of same to be borne jointly by the City and the adjoin­
ing proprietors.

E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health
Committee reported that tests had recently been made of the City's milk sup­
ply with unsatisfactory results.
Tests had been made of milk supplied by 12 dealers, five of these being below the required standard and against these proceedings were now being taken.

Ald. E. H. Brown further reported with reference the outbreak of Infantile Paralysis that prompt action was being taken by the Board of Health and the Medical Health Officer. A circular being sent to every household with warnings and instructions as to how to prevent any spread of the disease. Notification being sent to all doctors practising in Westmount requiring them to immediately notify the Medical Health Officer of any case that is even suspected to be one of Infantile Paralysis. Houses where the disease exists will be quarantined and placarded.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted a supplement to the extract from the Valuation Roll containing the names of all persons added to the list of jurors and the names of persons to be struck from the extract.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Graffe it was unanimously resolved that the list, as submitted, be confirmed.


With reference to the appropriations for year 1916-1917 it was resolved to have a meeting to consider these on Monday the 23rd. inst. at 12.30 o'clock noon.

A letter of date October 12th. was submitted from Lieut. Col. C. M. Strange, Officer commanding the 58th. Westmount Rifles, thanking the Mayor and Council for the assistance given towards the cost of the band concerts held in Westmount Park during the summer.

Letters of acknowledgment were submitted from the following;—

Mrs. George Holland.
Mr. Arthur H. Scott
Mrs. Lillie Jackson

thanking the Council for their resolution of sympathy and letter of condolence.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report;—

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the name of the following Westmount citizen appeared;—

Private K. R. Fiske
Calgary Battalion,
Son of J. J. Fiske
87 Arlington Avenue.
Killed in action between the 24th. and 30th. Sep. 1916.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of the extract of resolution previously adopted be sent to the next of kin.

Shepherd it was resolved that Council adjourn to Tuesday the 24th. inst. at 9.30 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 24th, 1916 AT 10:30 p.m. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the following reports of the General Committee;—

That this General Committee recommends that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign a petition to His Honour the Lieut. Governor in Council, the Legislative Council of Quebec and the Legislative Assembly to further amend the City's Charter as per petition herewith submitted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common, this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be authorized to sign a petition to the Lieutenant Governor in Council requesting that permission be granted to the City to take over Lorraine Avenue as a public street less than 66 ft. in width.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Thomas Leonard, enlisted for Overseas service with the 244th. Battalion, C. E. F. be insured for $1000, premiums to be paid during his period of active service and that a grant of ten dollars per month be paid to his wife during the same period, further that John Merriam, enlisted for Overseas service with the R.C.M.A. be insured for $1000, premiums to be paid during the time he is on active service and that he be paid a bonus of one month's salary.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee;—

Your Committee recommends that two horses be purchased for the Road Dept. cost to be charged to depreciation reserve fund.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council order a fence to be erected on property cadastre 382 Subdivision 3-4-5 on Atwater Avenue from St. Stephen's Church property to Canadian Pacific Railway's tracks.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health reported that the state of affairs with reference to infantile paralysis was satisfactory as far as Westmount was concerned. Up to the present 11 cases had been reported. 3 deaths had occurred, 2 patients had recovered, number of patients at present 6, one suspected case, and 9 houses quarantined.
He further expressed the opinion that should there be no further outbreak this would be due greatly to the precautions taken by the Board of Health to prevent the spread of the disease also to the support given to the Board of Health by the citizens.

Ald. P. W. McLagan and Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd both referred to the satisfactory report submitted by Ald. E. H. Brown stating that every means should be taken to prevent the spread of the disease and to promote the health of the community.

Referring to the circulation of dirty bank notes, Ald. P. W. McLagan said that he considered that the time was opportune to make representation to the banks to circulate new bills or bills that have been cleaned and disinfected.

Ald. McLagan thereupon moved that the Secretary Treasurer be directed to send a letter to the bank of Montreal, Westmount, stating that in future the Corporation of the City of Westmount will only accept new bills or bills that have been cleaned and disinfected and further that a recommendation be made to the Minister of Finance requesting that in future bank legislation, arrangements be made to prohibit the circulation of dirty bills, no bills to be re-issued unless they have been cleaned and disinfected. The motion was seconded by Ald. Shepherd and unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd moved as follows; That the Sec. Treasurer be instructed to communicate with the Provincial Board of Health to ascertain what procedure is taken to inspect the stables and equipment of Farmers throughout the Province supplying milk to the local dealers. The motion was seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that Major Frederick Ritchie (son of A. D. Ritchie, 1475 Prince Albert Avenue) who enlisted with the 24th Battalion has been awarded the Military Cross for gallantry.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that a letter be sent to Mr. A. D. Ritchie congratulating him upon the honour bestowed upon his son.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a further report as follows:—

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the names of two Westmount citizens appear:—

Corporal Albert Wallis, Son of Mr. & Mrs. A. Wallis 146a Selby Street

Killed in action Sep 25/16.

John Frances Major Sumption, 73 York Avenue

Died of wounds Infantry

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence be sent to their next of kin together with a copy of resolution previously adopted.

A letter was submitted from Mr. J. J. Fiske, 87 Arlington Ave thanking the Council for their letter of condolence and extract from the minutes of Council.
Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following report of the General Committee with reference to the appropriations for year 1916-1917:

Your Committee recommends that the following appropriations be made to meet the requirements of the various departments of the Corporation for the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1917 and that the City Council recommend the General Committee to make expenditures under the several appropriations:

**FINANCE & MUNICIPAL BLDGS. DEPT.**

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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td>$18,570.00</td>
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**SPECIAL**

- Bonds & Int. payable to the City of Montreal: 4,240.00
- Interest & S. F. Deficiency: 4,885.89
- General Int. & S. F. Lib.-assessment: 112,071.67
- Discount of 2%: 6,500.00

**VICTORIA HALL**

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**CONTINGENCIES**

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**ROADS AND DRAINS**

- Salaries (including proportion charged to work done on capital a/c): 19,550.00
- Stationery, Printing, telephones engineering supplies etc., Office lighting and heating (including proportion charged to work done on Capital A/c): 1,900.00
- Insurance (Boilers, Trucks): 450.00
- Plant repairs and motor upkeep (including proportion charged to work done on Capital A/c): 8,000.00
- Stable Supplies: 7,250.00
- Dust Preventatives: 1,000.00
- Repairing and replacing sidewalks: 5,000.00
- Cleaning roads: 5,900.00
- Cleaning pavements: 11,500.00
- Cleaning gullies: 700.00
- Sand for walks and carting and spreading sand: 2,000.00
## CITY OF WESTMOUNT
### VOLUME 12
#### COUNCIL MINUTES

**Clearing away snow** 14,000.00  
**Digging ditches and thawing gullies** 3,000.00  
**Inspection of buildings etc.** 1,625.00  
**Repairing streets** 15,000.00  
**Connection to Montreal Sewer** 200.00  
**Cleaning sewers** 4,000.00  
**Reserve for depreciation of horses, autos, road rollers, scrapers, carts, sleighs, harnesses.** 9,512.03  
**Total:** $108,787.03

### SCAVENGING DEPARTMENT

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<td>Plant repairs and supplies</td>
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<td>Carting Garbage</td>
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<td><strong>Total:</strong></td>
<td><strong>$24,900.00</strong></td>
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<td>Garbage destruction</td>
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<td><strong>$39,900.00</strong></td>
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### WATER DEPARTMENT

**Water Hydrant Rental at $50. per annum per 500 ft. of pipe.** 15,800.00

### PARKS DEPARTMENT

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<td>Comfort Stations</td>
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<td>Tools Supplies etc.</td>
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<td>Horse feed</td>
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<td>New trees, plants, bulbs, etc.</td>
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### POLICE, FIRE & HEALTH DEPT.

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<td>Sundry supplies. Police</td>
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<td><strong>Health</strong></td>
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<td>Motor repairs</td>
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<td>Gasoline and oil</td>
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<td><strong>Bacteriological analysis of milk, water etc</strong></td>
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HOSPITAL CHARGES

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<td>Pension Fund</td>
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<td>Reserve for depreciation of horses, apparatus and equipment</td>
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LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

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Amount of levy at 9½ mills on
$44,260,850

Estimated receipts from Business taxes, licenses etc
M. A. A. A. 420,478.07

Balance to be taken from funds in the General Reserve
$440,578.07

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
A General Session of the City Council was called to be held on Tuesday evening November 7th, 1916 at 8 o'clock, there were present Ald. P. W. McLagan and Ald. R. B. Common. Half an hour having elapsed and there being no quorum it was agreed that the meeting be adjourned to Tuesday the 14th. November 1916 at 9.30 o'clock.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 14th, 1916, at 10:15 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WEERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. E. Common
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following reports of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and payrolls passed by the Committee concerned for the month of October 1916, be approved:

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<td>Police Pay Rolls</td>
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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

The General Committee recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treas. be authorized to sign on behalf of the City, a proper deed or deeds of Cession to the City from the proprietors of the land to be opened up as Lorraine Avenue, upon the approval of the City Solicitor.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. E. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to proceed with the construction of a sewer in Summit Road for a distance of 175 feet from Belvedere Road to serve houses being erected on Cad. #374, parts 76, at an estimated cost of $1650.00, to be charged to funds available under by-law #286.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health Departments reported that the outbreak of infantile paralysis had almost been eliminated there being only three cases at present, no new cases having been reported for ten days.

He further reported that the schools had been re-opened and he hoped that very soon all quarantine notices would be removed from the houses.

A letter of date October 31st. was submitted from the Westmount Soldiers' Wives' League expressing their appreciation of the prompt and efficient manner in which the Council had handled and is handling the
situation in regard to the epidemic of infantile paralysis.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have been awarded the Military Medal:

Corporal Archibald B. Rutherford, (son of Mr. & Mrs. T. J. Rutherford, #467 Mt. Pleasant Av) who enlisted with the No. 2 Signalling Co. Canadian Engineers.

Lieutenant Ewen McEwen, (son of Mr. & Mrs. John McEwen #542 Lansdowne Ave) who enlisted with the No. 2 Signalling Co. Canadian Engineers.

and that Capt. F. R. Phelan, #434 Brosvenor Avenue enlisted with the 60th Battalion and transferred to 11th Brigade, was awarded the Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that letters of congratulation be sent to the parents of the soldiers on whom the honours had been bestowed.

The Sec. Treasurer further reported that in a recent list of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appear:

Captain Frank Ross Newman,
Son of Mrs. Newman,
Died of wounds in 765 Sherbrooke St. W. Montreal, London Hospital, Oct. 23/16.

Lieutenant Bertram Gilbert Todd,
87th. Grenadier Guards
Son of Mr. T. M. Todd
Killed in action. 60 Aberdeen Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that letters of condolence be sent to their next of kin together with a copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted.

A letter was submitted from Mr. & Mrs. A. D. Ritchie thanking the Council for their letter of congratulation in reference to the honour conferred upon their son Major Fred Ritchie of the 24th. Battalion.

A letter was submitted from Mr. & Mrs. A. Wallis thanking the Council for their letter of condolence and resolution of sympathy.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following Proces Verbals:

ON THIS Third day of November 1916 we the undersigned: John McKergow, Mayor of the City of Westmount; P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance of the Municipal Council of the City of Westmount; John Knifton of the Montreal Trust Co. forming the Sinking Fund Commission established by By-law #195 of the Council of the said City and Arthur F. Bell, Secretary Treasurer, proceeded to the Incinerator of the City of Westmount and did there and then completely destroy by fire the undermentioned bonds heretofore issued by the said Corporation and also certain attached interest coupons as hereinunder specified, namely:

**BONDS DESTROYED**

Bonds of issue authorized by By-law #221 of the City of Westmount Nos. P262 to P351 inclusive being Seventy (70) bonds in all of the denomination of $500.00 each with coupons 12 to 38 inclusive, attached, said bonds being for a term of 44 years from November 1st, 1910 with interest at 4% per annum maturing 1st. November 1954.

John McKergow, Mayor
P. W. McLagan, Comm. of Finance
J. Knifton, Montreal Trust Co. Arthur F. Bell, Sec. Treas.
ON THIS 3rd. day of November 1916 we the undersigned John McKergow, Mayor of the City of Westmount; Commissioner P. W. McLagan and Arthur F. Bell, Secretary Treasurer, proceeded to the Incinerator of the City of Westmount and did there and then completely destroy by fire:—

The following typewritten bonds, issued temporarily to be set aside under by-law #284 until replaced by lithographed bonds, and which have now been printed and set aside;—

Fifty typewritten bonds set aside dated 1st. Mat 1914 numbered consecutively from E136 to E185, each of a denomination of $1000.00 payable the 1st. day of May 1958 with interest at the rate of 4% per annum.

Fifty typewritten bonds dated 1st. day of May 1916 numbered consecutively from E186 to E235 each of a denomination of $1000.00 payable the 1st. day of May 1959 with interest at the rate of 4% per annum.

Fifty typewritten bonds dated 1st. May 1915 numbered consecutively from E236 to E285 each of a denomination of $1000.00 payable the 1st. day of November 1959 with interest at the rate of 4% per annum.

All of the said typewritten bonds being without coupons.

John McKergow,
Mayor

P. W. McLagan,
Commissioner of Finance

Arthur F. Bell
Sec. Treasurer.

A letter of date 28th. October was submitted from Mr. E. C. Smith, Sub-Agent Bank of Montreal, Westmount, stating that in future they would supply the City with entirely new bills.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned until Tuesday the 21st. inst. at 9.30 p. m.

[Signature]
May or
[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 21st, 1916 AT 10.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following reports of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the taxes imposed on property Cad. 219, Sub. part 65 and part 66 situated on Sherbrooke Street and Cad. 219, Sub. 162 and 163 also situated on Sherbrooke Street amounting to $234.17 and $175.75 be written off and charged up to contingent account. These properties are held respectively by the Westmount Methodist and Westmount Baptist Churches and under agreement the taxes be collectable in the event of the properties being sold instead of used for the construction of Church Buildings.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS under the terms of the Contract executed between the Trustees of the Montreal Turnpike Trust and the Corporation of the Town of Cote St. Antoine on the 4th. day of May 1891 to commute forever the tolls which the said Trust were entitled to exact on that part of their roads lying within the Municipality of the said Town of Cote St. Antoine extending from the western limits of the City of Montreal including part of Dorchester & Sherbrooke Streets, Greene Avenue & Cote St. Antoine Road up to the western limits of the said Municipality containing nine thousand and lineal feet-

It was agreed that:- "The Corporation of the Town of Cote St. Antoine aforesaid do hereby assume the payment to the acquittal and discharge of the said Trustees of the said capital sum of six thousand eight hundred and three dollars and twenty-two cents, when and as soon as the said Trustees of Montreal Turnpike Trust shall have obtained the authority for transferring and ceding the absolute control over the said roads to the said Municipality" and

WHEREAS the said Montreal Turnpike Trust has declared that it is now authorized to transfer and cede the absolute control over the said roads.

Your Committee therefore recommends that upon approval of such deed of cession by the City Solicitor the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer are hereby authorized to sign the said deed on behalf of the City and to pay the said capital sum of six thousand eight hundred and three dollars and twenty-two cents with interest thereon at the rate of six per centum per annum from the 1st. day of November 1916.

The said amount to be taken from the funds now set aside under General Reserve.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd Commissioner of Roads submitted a report of the General Committee as follows:-

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized to proceed with the construction of a sewer in the street known as Lorraine Avenue at an estimated cost of $1,235.00 the cost of the
said construction to be taken from the funds of the General Reserve and upon completion of the work an assessment to be made as the Council may direct of the entire cost of the same upon the fronting proprietors.

On the motion of Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:—

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have been awarded Decorations:—

Lt. Col. Raymond Brutinel,
  Machine Gun Section,
  413 Roslyn Avenue.
Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

Sergt. H. M. Gillmor
  Son of Senator D. Gillmor
  4149 Dorchester St., Westmount
  No. 6 Field Ambulance
Awarded the Military Cross.

Major J. C. K. Carson
  14th Battalion, C E F
  Son of Major General Carson
  4113 Sherbrooke St.
Awarded the Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was resolved that letters of congratulations be sent to Major General Carson— to Senator D. Gillmor and to Lt. Col. Raymond Brutinel direct.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
The minutes of two previous meetings were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following reports of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and payrolls passed by the Committee concerned for the month of November 1916, be approved:

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a contribution of $250 be made to the 21st Westmount Battery, to assist in giving the men of the Battery their equitation course, the amount to be charged to funds available under the Patriotic By-law #309.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a grant of $100 be made to Mrs. Donald Barrie, her husband, who had been a member of the City's Police Force having been killed whilst on active service with the 60th Battalion, C.E.F.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads submitted a report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. C.M. Rudel to erect a garage on the lot at the south east corner of Murray and Montrose Avenue as shown upon plan submitted, the whole to be in accordance with Building By-law and subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission.

E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:—

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the names of several Westmount citizens appear:—

Corp. G. F. Kennedy,
87th. Battalion,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Kennedy,
Killed in action
33 Staynor Avenue.

Sergeant Ed. B. Chafe,
73rd. Highlanders,
Husband of Mrs. Ed. B. Chafe,
Killed in action
109 Westmount Boulevard.

Sergeant Donald Barnie,
60th. Battalion,
Husband of Mrs. Donald Barnie
231 Great Junction Street,
Killed in action.
Leith, Scotland.
Formerly in Police Department.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd it was resolved that these names be incorporated in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence together with copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted be sent to the next of kin.

Letters were submitted from Mr. T. M. Todd and Mr. J. C. Newman acknowledging the Council's letter of sympathy.

A letter was also submitted from Mr. John MacEwan thanking the Council for their letter of congratulation with reference to the award of the Military Medal to his son.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd it was resolved that Council stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 12th. inst. at 9.30 p. m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING,
DECEMBER 12th, 1916 AT 10.30 O'CLOCK AT
WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKargow
Ald. P.W. McLagan
Ald. R. E. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted
a report of the General Committee as follows:-

Your Committee herewith submits drafts of contracts
which it is recommended shall be entered into with the General Manager,
Secretary-treasurer and City Engineer, and it recommends that the Mayor
and Secretary-treasurer or Assistant Secretary treasurer be and are hereby
authorized to sign the said contracts.

It was decided that the contracts be taken as read.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the foregoing report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown in absence of the Commissioner of Roads submitted the following report of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize the
purchase of two steel garbage carts at a cost of $170.00 each, the amount
to be charged to funds available under by-law #285.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of Electric Light Dept. submitted the following report of the General Committee :-

Your Committee recommends that the capital expenditure
to the extent of $25,022.89 expended for the extension of the equipment etc.
of the Electric Light Department be taken from the surplus profits of the plant.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. R. E. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:-

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the
following Westmount citizen has been awarded a Decoration:--

Lieut. Percy Robert Law,
97th. Grenadier Guards
Son of Mrs Robert Law, 450 Elm Avenue.
Awarded the Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that a letter of congratulation be sent to Mrs. Robert
Law, 450 Elm Avenue.
The Sec. Treasurer further reported;

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the name of one Westmount citizen appears;-

Sergeant William Herbert Fitzpatrick,
87th. Grenadier Guards,
Brother of Mrs. Walter Christmas
53 Columbia Avenue
Killed in action November 18th., 1916.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McGagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of the resolution previously adopted be sent to his next of kin.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McGagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor
Sec. Treas.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 2nd, 1917 AT 10 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor, John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd

The minutes of meetings held December 5th. and December 12th. were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following reports:

Your Committee recommends that the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of December 1916 be confirmed:

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<td><strong>89974.12</strong></td>
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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a special subscription of $25.00 to the Westmount Victorian Order of Nurses be made.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the amount of $3869.20 shown in last year’s annual statement as a surplus from Mt. Pleasant Ave. Assessment be transferred to the General Funds also that the sum of $4154.48 being sums received in commutation of assessments for road renewals be transferred to Road Renewal Funds.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the statement of receipts and disbursements of the Sinking Fund Commission of the City in accordance with the various by-laws of the Corporation up to November 1st. 1916 and on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the report be received and printed in the City’s Annual report for the year ending 31st. October 1916.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the Council record its appreciation of the pains-taking and efficient manner in which the Architectural Commission had dealt with the work placed before them since their appointment in May 1916, and the Secretary Treasurer is hereby directed to
forward this expression of the appreciation of the Council to the members of the Commission individually.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Police, Fire and Health Departments submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that tenders for Police Uniforms, boots, caps etc. be accepted as follows:

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<td>Officers' Winter overcoats</td>
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<td>Sergeants &amp; Constables' gloves or mit</td>
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<td>White collars</td>
<td>$1.10 dozen</td>
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<td>JOHN SMITHERS</td>
<td>Officers' leather boots</td>
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<td>Rubber Boots (Fire)</td>
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<td>Rubber Boots (Police)</td>
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<td>CANADIAN RUBBER CO.</td>
<td>Knee length rubber boots</td>
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<td>Rubber coats</td>
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<td>HARRY K. MARTIN</td>
<td>Constables' blue cloth caps</td>
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<td>Firemen's blue cloth caps</td>
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<td>White drill helmets</td>
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The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:

The following Westmount citizens have been decorated by the King:

- do Lt. Col. John A. Gunn, 24th Batt
- do do do do do Sergeant G. T. Riddell, P.P.C.L.I.
- do Corporal Bernard Stevens
- Military Medal Sergeant W. G. Brown, son of Mrs. H.G. Brown
  32 Winchester Av

On motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd it was resolved that letters of congratulation be sent to the men or to their next of kin.

Acknowledgments of grants made were submitted from the Montreal Day Nursery, Protestant Infants' Home, Victorian Order of Nurses, The Home for Incurables, The Salvation Army and the Children's Memorial Hospital.

Letters were submitted from Mrs. K. G. Newman and Mrs. J. R. Christmas thanking the Council for their resolution of sympathy.

A letter was submitted from Mrs. Robt. Law, thanking the Council for their letter of congratulation.
A letter of date December 27th. was submitted from Mr. H. J. Newman thanking the Council for their bonus.

A letter of date December 16th. was submitted from R. B. Bennett, K.C., M.P., Director General National Service enclosing copy of the Registration Card and asking for their earnest and active cooperation of the City.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd it was resolved that the Council having received the letter of the Director of National Service describing the object of the desired registration of Canadian citizenship, earnestly expresses the hope that the citizens of Westmount will frankly, fully and promptly fill up the registration cards which they will receive.

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd expressed his regret that owing to business reasons he would not be able to accept re-nomination as an Alderman for the next term of office and desired to express his appreciation of the good feeling and harmony between the Mayor and Aldermen in the past and expressed the hope that the Mayor, Ald. P. W. McLagan; E. H. Brown, R. B. Common and W. K. Grafftey would be re-elected and that the work of the City would be conducted in the same efficient, harmonious manner as in the past.

The Mayor and Aldermen in reply to Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd expressed their regret that he had found it necessary not to seek re-nomination and they desired to record their appreciation of the valuable work Ald. Shepherd had done for the City during his term of office.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Council adjourn until Tuesday the 9th. January 1917 at 9 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 9th, 1917 AT 9.30 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKergow,
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd

The minutes of meeting of January 2nd. were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

"Your Committee recommends that the payments as per under-noted pay rolls for week ending Jan. 3rd. be confirmed:

Roads 2,459.20
Scavenging 399.76
Parks 230.18
Victoria Hall 13.50
Electric Light 3,082.64
Parks 728.13
Total $3,510.77

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee submits herewith the Annual Report of the City for year ending 31st. October 1916 duly audited and verified, and recommends that the same be accepted, printed and distributed as may be required.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following reports of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that an amount of $1,200.00 be appropriated from By-law #236 for providing equipment required for snow-removal purposes as per the Engineer's report of the 6th. January 1917.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

An application having been received from Mr. Thomas Henry for permission to erect two semi-detached houses on lot Cad. No. 236, Subdivision 12 1/4 on the south side of Cote St. Antoine Road, your Committee recommends that this permit be granted subject to the completed plans being approved by the City Engineer and the Architectural Commission.

On the motion of Ald. W. G. M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

A Greeting Card was submitted from Col. Chas. A. Smart and Staff Head Quarters Canadians Crowborough, Sussex, Eng. and the Sec. Treas. was directed to acknowledge the same.
A letter of date January 9th. was submitted from the Est. of A. S. M. Jacques with reference to #4166 Sherbrooke St. The letter was referred to the General Manager for report to the General Committee.

It was moved by Ald. W.G.M. Shepherd seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan and unanimously resolved that the Mayor's request for leave of absence to the end of April be granted and the hope was expressed that he would have a very enjoyable trip.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signature]
Acting Mayor

[Signature]
Sec.Treasurer
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD
ON TUESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 6TH, 1917 AT 8
O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Alderman E. H. Brown
do P. W. McLagan
do R. B. Common
do W. K. Grafftey
do C. W. H. Rondeau

RE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS JANUARY 1917.

The Secretary Treasurer as Returning Officer reported that
in accordance with the procedure laid down in the City Charter, public no-
tice was given on the 29th December 1916 of the nomination of candidates
to be held on the 8th January 1917 for the offices of Mayor, Five Alder-
men and Public Library Trustees.

On the said last mentioned date and upon the expiration of
the delay fixed therefor, there had been filed with me papers in due form
nominating the following:-

FOR MAYOR:
John McKersgow, Gentleman 343 Kensington Avenue

FOR ALDERMEN;
Robert Barker Common Insurance Broker 4883 Sherbrooke Street
Edward Herbert Brown Insurance Agent 26 Melbourne Avenue
William Knibb Grafftey Merchant 616 Sydenham Avenue
Peter William McLagan Merchant 429 Argyle Avenue
Charles William Henry Rondeau Dentist 407 Metcalfe Avenue

FOR PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEE;
Edgar Alexander Wright Accountant 377 Metcalfe Avenue

Only one nomination having been made for each of the offices
mentioned, the candidates named above were proclaimed elected to the re-
spective offices for which they were nominated.

Public notice to that effect was given by advertisement dated
January 8th, 1917 and all the above persons have since taken the oath of
office.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B.
Common it was unanimously resolved that Ald. E. H. Brown be appointed Act-
ing Mayor for the first quarter commencing February 1st, 1917.

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

WHEREAS the City Charter requires that permanent committees
be appointed at the first session after the general elections; and
WHEREAS By-law #311 requires that a permanent Committee to be
called the General Committee be appointed to supervise the administration
of the several civic departments of the City and to manage such business as
the Council may from time to time assign to it and further to exercise all
the powers and functions of the Board of Health of the City of Westmount
BE it therefore resolved-

1. That the said Committee consist of

Alderman P. W. McLagan; E. Herbert Brown; Robert B. Common;

2. That Alderman P. W. McLagan be appointed Commissioner of
Finance and Municipal Buildings; that Alderman E. Herbert Brown be ap-
pointed Commissioner of Roads, that Alderman Robert B. Common be appointed
Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health; that William K. Grafftey be appointed
Commissioner of Electric Light and Incinerator and that Alderman C. W. H.
3. Be it further resolved that a Finance Committee be appointed consisting of all the members of the Council and that Ald. P. W. McLagan be appointed Chairman of the Finance Committee.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau the foregoing resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Council thereupon adjourned to meet in Committee.

Upon resuming Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the following reports of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of January 1917 be confirmed:

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

The City Solicitor reported that Maryland Casualty Co. had agreed to pay to the City $387.32 being the portion of the City's judgment against Canadian Mineral Rubber Co. in liquidation covered by the Bond of Maryland Casualty Company, upon receiving a proper discharge for the City.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey and resolved that the City Solicitor, upon receiving the sum of $387.32 on behalf of the City be authorized to give full discharge to the Maryland Casualty Company under its Bond.

Your Committee recommends that a contribution of Five Thousand Dollars to the Canadian Patriotic Fund be made from funds available under By-law #309.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Messrs Howard H. Ransom; R. B. Hutcheson and W. Godbee Brown be appointed as City Assessors for the ensuing year at the same remuneration as last year and that Mr. Howard H. Ransom be Chairman of the Board of Assessors.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Messrs Macintosh & Hyde be appointed as City Auditors for year 1916-17 at the same remuneration as last year.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

It was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau and unanimously resolved that Ald. R. B. Common; W. K. Grafftey and C. W. H. Rondeau be appointed to represent the Council on the Library Committee.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Parks submitted the following recommendation:
Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of $179.05 to the Westmount Light & Power Department for installing lights on the skating rinks and slides, to be charged to By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Acting for the Commissioner of roads submitted the following recommendations:

Your Committee recommends that the purchase of two horses for the Road Department at a cost of $520.00 be confirmed, the amount to be charged to Depreciation Reserve.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that authority be given for the purchase of a Studebaker four cylinder roadster at a cost of $1315.00 - $760 to be charged to Depreciation Reserve and $555 to By-law #235 - the balance of $200 to be allowed for old car.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. F. B. Motley to erect a garage on his property at corner of Belvedere & Sunnyside Roads at a distance less than 50 ft. from the street line, the construction to be in accordance with City's by-laws.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to the National Trust Co. to erect a Gasoline Station at the southwest corner of Grosvenor Avenue and Sherbrooke Street, the erection to be in accordance with building by-law.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommend that the following Business Taxes be written off:

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<td><strong>$70.00</strong></td>
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On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that authority be given for the purchase of a four cylinder Chevrolet Runabout for the Light Department at a cost of $675.00 to be charged to Capital Account.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties appears the name of-

Lance Corporal Lawrence Alwin Woodworth
97th. Battalion Grenadier Guards. #177928
Son of Mr. & Mrs. A. E. Woodworth, 210 Milton Street.
Formerly of #646 Grosvenor Ave.
Killed in action.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted be sent to the parents of the fallen soldier.

The Sec. Treasurer further reported that Sergeant L. B. Rogers 5th. Canadian Mounted Rifles, son of Mrs. John Rogers #410 Metcalfe Ave. had recently been awarded the Military Medal in recognition of services overseas and that Major Roger Lewis Sweeny, son of the late Col. Sweeny had been awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that letters of congratulation be sent to their next of kin.

A letter of acknowledgment was received from Mrs. Donald Barnie thanking the Council for their expression of sympathy.

A letter was submitted from Mr. R. Brutinel thanking the Council for their congratulations with reference to the decoration awarded to him by His Majesty the King.

A letter of date January 31st. was submitted from Mr. Wm. Brodie complaining of the condition of the side streets in the City owing to snow being thrown on to the road way from the sidewalks making motor traffic difficult. The letter was referred to the Road Department for consideration. In the meantime the Sec. Treasurer to reply stating that the City was doing everything considered necessary to keep the roads in good condition.

A letter was submitted from the Hon. Provincial Naval Recruiting Secretary, R. N. C. V. R. Overseas Division with reference to the appointment of a Committee for the Province. The Council expressed their willingness to do what they could in this matter and the letter was referred to the General Committee for further consideration.

A letter of date January 12th. was submitted from the British Empire Sailors' Relief Fund, Canada, and referred to the General Committee for further consideration.

A letter of date January 25th. was submitted from Mr. I. D. Williams #458 Victoria Avenue with reference to the rental value of his house. It was decided to refer the letter to the Board of Assessors.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau it was resolved that the congratulations of the Council be sent to Mr. C. A. Duclos a former Mayor of the City of Westmount who had been appointed a Judge of the Superior Court, also to Mr. Justice F. S. Maclean, former City Solicitor who had been appointed as a Judge to the Admiralty Court.

Ald. E. H. Brown former Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health Dept. expressed his appreciation of the support given him by the Chief of Police and other Officials in the department with which he had been connected for the past four years and remarked upon the loyalty of the City of the Chief and other members of the Force.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST-
MOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING
FEBRUARY 27th, 1917 AT 10:30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH
WERE PRESENT:—

Acting Mayor E. H. Brown,
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the fol-
loving recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that a further sum of $250.00 be ap-
propriated for audit expenses for the year 1916-17, the amount to be charged
to Contingent Fund.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B.
Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS MAY 1917:—

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the fol-
loving report of the General Committee:—

The General Committee submits the following with reference to
the Special Assessments to be levied for the cost of the construction of
roads, drains, paving of lanes, etc., during 1916 or prior thereto, state-
ments of costs certified by the City Engineer and plans prepared by the City
Engineer are herewith submitted, and recommends as follows:—

1. That the statement of the City Engineer of the cost of mac-
cadamizing and paving of certain streets and avenues, the construction of
sewers and the paving of lanes be approved; also that the construction of
the sewer in Lorraine Ave. in vitrified tile pipe be approved.

2. That the cost of paving, grading, etc. of Braeside Place,
Academy Road, Park Place and Avenue Road be assessed as follows, viz., two-
thirds of the cost shall be assessed upon the fronting proprietors according
to frontage on each side of the street and according to the frontage at the
northwesterly end of Braeside Place and one-third upon the City, as provided
hereafter in Section #5.

3. That the cost of the construction of the sewer laid in Lor-
raine Avenue shall be borne and paid for according to the frontage of their
respective properties as named hereafter, by the owners of real estate situa-
ted on each side of the said street, with the exception of the corner lots
and by the owners of the real estate fronting on the easterly end of the said
street, viz:—

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<td>208</td>
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4. That the proportion of the cost of the sewer laid in Belgium
Avenue that shall be borne and paid for according to the frontage of the re-
spective properties, hereby by the owners of real estate situated on each
side of the said street, shall be the entire cost, with the exception of
flankage allowance— not to exceed 120 feet—in favor of corner lots on West-
mount Ave. and the Boulevard and intersections.
5. That the difference between the total amounts to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors as above provided, for the paving of Braeside Place, Academy Road, Park Place and Avenue Road and the total cost of the said improvements shall be assessed as the City's share upon the lands only of the whole City, irrespective of the buildings thereon erected, according to the Valuation Roll now in force, in and by means of the special general assessment roll hereafter mentioned.

6. That the difference between the proportion of the cost of the sewer to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors of Belgium Avenue and the total cost of the said improvements including the shares thereof that would fall upon the exempted sections of corner lots be assessed as the City's share upon the lands only of the whole City, irrespective of the buildings thereon erected, according to Valuation Roll now in force in and by means of the special general assessment roll hereafter mentioned.

7. That the whole cost of the paving of the lane bounded by Claremont Avenue, Prince Albert Avenue, Sherbrooke Street and Winchester Avenue as shown upon the plan of the City Engineer herewith submitted be assessed on each proprietor in the lane, according to the frontage assessment roll prepared by the Secretary-Treasurer and submitted herewith.

8. That notice be given according to the Charter to the fronting proprietors of the proportion of the cost of the said improvements to be assessed upon their respective properties and that the Special Assessment Rolls of the proportion of the cost of the said roads, drains, lanes etc. payable as above provided by fronting proprietors be prepared by the Secretary-Treasurer on or before the 6th. March 1917.

9. That the Secretary-Treasurer be further instructed to prepare a Special General Assessment Roll against the lands of the whole City, irrespective of the buildings thereon erected, to levy according to the Valuation Roll now in force at the rate of 2½ mills to provide the amount required to meet the annual interest and the amount required for the Sinking Fund on the loans or portions of loans effected under By-laws 5, 16, 48, 109, 149, 175, 232, 282, 283 and 285 and expended for the Glen Bridge, trunk sewers, drains, opening and making of roads and sidewalks, paving of lanes and other improvements assessable in whole or in part against the lands only of the whole City, irrespective of buildings thereon erected and deposit the same in his office on or before the 6th. March 1917 and thereafter to give public notice that the same will be presented for homologation on the 3rd. April 1917 at 8 p.m.

10. That the above mentioned rolls be submitted to the Council for homologation on the 3rd. April 1917, the Secretary-Treasurer being instructed to give the notices required by law accordingly.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. E. Grafftay this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau expressed himself as being in favor of the movement for utilizing of vacant lots in the City for the purpose of raising vegetables.

The Sec-Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizens have recently been decorated for services overseas:

Lieutenant Charles D. de Gruchy, 636 Balmont Avenue, son of Mr. & Mrs. Philip de Gruchy Awarded Military Cross.

Sergeant Fred C. Rowden, 
60th. Battalion, #457297 
(employees of Westmount Corporation) 
Awarded Military Medal

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau it was resolved the letters of congratulation be sent to Lieutenant Colonel John A. Gunn and Sergeant Fred C. Rowden and to the parents of Lieutenant Charles D. de Gruchy.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a further report as follows:

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the following names of Westmount citizens appear:

Private Wm. Ruddiman, #108971
51 Brooks Avenue
Nephew of Mr. R. J. Dunn
Husband of Mrs. Johanna Ruddiman
Died of wounds.

Private Thomas Sholto Douglas, #133207
501 Mount Pleasant Avenue
Nephew of R. J. Douglas
73rd. Battalion R. E. C.
Killed in action.

Private W. A. Richmond
94 Selby Street
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Richmond
148th. Battalion
Killed in action

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence be sent to the next of kin together with copy of resolution previously adopted.

A letter was submitted from Mrs. F. W. Rogers thanking the Council for their letter of congratulation in reference to the honor conferred on her son Sergeant L. E. Rogers.

A letter of date January 30th. 1917 was submitted from Lieutenant Colonel F. A. Gascoigne, 60th. Battalion, C. E. F. thanking the Council for their letter of congratulation in reference to the honor conferred upon him.


[Signature]
Acting Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING MARCH 6TH, 1917 AT TEN O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Acting Mayor, E. H. Brown
Alderman R. B. Common
do W. K. Grafftey
do P. W. McLagan
do C. W. H. Rondeau

The minutes of meetings held during the month of February were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted a report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of February 1917 be confirmed:

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<td>$38375.15</td>
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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to Mr. J. S. Archibald, Mr. R. Findlay, Mr. D. H. Macfarlane, and D. Norman MacVicar the hearty thanks of the Council for the excellent work they have done during the time that they have been members of the Architectural Commission.


CULTIVATION OF VACANT LOTS

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was unanimously resolved:

1. That owners of vacant lots be requested to cultivate them wherever possible

2. That those having vacant lots and not intending to use them for other purposes tender them to the City for cultivation purposes on or before the 15th. April.
3. That those persons wishing to have the use of lots for cultivation, apply to the City Hall on or before the 15th. April.

The City undertaking to plow and harrow the ground at cost for those citizens who wish to have such work done and in the event of application being made by returned Soldiers the plowing to be done free of charge.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau further announced that it had been decided to grant the use of the New City Hall Site to the members of the Police and Fire Force to be used by them for the purpose of raising vegetables and that prizes would be awarded for the best garden plots throughout the City.

The Secretary Treasurer reported that in accordance with resolutions of Council passed the 27th. February the Special Assessment Rolls had been prepared and were deposited in the City Hall for the inspection of the ratepayers.

A letter of date February 26th. was submitted from the Director of National Service stating that the returns of the National Service Cards from the Province of Quebec did not compare at all favorably with those from other provinces, also enclosing a poster stating that the time for the return of the completed cards has been extended until the 31st. of March 1917.

It was decided to have this notice published in the press and the Sec. Treasurer was directed to reply stating that so far as known the returns from the Citizens of Westmount were quite satisfactory but should the Department of National Service have information to the contrary, upon receipt of same the City would take what steps they could to have the cards duly filled out as desired.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizens, who are serving the Allies overseas, have recently been decorated by the King:-

Nursing Sister Christina Cameron,
1265 Greene Avenue,
Awarded First Class Order of the Royal Red Cross.

Lieut. Charles S. Martin,
1 Murray Avenue,
Son of Mrs. R. D. Martin
5th. Canadian Mounted Rifles,
Awarded Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. F. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that the congratulations of Council be sent to Miss Cameron and to Mrs. R. D. Martin.

A letter of date March 5th. was submitted from Mr. Philip de Gruchy thanking the Council for their congratulations in reference to the honor conferred upon his son.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD
ON TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 20th, 1917, AT 11
O’CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;

Acting Mayor E. H. Brown
Alderman R. B. Common
do C. W. H. Rondeau
do W. K. Grafftey

Ald. W. K. Grafftey acting for the Commissioner of
Finance submitted the following report of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the Secretary Treas-
urer be authorized to make application on behalf of the City for $60,000
of the New Dominion War Loan Bonds, the application to be made through bond
brokers as decided by the Committee.

R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that this report be adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey submitted a further report of the
General Committee as follows;-

Your Committee submits herewith an agreement to be
made in duplicate, between the Bell Telephone Company of Canada and the City
of Westmount the said agreement to supplement the agreement made under
date of February 7th, 1912 providing for the use by either party of the
poles of the other party for supporting and carrying wires, cables, fix-
tures and attachments under the terms and conditions therein set forth, and
your Committee recommends that Acting Mayor E. Herbert Brown and the Secre-
tary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to execute and sign the same
on behalf of the City of Westmount.

C. W. H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.

Acting for the Commissioner of Roads, Ald. R. B. Com-
mon submitted a report of the General Committee as follows;-

Your Committee submits herewith plans of the City En-
gineer dated November 27th, 1916 and December 16th, 1916 showing the lanes
lying between Gladstone and Atwater Avenues and Zupper St. and Dorchester
St. between Bathurst St. and Bleenheim Place and south of St. Catherine St.
between Bleenheim Place and Lewis Ave. south of St. Catherine; between Lewis
and Irvine Avenues and south of St. Catherine and north of the C. P. R.
Track; between Irvine and Abbott Avenues south of St. Catherine and north
of the C. P. R. Track; East of Abbott Ave. south of St. Catherine and north
of the C. P. R. Track; and your Committee recommends that the Engineer be
directed to proceed when weather conditions permit with the paving in, con-
crete of these lanes, estimated $23,300, as per statement contained in
the report of the Engineer for the year 1917, also submitted herewith, at $23,300
and the assessments covering the cost of the same to be levied after the completion of the work
as required by the said by-law #283.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald.
W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows;-

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties
the following names appear;—
Sergeant Henry James Hillyer, #132620  
73rd. Battalion, R. H. C.  
Corporation Employee,  
Husband of Mrs. H. J. Hillyer  
1093B Wellington St, Verdun  
Killed in action.

Lance Corporal Lewis John Almon #435572  
Brother of J. J. C. Almon. 573 Grosvenor Av  
50th. Battalion.  
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be sent to their next of kin.

A letter of date March 7th. was submitted from the Milton Hersey Co. Ltd. in reference to paving work for 1917 and referred to the General Committee for consideration.

A letter of date March 12th. from the Single Tax Assce. of Ontario, in reference to the cultivation of vacant lots was also referred to the General Committee for consideration.

The Sec. Treasurer reported the receipt of an anonymous letter from a citizen of Somerville Avenue and the Council refused to have the same read.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON
TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 3RD, 1917 AT 11
O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;-

Acting Mayor E. H. Brown, presiding
Alderman P. W. McLagan
do W. K. Grafftey
do R. B. Common
do C. W. H. Rondeau

The minutes of meeting held during the month of March were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the report of the General Committee as follows;-

Your Committee recommends that payment of the following Accounts and Pay Rolls for the month of March 1917 be confirmed;-

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$18,784.09

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further report of the General Committee as follows;-

Your Committee recommends that the Assessors be instructed to revise the Valuation Roll of 1916 according to articles 437 et seq. of the Charter giving the following particulars and deposit the roll in the office of the Council on or before the 31st. July 1917;-

1. The number of each entry or item.
2. Names of owners in full.
3. Names of tenants or occupiers.
5. Names of persons qualified to vote on income as provided in the Quebec Election Act.
6. Cadastral and sub-division numbers of each lot or part of lot.
7. Street number of each building.
8. Superficial area of each lot.
9. Add value of new buildings which have been constructed or completed since the making of the Valuation Roll.
10. Annual value and annual rental paid by tenants.
11. Occupation of all persons entered in the roll.
12. Domicile of all persons entered in the roll.
13. Salary of all sons of proprietors or sons of tenants entered in the roll.
14. Salary of all entered on the Roll under No. 5, In the occupation column specify if
15. Aliens
16. Officers of His Majesty's Courts.
17. Registrars.
18. Managers and clerks of incorporated banks.

19. Officers of the Army and Navy on active service.

20. Officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the active militia.

21. Persons over 65 years of age.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. E. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the report of the Sec. Treasurer with reference to Interest and Sinking Fund payable 1st. May 1917 and on motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be authorized to make the following payments for:

- Interest to the Sinking Fund Commission: $9,142.50
- Sinking Fund to the Sinking Fund Commission: $30,508.33
- Total payment to the Sinking Fund payable: $39,650.83
- To the Bank of Montreal for interest coupons payable: $78,555.00
- Interest on City of Montreal bonds payable: $80.00
- Total payment: $118,265.83

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common, Acting for the Commissioner of Roads submitted the report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to proceed with the construction of concrete steps at the head of Wood Avenue at an estimated cost of $725.00 funds to be taken from By-law #285.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of Electric Light Department submitted the report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that part of the cost of ruby and green globes for Fire & Police Boxes equivalent to the difference between the cost of the globes being replaced and the new globes be charged to the electric light capital account By-law #294 ($170.65).

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I beg to submit herewith a Special General Assessment Roll laying according to the valuation in force the amount required to meet the annual interest and one per centum required for Sinking Funds on the loans or portions of loans affected under By-laws Nos. 5- 16- 48- 109- 149- 175- 222- 232- 233- and 285 and expended for the Glen Bridge, trunk sewers, drains, paving and making of roads, sidewalks, paving of lanes and for other improvements assessable in whole or in part against the lands only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected at the rate of 24 mills on the dollar prepared in accordance with the resolution of Council of February 27th. 1917.

I also beg to report that the said roll was deposited in the Office of the Council 6th. March 1916 and public notice given as required by the Charter, further that no complaints have been filed with me respecting the same.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that the said General Assessment Roll submitted by the Sec. Treasurer be and is hereby homologated and that the tax or assessment at the rate mentioned shall be due and exigible from proprietors on the first day of May 1917.
The Sec. Treasurer further submitted the Special Assessment Roll of assessments to be levied against fronting proprietors for the cost of the construction of roads, drains and paving of lanes during 1916 or prior thereto, prepared in accordance with resolution of Council of February 27th, 1917.

He also submitted complaints against the assessments made for the paving of the lane bounded by Prince Albert & Claremont Avenues Sherbrooke St and Winchester Avenue, from John H. Finnie, M. D. #4930 Sherbrooke St.; M. K. McDonald, Executor of the Est. J. K. McDonald, #21 Winchester Avenue; The Estate Mrs. E. McKenzie, #223 Winchester Avenue; D. J. M. Darling #4282 Dorchester Street; D. Ross McCord, Temple Grove, Cote Des Neiges; J. E. Higgins, #29 Winchester Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the homologation of this Special Assessment Roll be postponed until the 17th. of April to allow of the interested parties making satisfactory arrangements whereby the lane in question could be used as one common lane.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a proposed By-law to amend Building Bylaw #266 and on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the bylaw was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald.

W. K. Grafftey the bylaw was read a second time.


C. W. H. Rondeau the bylaw was read a third time.

By-law #325 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Sec. Treasurer intimated having received through the City Solicitor, in accordance with the authorization of minutes of March 28th, 1916, cheque, notes and discharged accounts amounting to $1300.00 in settlement of amount due by Mr. W. A. Matley and W. F. Heney for the cost of the opening and development of Westmount Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. B Common the Sec. Treasurer was authorized to sign the form of receipt and discharge, submitted.

A letter of date March 9th. was submitted from Sergt. G. T. Riddell thanking the Council for their letter of congratulation.

A letter of date 31st. March was submitted from Mr. J. C. C. Almon thanking the Council for their letter of condolence and resolution of sympathy.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the Mayor call a public meeting of the citizens of Westmount to be held in Victoria Hall on the evening of April 23rd. or other date suitable to Lt. Col. P. E. Blondin to give the citizens an opportunity of expressing their appreciation of the patriotic and self-sacrificing act of the Hon. P. E. Blondin in giving up his Cabinet position as Post Master General for the purpose of raising a French Canadian regiment for overseas service and that General E. W. Wilson; Major General F. L. Lessard; Lt. Col. P. E. Blondin and his Officers and the Officers of the 58th. Westmount Rifles be invited to attend.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council adjourn until April 17th. at 9:30 p.m.
Minutes of Proceedings at an Adjourned General Session of the Municipal Council of the City of Westmount at a Meeting Held on Tuesday Evening, April 17th, 1917 at 11 O'clock at Which Were Present:

Ald. E. H. Brown, Acting Mayor
  do  P. W. McLagan
  do  R. E. Common
  do  W. K. Grafftey

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the following report of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Secretary Treasurers be and is hereby authorized to sell to Wood Gundy & Co, fifty-three one thousand dollar Dominion of Canada War Loan Bonds payable in 1937 at 96% flat, and that the Secretary Treasurers be and is hereby authorized on behalf of the City of Westmount to assign and transfer the interim certificates for the said bonds and to guarantee the transfer of the said interim certificates to bearer bonds as soon as the latter are ready.

Also that the Secretary Treasurers be and is hereby authorized to sell to Wood Gundy & Co. fifteen one thousand dollar Dominion of Canada War Loan Bonds payable 1931 at 97% and interest and the Secretary Treasurer is hereby authorized on behalf of the City of Westmount to assign and transfer the said bonds or to have them exchanged for bearer bonds.

It is further recommended that the Secretary Treasurers be and is hereby authorized to purchase from Wood Gundy & Co. Seventy-six thousand dollar 4% bonds of the City of Westmount due 1st. May 1960 deliver-y to be made on the 1st. May 1917 at 88.02% and interest.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common acting for the Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following reports of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. L. Skaife to build a garage on his property at the S. W. corner of Montrose Ave. and Church Hill as per plans submitted, at a distance less than 50 feet from street line, the erection to be in conformity with the Building By-law.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize the City Engineer to proceed with the following works at estimated cost to be charged as follows:

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On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of Electric Light Department submitted the reports of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize the work of placing conduits in the lanes south of St. Catherine St. between Abbott Avenues and Bethune St. and between Tupper Street & Dorchester Street, at an estimated cost of $3000.00 and $600.00 respectively, the amount to be charged to surplus profits on Capital Account.
On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize alterations to the equipment of the Electric Light Department, at an estimated cost of $1000.00 to be taken from surplus profits on Capital Account.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appear:

Lieutenant George C. Smyth,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Smyth,
433 Lansdowne Avenue,
24th. Battalion.
Killed in action.

Private C. V. Hood,
Husband of Mrs. C. V. Hood,
1084 Greene Avenue,
Killed in action. 66th. Battalion.

Captain H. F. Sare,
Husband of Mrs. H. F. Sare
57 Bruce Avenue,
Killed in action. 87th. Battalion.

Lieutenant Chas. B. Finling,
Son of C. W. Finling,
177 Edgehill Road
Died of wounds. 42nd. Battalion, formerly with 3rd. General Hospital.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with resolution of sympathy previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

A letter of date April 8th. was submitted from Mrs. J. C. Hillyer thanking the Council for their letter of condolence and resolution of sympathy.

HOMOLOGATION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL:

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT resolved that the Special Assessment Roll levying upon fronting proprietors the cost of the construction of the sewer in Lorraine Ave.; and the cost of the sewer in Belgium Avenue; the cost of the construction of the road on Academy Road and Park Place; cost of the construction of the road on Clarke Avenue and Avenue Road; and the cost of construction of the road on Brasside Place all as authorized by By-laws Nos. 47; 221; 235 and 286 etc. and as deposited in the office of the City of Westmount on the 6th. day of March 1917 by the Sec. Treasurer, be and is hereby homologated.

BE IT further resolved that the assessments therein levied shall become due and exigible on the last day of May 1917 and that the proprietors interested may exercise the option of paying the said costs as follows:

The cost of the construction of the sewer in Lorraine Ave. and in Belgium Av. may be paid in 44 annual instalments of 1% for sinking fund and 5% for interest, a total annual instalment of 5%, the first of the said instalments
shall be due and exigible on the 1st. day of May 1917; and the cost of the construction of the roads in Academy Road, Park Place, Clarke Avenue, Avenue Road and Brasside Place may be paid in 14 annual instalments of 52% for sinking fund and 5% for interest, a total annual instalment of 10%; the first of the said instalments shall be due and exigible on the 1st. day of May 1917.

BE IT further resolved that the Special Assessment Roll levying the cost of the construction of the pavement in the lane or lanes situated between Claremont Ave., Prince Albert Avenue, Winchester Ave. and Sherbrooke St. be postponed for further consideration to the 24th. day of April 1917.

An invitation for the Mayor and Aldermen to attend the inauguration of the newly elected Mayor and Council of the City of Verdun to be held Tuesday evening April 10th. 1917 was submitted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McEachan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftsey it was resolved that Council adjourn to the 24th. April at 9:30 p. m.
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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT AN ADMOURED SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING APRIL 24th, 1917 AT 10.45 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Ald. E. H. Brown, Acting Mayor
do P. W. McLagan
do R. B. Common
do W. K. Grafftey
do C.W.H. Rondeau

Ald. R. B. Common Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health, submitted reports of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that in view of the increasing number of Automobiles and Motor Vehicles and the necessity for their regulation the Council authorizes the Chief of Police, Thomas Moffitt, Inspector of Police William Wren, Sergeants of Police Charles Vickers and William Gilhooly to institute and prosecute legal proceedings against any all offenders under the Act respecting Motor Vehicles, taking such action in the name of the Corporation and for such purpose being subrogated in all the requisite powers which the Council can confer.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize the General Manager to negotiate for the purchase of a chassis to which to transfer the body and fire equipment of motor hose truck at #2 Fire Station, at a cost not to exceed $6400.00 to be charged as follows:

Depreciation Reserve $2090.00
General Reserve 4310.00 $6400.00

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Acting for the Commissioner of Roads submitted a further recommendation of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that Commitments authorized May 2nd, 1916 be cancelled as follows:

By-law #282, sheet asphalt roadway Grosvenor Av. from Sunnyside northwards $1750.00
By-law #282, do do do Upper Belmont from Sunnyside southwards 1225.00
By-law #282, do do do and asphalt macadam roadway
Sunnyside from Victoria Av. to West Cres. Heights 11550.00
By-law #285, Asphalt and granite block roadway, Boulevard from Lansdowne Av to Belmont Av 6025.00
Roads Renewal, asphalt and granite block roadway, Clarke Av.
foot of hill 100 feet northwards 1150.00

$21700.00

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that Ald. P. W. McLagan be appointed Acting Mayor for the ensuing three months, May, June and July and on the motion of Ald. W.K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. R.B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. Molagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau it was resolved that the homologation of the Special Assessment Roll in connection with the paving of the lane situated between Sherbrooke St., Winchester, Prince Albert and Claremont Avenues be postponed until next meeting of the Council, Tuesday the 1st. May.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:—

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the following names of Westmount citizens appear:—

Lieut. Marvin J. Workman, 333 Kensington Avenue, killed in action. Son of Mr. & Mrs. Chas. A. Workman, 333 Kensington Avenue, formerly with Army Dental Corps.

Sergeant J. C. Macfarlane Jr., 4275 Dorchester St., killed in action while acting as Lieutenant. Son of Mr. J. C. Macfarlane, 4275 Dorchester St.

Corporal A. V. Brown, 4118 Western Avenue, died at Lake Edward, Que. 14th. Battalion, V. Rifles. Son of Mr. & Mrs. W. Brown, 4118 Western Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. Molagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

A letter of date April 11th. was submitted from Mr. M. Martin, Mayor of Montreal, in reference to the license imposed by the Provincial Government on automobiles and suggesting that the Municipalities co-operate for the purpose of applying to the Government requesting that at least half of the revenue derived from this source be paid to the Municipalities. The Council expressed itself as being in sympathy with the proposal and the Sec. Treasurer was directed to inform Mayor Martin that the City of Westmount would co-operate in every way and would appoint a delegate to attend a conference of the Municipalities when arrangements for same were made.

A letter of date April 19th. was submitted from the Sec. of St. Andrews Church, Westmount, thanking the Council for the privilege that they had had of using the Council room for Sunday School purposes.

Letters were submitted from Nurse Christina E. Cameron and Lt. Col. J. A. Gunn thanking the Council for their letters of congratulation.

An acknowledgment was submitted from Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Smyth thanking the Council for their expression of sympathy with them in their recent bereavement.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. Molagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signature]
Acting Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING MAY 1st, 1917, AT 10 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The minutes of meetings held during the month of April were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance, submitted the recommendations of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of May 1917 be confirmed:

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize the appropriation of an amount of one hundred dollars for the purchase of a plough and harrows, to be charged to funds available under by-law #235.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the name of a Westmount citizen appears as follows:

Private R.H. Hamilton,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Hamilton
421 Metcalfe Avenue,
Universities Company, P.E. C. L. I.
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with resolution of Council previously adopted be sent to his parents.

Letter and acknowledgment of the Council's resolution of sympathy was received from the following:
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau it was resolved to refer back to the General Committee the special assessment roll for the paving of lane in the section bounded by Sherbrooke St. and Winchester Avenue between Prince Albert and Claremont Avenues, the Committee to submit a report with recommendation at next meeting of Council.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council adjourn until Tuesday the 8th. May at 9:30 p.m.
For visit of Duke of Devonshire
look in Committee Minute Book
April 1st. 1919.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING
HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 8th, 1917, AT
10 p. m. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow,
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following reports
of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize a grant
of $600.00 towards the expenses of the band of the 58th Westmount Rifles
giving concerts in Westmount Park during the months of June, July, August
and September, the number of concerts to be not less than sixteen, the
amount to be paid in four monthly installments of $150.00 each and charged
to funds available under By-law #309.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.
H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council confirm the pay-
ment of $150.00 for special work in connection with the New City Hall, the
amount to be charged to funds available under By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B.
Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted the
recommendation of the General Committee as follows:—

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to
Mr. O. J. Miller to erect a temporary garage at the rear of #47 Brooke Avenue
facing on Selby Street, at a distance less than 50 feet from street line,
as per plans submitted to the Architectural Commission.

Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau Commissioner of Parks submitted the
following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize an
amount of $1000.00 for leveling and grading of new park, to be charged to
funds available under by-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Alf. W.K.
Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common Commissioner of Police Fire & Health
submitted the report of the General Committee as follows:—

That the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be authorized to sign
a contract with the American La France Fire Engine Co. of Canada for the
new automobile Hose Wagon contracted for by the General Manager.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P.W.
McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
The report of the Sec. Treasurer was submitted as follows;—

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the following names of Westmount citizens appear;—

Private Leland St. Westover,
38th. Battalion, C. E. F.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Oscar D. Westover, Sutton P. Q.
Formerly of #4821 St. Catherine Street
Killed in action.

Private Ralph R. Staveley,
F. P. C. L. I.
Son of Mr. Thos. Staveley, 1113 Greens Avenue
Presumed to have died.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence together with copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

Homologation of assessment roll for lanes.
In reference to this a letter was submitted from D. J. M. Darling of date May 7th. asking that the homologation be deferred for one week.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the homologation of the roll be postponed until next meeting.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Graff it was resolved that Council adjourn until Tuesday the 15th. inst. at 9.30 p.m.

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT
A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 15th,
1917 AT 10:15 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKergow,
Ald. P. W. McKean
Ald. R. H. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Graffey
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted recommendations of the General Committee as follows:-

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. A. C. Burgess to erect a garage on cadastre 218 subdivisions parts 173/4 at the North East corner of Westmount Avenue and Roslyn Avenue at a distance less than 50 feet from street line, as per plans approved by the Architectural Commission.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McKean this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize the acceptance of tenders for supplies in accordance with report of Engineer as follows:

**ORDINARY PIPE**

W. McNally & Co. Ltd.

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**W. McNally & Co.**

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The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

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Any part above Cote Road
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National Brick Co.

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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

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The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

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Lance Sergeant James D. Fessenden
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Gunner Charles W. Muckle,
Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Muckle
71 Staynor Avenue
Died of wounds

Lieut. Clifford A. Wells,
P.P.C. L. I.
Son of Mrs. (Dr.) O. C. S. Wallace
4831 Western Avenue
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McIagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence together with copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

Acknowledgments were received from Mr. Henry Hamilton and from Mr. & Mrs. Oscar Westover thanking the Council for their resolution of sympathy.
A hearty word of greeting was extended by the City of Westmount to Marshal Joffre, when the procession was turning up Atwater avenue from Dorchester street. It was not on the official programme, but as Atwater avenue is the border line of Westmount, and the Marshal was good enough to stop for a moment, Mayor McKergow and the aldermen felt that the opportunity was too good to be lost and seized the chance to express their appreciation of the great soldier in a cause for which so many of Westmount's sons have died.

Mayor McKergow, the members of the council and others were present when the address was presented. There was a pretty incident when Miss Ellen McLagan, daughter of Commissioner McLagan, moved forward and presented the hero with a bouquet of flowers. Taking the flowers with a kindly smile, and placing them in the car, the Marshal reached forward, shook hands with the young lady, and then lifted her hand to his lips in gallant fashion.

The address reads as follows:

“Mr. Marshal of France:—The City of Westmount is very proud and very honored, indeed, to see and acclaim the hero of the Marne, and we beg to salute and welcome you. With enthusiasm do we beg to offer you a feeble expression of the high esteem and the profound veneration that we have for you.”

The address speaks of the regard which the whole civilized democratic world has for 'Papa Joffre' in having stopped the flow of the German barbaric invader, which menaced the whole world. The address concludes:

“Be good enough, Marshal Joffre, to accept an expression of our deep thanks, and the homage of our sincere esteem, the assurance of our profound sympathy for France, and of our feeling towards such a noble cause as that of the Allies.”

It was signed “The mayor, aldermen and citizens of Westmount.”
A letter of date May 14th. was submitted from Lieut. Col. C. M. Strange thanking the Council for their contribution of $600.00 towards Regimental Band expenses.

The General Manager was requested to prepare an estimate of the cost of erecting a Band Stand in the Park.

A letter of date May 8th. was submitted from Lieut. E. C. Budge 21st. Westmount Battery thanking the Council for a grant of $250.00 given to assist the men in their equitation course during the winter.

Ald. E. H. Brown reported that he had inspected the Battery on Wednesday evening the 9th. inst. and stated that the City had good reason to be proud of them.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the homologation of Special Assessment Roll re lanes be postponed until next meeting.

With reference to the visit of Marshal Joffre, Ald. P. W. McLagan reported that when it became known that the route of the procession would pass within the boundaries of Westmount, arrangements had been made which allowed of the City officially honouring Marshal Joffre with presentation of an illuminated address.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey expressed the thanks and appreciation of the members of Council to Mayor John McKergow, Acting Mayor P. W. McLagan and the Secretary Treasurer A. F. Bell, for the timely action that they had taken so as to allow of the Council and citizens of Westmount doing honour to Marshal Joffre on his visit to the City.

Ald. Grafftey’s remarks were heartily endorsed by Ald. C. W. H. Ronteau and the other members of Council.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Ronteau it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer send a letter of thanks and appreciation to Rev. Brother Director Martial, of St. Leo’s Academy for his patriotic and kindly action in writing the address in French and having it illuminated and engrossed.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 5th, JUNE, 1917 AT 11 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau
Mayor John McKergow

The minutes of meetings held during the month of May were confirmed.

The following reports of the General Committee were submitted by Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize that a contribution of $1,000 be made to the work of the Canadian Overseas Military Y. M. C. A. the amount to be charged to Patriotic By-law #209.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the sale of 50 bonds, each of a denomination of $1000.00 of By-law #221 at 88.02% and interest, to the Sinking Fund Commission be and is hereby confirmed.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Parks submitted reports of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that base for a permanent Bandstand be erected in Park at an estimated cost of $325.00 amount to be charged to capital funds, under By-law #235.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that this Council agree to the St. George Snow Shoe Club applying to the Provincial Government for a renewal of its license for the use of the billiard table in the club house.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of Electric Light Department submitted the report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the tender of May 30th, 1917 of the Canadian Westinghouse Company for the year's supply of transformers be accepted and amount charged to capital account, By-law #224.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have received recognition of their services for the Empire Overseas:

1. P. W. McLagan
2. W. K. Grafftey
3. R. B. Common
4. E. H. Brown
5. C. W. H. Rondeau
6. John McKergow
Major General John Wallace Carson,
4113 Sherbrooke Street,
Knighted by King George.

Col. Charles A. Smart, M. L. A.
25 Sunnyside Avenue,
10th. Infantry Brigade
Companion of St. Michael and St. George.

Lieut. Col. Raymond Brutinel,
413 Roslyn Avenue,
Machine Gun.
The Order of Cavalier of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus conferred by the King of Italy.

Lieut. Col. James Vincent O'Donohoe,
199th. Battalion,
422 Wood Avenue.
Distinguished Service Order.

Captain Jas. Colin Kemp,
420 Wood Avenue
60th. Battalion
Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. F. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the congratulations of the Council be sent to those named in the above report.

Further reports of the Sec. Treasurer were submitted, as follows:— I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appeared:—

Lieut. John Haines Hannaford,
143 Grey Avenue, formerly of Grosvenor Avenue.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. R. H. Hannaford.
Killed in action.

Lieut. Gordon MacKay,
224 Addington Avenue,

I regret to have to report that it has been reported and the information only recently been acquired by me that the following deaths have occurred of citizens of Westmount who were serving overseas:—

Corporal J. R. Morgan
Son of Mrs. J. Morgan
66 Russell Road, Liverpool, Eng.
60th. Battalion, formerly resided on Selby St
Died of wounds about six months ago.

Private Archibald Cameron,
Brother of Mrs. Little,
1285 Greene Avenue.
Killed in action 1914. P.P.C.L.I.

Sergeant George Nelson,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. T. R. Nelson,
445 Prince Albert Avenue
King's Rifles.
Killed in action 1916.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence and copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

Acknowledgments were submitted from Mr. & Mrs. Chas. C. Fessenden and Mr. & Mrs. John M. Muckle thanking the Council for their resolution of sympathy.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the homologation of the Special Assessment Roll for lanes be postponed until next meeting of Council.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the Council stand adjourned to the 12th, inst. at 9.30 p.m.

[Signatures]

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Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING
HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 12TH, 1917
AT 11.15 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Crafftey
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau
Mayor John McKergow.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted
the following report of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the payment of the fol­
lowing accounts and pay rolls for the month of May 1917 be confirmed.

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On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B.
Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted reports
of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize an ex­
penditure of $600.00 for the purpose of constructing sidewalks on Lans­
downe Avenue and St. Catherine St., at the openings of the original line of
Lansdowne Avenue which was intended to run through to St. Catherine St.
opposite Bethune St. The amount to be charged to By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. R.B.
Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize that
the water trough on Cote St. Antoine Road near Arlington Avenue be removed
and that a new trough be built on the east side of Argyle Avenue between
Sherbrooke St. and Cote St. Antoine Road at an estimated cost of $100.
to be charged to funds available under by-law #221 and that a further ex­
penditure be authorized for the placing of a bubbler at the trough for
drinking purposes.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H
Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council refuse to grant
permit to Mr. I. Rexford to erect a garage on property situated at north
east corner of Argyle and Montrose Avenues as per his letter of June 12th.
1917, but do recommend the granting of a permit for a garage to be located
on section marked "A" on plan submitted at a distance less than 50 ft.
from street line subject to plans of building being approved by Architec­
tural Commission and in accordance with building by-law.
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Homologation of Special Assessment Roll re lanes, deferred until next meeting of Council.

A letter of date April 6th. was submitted from Major R.C.L. Sweeney thanking the Council for their letter of congratulations.

A letter of date June 7th. was submitted from Lieut. Col. C. M. Strange, O.C. 58th. Westmount Rifles thanking the Council for their cheque for $150.00 being the first of four instalments of subscription towards band expenses.

Letters were submitted from Sir. Fredk. Williams-Taylor, Hon. Treas. and Mr. John W. Ross, Chairman of Military Service Fund, thanking the Council for their subscription of $1000.00 towards the Y.M.C.A. Overseas Work.

Ald. P. W. McLagan moved the adoption of the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Westmount that the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada be, and is hereby, urged to enact,

FIRST- the selective conscription of the whole manhood of the nation for such military or other service as each man is fitted bearing in mind in making the selection the requirements in man power of those industries which are necessary to the carrying on of the war, and those families whose members have to a reasonable extent already volunteered their services.

SECOND- the taxation of the material wealth of the nation, in a way that will bear evenly and justly upon all citizens not bearing arms, to the extent that is fully necessary to maintain warlike effort and to fully care for the dependents of soldiers and for disabled soldiers.

THIRD- that discussion of all issues and measures of a party-political character be dropped until the war is over.

Be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Speaker of the House of Commons, the Prime Minister, Sir R. Borden and the Leader of the Opposition, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Member of Parliament for County of Hochelaga.

The motion was seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau and unanimously adopted, the Mayor and each of the members of Council expressing their approval.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council adjourn until Tuesday evening the 19th. inst. at 9.30.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 19th. JUNE 1917 AT 9.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. R. B. Common
Mayor John McKergow

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the homologation of Special Assessment Roll re Lanes, be deferred until first regular meeting of Council.

A letter of date June 7th. was submitted from Dr. A. Jde Bray Editor of Pro Belgica with reference to protestations which have been made throughout the world against the deportation of Belgians by the Germans and request that the lists sent should be signed by the Mayor, the aldermen, officials and employees of the various Municipal Departments. Lists were passed round for signature as requested.

Acknowledgments of the Council's resolution of sympathy and letter of condolence were submitted from Mr. & Mrs. R. Maitland Hannaford and Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Nelson.

Letters were submitted from Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Mr. Patenaude acknowledging receipt of copy of resolution in support of conscription adopted by the Council at a meeting held on the 12th. June.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signatures]—
Mayor
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING JULY 3rd, 1917 AT 11 O' CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The minutes of three previous meetings were confirmed.

It was moved by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau and seconded by Ald. R. B. Common that the homologation of the Special Assessment Roll relating be deferred to the next regular meeting of the Council and that the Secretary Treasurer be directed to submit at that meeting a revision of the Roll as per instructions of the General Committee and that the homologation of the Roll be definitely and finally considered at that meeting.

A letter of acknowledgment of the receipt of a copy of resolution adopted by this Council concerning conscription was received from Mr. Albert Sevigny.

A card of acknowledgment from Dr. O. C. S. Wallace was also read to the Council.

A letter from Messrs Dupras & Colas was read to the Council.

On motion of Commissioner P. W. McLagan seconded by Commissioner E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council adjourn.

Mayor
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE
7th. AUGUST 1917, AT 9.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE
PRESENT;-

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau
Ald. P. W. McLagan

Minutes of meeting of July 3rd. were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted re­
ports of the General Committee as follows;-

Your Committee recommends that the payment of the following
accounts and pay rolls for the month of June 1917 be confirmed;-

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Rondeau these reports were unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Council does hereby
confirm the sale to Messrs Wood, Gundy & Co. of $26,500 Dominion of Canada
War Loan 5% bonds, maturing 1st. October 1931 at 96.92 and interest and the
purchase in exchange from Wood, Gundy & Co. of City of Westmount bonds as fol­

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City of Westmount accept the cession of the property presently known as Waredale Park consisting of roads, central plot with shade trees and such plots as are common to all the proprietors the proprietors to furnish satisfactory certificates of title and to produce title deeds and the City of Westmount to undertake the construction and maintenance of roadways, sewers and sidewalks at as early a date as it may be possible to secure the authorization according to law of the expenditures thus required. The assessments to cover the cost of construction of roads and sewers to be levied as is customary upon the fronting proprietors with the option to have the payment of the same extend over the usual periods and the assessments to cover the cost of sidewalks levied as usual upon the City as a whole.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of Roads submitted reports of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. E. Liereau #551 Grosvenor Avenue, Cad. 219, Sub. 116 to construct a garage as an extension to his house in accordance with plans submitted and approved by the Architectural Commission. The erection to be at a distance less than 50 feet from street line, and in all other respects conforming to requirements of City's By-laws.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that upon approval of the plans by the City Engineer and the Architectural Commission a permit be granted to W. J. Greer to build an addition to his public garage on St. Catherine St. opposite Clarke Av. the height of the building with the addition to be not less than 30 feet.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the purchase of two horses for the Road Department at $420.00, funds to be taken out of Depreciation Reserve (authorized by the Committee, December 19th, 1916.)

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the appropriation made by the Council on April 28th, 1915 for $2,450.00 for the paving of Clarke Ave. to the foot of the hill be rescinded.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

In connection with the foregoing Ald. E. H. Brown explained that this commitment was being cancelled owing to the fact that tenders received for the work were not acceptable and it had been decided that this portion of the street be repaired rather than renewed.

Your Committee recommends that the Council authorize the construction of the following:

1. Curb and channel on the west side of Claremont Ave. from Western Av. northwards at a total estimated cost of $950.00 funds to be taken from those provided under by-law #236.
2. That an additional appropriation be made to complete the Wood Av. steps, of $925.00 funds to be taken from those furnished under by-law #285.

3. That the construction of a sewer extension on Selby St. to connect with the sewer on Hallowell St. be authorized at an estimated cost of $550.00, the funds to be taken, $200.00 from funds furnished under By-law #285 and $350.00 from the funds provided for repairs and cleaning of sewers.

4. That the Council authorize the erection of a hand rail at the Glen Road at the corner of St. Catherine St. at an estimated cost of $100.00 funds to be taken from those provided under By-law #285.

5. That the sidewalks on the northwest and southwest corners of Victoria Avenue and Sherbrooke St. be widened at an estimated cost of $550.00, the funds to be taken from those provided under By-law #285.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City accept the cession from Messrs C. W. Baker and Wm. Geraghty of a part of lot of land situated at the corner of Victoria Avenue and the Boulevard being known as Cad. #217 part of Sub. 70 being in all about 248 square feet as per plan of Malcolm D. Barclay dated 7th. August 1917 and submitted herewith.

Your Committee further recommends that the application of Messrs C. W. Baker and Wm. Geraghty for permission to re-subdivide a part of Subdivision #70 and lots 71 and 72 of Cad. 217 as per plan prepared by Malcolm D. Barclay submitted herewith and that Messrs Baker and Geraghty be granted a permit to construct on the said re-subdivided property one detached and a pair of semi-detached houses as per plan submitted herewith the said houses to be subject in every other respect to the by-laws of the City of Westmount and the approval of the Architectural Commission.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the tender of the Bitulithic Paving Co. Ltd. submitted under date of the 9th. July for the paving of certain streets in concrete and asphalt and for the repairs to certain streets as indicated in the tender, be accepted and that provision from funds as stated hereafter be provided adding 10% for contingencies and 10% for supervision charges, the whole as follows:

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<td>Paving that portion of Grosvenor Av. from the north side line of Sunnyside Av. to the south line of lot Cadastre 218, Sub. 55 at the prices indicated in the tenders which it is estimated will amount to a total of $888.96</td>
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The other portion, viz; to the north City limits to be constructed only at the City's option.

Sunnyside Av. between Victoria Av. and West Crescent Heights | $12,311.80 | $14,097.27 | 282 |
The Boulevard from Belmont Av. to Lansdowne Av. 4,841.26 5,657.90
Grosvenor Av. from Cote St. Antoine Rd. to Westmount Av. 4,697.55 5,684.03 General Funds
Lansdowne Av. from Cote St. Antoine Rd. to Westmount Av. 4,115.37 4,979.59 do
Roslyn Av. from Cote St. Antoine Rd. to Westmount Av. 4,493.85 5,437.55 do
Claremont Av. from Western Av. to Sherbrooke St. 7,731.30 9,354.87 Renewal
Re-Paving Glen Road between Western Av. and south City limits. 5,000.00 General Funds
Re-Paving Lansdowne Av. between Sherbrooke St and Western Av. 2,359.87 5,000.00 General Funds
Re-Paving St. Catherine St. between Greene Av. and Victoria Av. 42,554.48 53,535.41

Your Committee further recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized, upon approval of the City Solicitor, to sign a contract between the City of Westmount and the Bitulithic Paving Co. Ltd. for the works as outlined above and that the Guarantee bond of the Canadian Surety Co. to be furnished, guaranteeing the fulfilment of the said contract will be acceptable to the City of Westmount.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common acting for the Commissioner of the Electric Light Department submitted the following recommendation to the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends in view of the Canadian Westinghouse Co. having informed the General Manager that it would be impossible for the said Company to make deliveries of transformers, as required by the Electric Light Department it is recommended that the resolution of the City Council adopted at a meeting held on June 5th, 1917 accepting the tender of the Canadian Westinghouse Co. for transformers be rescinded and that the said tender be rejected.

Your Committee further recommends that the tender of the Canadian General Electric Co. under date May 28th, 1917 for transformers be accepted and the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be authorized to sign a contract with the said Company in the terms of the said tender.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. F. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizens have recently been decorated for service to the Empire overseas:

Major H. P. Stanley, 42nd. Battalion
4193 Sherbrooke St.
Awarded Distinguished Service Order.
Lieut. Alfred C. Hannaford, 24th Battalion, 26 Springfield Avenue Awarded Military Cross

Signaller Fred Skelcher, Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, 23 Prospect Street Awarded Military Medal

Lieut. Frank R. May, 434 Elm Avenue, Imperial Army, Awarded Military Cross

Gunner Donald A. Baillie, 9th Battery C. F. A. 513 Roslyn Avenue Awarded Military Medal

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLogan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that letters of congratulation be sent to those named in the report or to their next of kin.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a further report:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the names of Westmount citizens appear, viz;-

Lieut. Chas. Watt, No. 1, 42nd Battalion, Son of G. P. Watt, of #4342 Westmount Ave. Died of wounds.

Lieut. Chas. S. DeGruchy, M. C. 97th Siege Battery Son of Mr. & Mrs. Philip DeGruchy, #638 Belmont Avenue Died of wounds.

Lieut. H. Stanley Nolan, Royal Flying Corps Son of Mr & Mrs W. H. Nolan, #4412 St Catherine St. Killed accidentally.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLogan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence together with copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted be sent to their next of kin.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLogan it was unanimously resolved that by-law entitled E J-law to amend
By-law #266 receive its first reading.
The By-law having been read a first time it was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan that the By-law be presented for its second and third reading at the first meeting in September.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that Commissioner W. K. Graffey be appointed Acting Mayor for the ensuing three months, viz. August, September and October.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that Mr. Howard R. Ransom be re-appointed as Recorder of Property Transfers for the ensuing year at the same remuneration as last year, viz; $360.00.

A letter was submitted from Captain J. Colin Kemp and one from Lieut. Col. Vincent O'Mahone thanking the Council for their letters of congratulation.

Letters of date July 6th. and August 2nd. were submitted from Lieut. Col. C. M. Strange, 58th. Westmount Rifles thanking the Council for their second and third instalments of $150.00 for the Band Concerts.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the homologation of the Special Assessment Roll for the paving of lanes situated between Sherbrooke St. and Winchester Avenue and Prince Albert and Claremont Avenues be postponed until the first meeting in September.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

* A letter of date July 25th. was submitted from Westmount News Co. with reference to costs paid by them in connection with case John Duncan vs. City of Westmount and Westmount News Co. and the General Committee was authorized to direct the Sec. Treasurer to reply.

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Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A
GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING
SEPTEMBER 4TH, 1917, AT 8:45 P. M. AT
WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. W. W. McLaugh
Ald. R. E. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The Valuation Roll for the year 1917-18 as prepared by
the City Assessors was submitted for homologation.

Appeals from proprietors as under-noted, against the
Valuation Roll were submitted and dealt with as follows:—

Roll #8265/8 Mrs. W. Greer—On the recommendation of the Assessors it
was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau and
resolved that the land value of lots Cad. 941 Sub. 272 eastward to
Cad. 255a part 6 and 941 Sub. 259 inclusive be reduced 15¢ per foot.

Roll #7431/5 Miss Bride Costello—Cad. 374 Sub. part 85-6-7-8-9. Appeal
dismissed.

Roll #376 to 381 and Roll #1569/70. J. W. Long. Appeal dismissed.

Roll #6617. George Dawson. #437 Mt. Pleasant Avenue. Appeal referred to
the Assessors for consideration and report.

Roll #4591/4 T. Waterston #4468 and 4470 St. Catherine St. Referred to
the Assessors for report.

Roll #318. Dr. Chas. J. Patton. With reference to lot #217/37. Referred
to the Assessors for report.


Letter of date Aug. 30th. was submitted from Monklands
Ltd. requesting that Cad. 217, Sub. #71 Victoria Avenue be not shown in
the Valuation Roll as taxable and on the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey
seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that the entry stand as shown
in the Valuation Roll. The Sec. Treasurer in reply to refer Monklands Ltd.
to previous correspondence with reference to this lot.


Roll #4597. R. A. Girard. Part Cad. 1426. Referred to Assessors for re-
port.

Letter of date August 8th. was submitted from Mr. Brander
#4488 Sherbrooke St. requesting that the name of his son Lieut. Stewart
Brander, Lieut. in the Royal Flying Corps, stationed in England, who be-
came of age on the 13th. June last be added to the Voters list.
On the motion of Ald. E. W. McLaugh seconded by Ald. E.H.
Brown it was resolved that this name be added to the roll.

Letter of date August 22nd. was submitted from H. Y. Rus-
sel, #425 Mt. Pleasant Avenue requesting that as he had taken out natural-
ization papers that he be now shown on the roll as a British subject.
The Council authorized this change to be made.

G. Sinel, #329 Selby St. Rent reduced from $280.00 to $245.00.
Letter of date September 5th. was submitted from R. J. Birch, of #365 Victoria Avenue stating that he had been charged Business Tax on the full rental of his house whereas only a portion of it was used by him for business purposes.

It was resolved that the rental of $280.00 be shown as $180.00 for dwelling and $100.00 for business premises.

A letter of date August 10th. was submitted from James H. MoKeown appealing against the business tax on #368 Victoria Avenue being charged on a rental of $720.00. The Assessors explained that they had made allowances for proportion of taxes and coal and on the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the rental of $720.00 be allowed to stand.

The Sec. Treasurer was authorized to make the following changes in the Valuation Roll:-

Property #539 Grosvenor Ave. to be entered in the name of the Est. Fred W. Gross, tenant to be Mrs. Widow Fred W. Gross.

Property #553 Kensington Ave. Est. Alex. R. Shewan, tenant Mrs. Widow Alex. R. Shewan.


That the name of Duncan E. Lindsay #688 Grosvenor Avenue be changed to Kenneth R. Lindsay.

William C. Hudson #362 Grosvenor Ave. entered as returned soldier be changed to clerk.

That the name of Sydney Whittet #612 Grosvenor Avenue be struck off and the name Sydney Pearson #614 Grosvenor Ave. be added.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the homologation of the Valuation Roll be postponed until next meeting of Council.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a report of the General Committee as follows:-

Your Committee recommends that the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of August 1917 be confirmed:-

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau announced that a vegetable show would be held at Victoria Hall on the afternoon and evening of September for display of vegetables grown on lots in the City of Westmount at which
prizes would be distributed including $25.00 donated by the Mayor for this purpose.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I regret to have to report that in recent lists of casualties the following names of Westmount citizens appear:—

Lieut. Alex. David Williamson,
Royal Canadian Horse Artillery,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Thos. Williamson,
143 The Boulevard.
Killed in action.

Gunner Austin Douglas Watterson,
6th. Brigade, C. F. A.
Son of Mr. John Watterson,
362 Roslyn Avenue.
Killed in action.

Lieut. Hubert Stanley Ritchie,
24th. Battalion
Son of Mr. A. D. Ritchie,
475 Prince Albert Avenue
Killed in action.

Lieut. George Worsley Mayor Dodwell,
Son of Mrs. L. E. Dodwell, 9 St. Matthew St
(formerly of Westmount)
Killed in action.

Lieut. David Grant Davidson,
Royal Flying Corps,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Davidson,
#413 Metcalfe Avenue
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence be sent to their next of kin together with copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted.

With reference to the Special Assessment Roll for the paving of lanes; letters were submitted from Mrs. John Hyde and Mr. I. R. F. Fisher complaining of the assessments made against their properties.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau it was resolved that the homologation of the Assessment Roll be deferred until next meeting.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that By-law to amend By-law #266 with reference to Garages receive its second reading.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the By-law be read a third time.

By-law #266 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Acknowledgments of letter of condolence were submitted from Mr. & Mrs. George P. Watt and Mr. W. H. Nolan.

A letter of date August 21st. was submitted from Mr. John Brady #77 Somerville Avenue complaining of the condition of this Avenue and it was referred to the General Committee for consideration.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Council stand adjourned until Tuesday the 11th. September at 8.30 p. m.

[Signatures]
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 11th, 1917 AT 9.45 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKeough
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted a report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the lane in rear of the houses on the West side of Metcalfe Ave. running north from Melbourne Ave. be paved at an estimated cost of $525.00, the funds to be taken from those provided under By-law #283.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Complaints against the Valuation Roll which had been referred to the Assessors at the meeting of September 4th. were considered and dealt with as follows:

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that the land value of Mr. Thos. Waterston's property Roll Nos. 4591 and 4594, Cad. 1429, be reduced from $16,800 to $15,500.00.

That the land value of Mr. Amedee Marion's property Roll #4577, Cad. 1430, Sub. 1 and 2 be reduced from $17,360.00 to $15,750.00.

That the land value of the property of the Est. James Snowden, Roll Nos. 4571 and 6, Cad. 1433, be reduced from $15,900.00 to $14,600.00.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Mr. R. A. Girard's complaint against the valuation of his property, Roll #4597 part Cad. 1426, be dismissed.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the land value of Dr. Chas. J. Patton's property Roll #318, Cad. 217, Sub. 37 be reduced from $4650.00 to $4050.00 and that the value of lots Cad. 217, Sub. 42-3-4 stand as at present.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that the appeal of Mr. Geo. A. Dawson against the valuation of #437 Mt. Pleasant Ave. be dismissed.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that the appeal of Mr. W. Chalk against the valuation of #4951 Western Ave. be dismissed.

The Council authorized that Mr. Richard A Girard be entered as a tenant at #5 Prospect St. and that the rental be reduced from $390.00 to $300.

That the rental of #225 Clarke Ave. be reduced from $380.00 to $340.00 and that Mr. W. H. Stanley be entered in the roll as residing at #4211 St. Catherine Street.

A letter of date September 5th. was submitted from Mr. A. W. Mann appealing against the valuation of #572 Grosvenor Avenue. On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that this appeal be dismissed.
All complaints in connection with the Valuation Roll having been dealt with it was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be authorized to make the changes decided by Council and that the Roll as amended be and is hereby HOMOLOGATED.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR LANES.
Deferred until next meeting.

Acknowledgments of letters of condolence were submitted from Mr. & Mrs. Arthur W. Ritchie and Mr. John Watterson.

Letter of date September 10th. was submitted from Mr. W. S. Weldon, Member of the Central Advisory Council, with reference to Food Control, intimating that a meeting would be held in the Windsor Hotel on Thursday evening the 13th. inst. at 8 o'clock. Mayor John McKergow and Ald. W. K. Graffney and Ald. P. W. McLagan were appointed as representatives to attend this meeting.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
Minutes of two previous sessions of Council were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted reports of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of September 1917 be confirmed:

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Secretary Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to sell to the Sinking Fund Commission the following bonds at the price which they cost the City:

1916 Sept. from Montreal Trust Company, $11000 Bonds By-law #213 and interest

1917 Aug. from Wood, Gundy & Co., $26000 Bonds By-law #46 and interest
$4000 Bonds By-law #285 and interest

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further recommendation as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to make the following payments for interest and sinking fund due 1st. November 1917:

- Interest to Sinking Fund Commission: $10,267.50
- Sinking Fund to Sinking Fund Commission: $30,506.34
- 9th installment for Sinking Fund shortage: $4,685.89
- To Bank of Montreal for interest coupons payable: $76,580.00

$122,041.73
as shown upon the statement prepared by the Sec. Treasurer submitted herewith.

On the motion of Ald. F. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. E. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted reports of the General Committee as follows:-

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. R.H.M. Bremner, #225 Boulevard, to erect a garage on his property at a distance less than 50 feet from street line owing to the configuration of the ground, the building in all other respects to conform to the requirements of the Building By-law.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to purchase two horses for the road dept. at a price not to exceed $700, the amount to be charged to depreciation reserve.

Your Committee recommends that an appropriation of $650.00 be made for the purpose of constructing sidewalks on Lorraine Ave. and $350. for grading of the roadway, the amounts to be taken from funds held in General Reserve, and that the City Engineer be authorized to proceed with the work.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorize the expenditure of $64.22 for the erection of the fence on the City's property east of the Bowling Green, the amount to be charged to funds available under By-law #281.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:-

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appear:-

Sapper Arthur H. Reynolds, 24th. Battalion,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. William Reynolds, Victoria Hall, Westmount.
Died of wounds.

Gunner Reginald Armitage Hull, Enlisted with Army Veterinary Corps transferred to Artillery
Son of Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Hull of Hamilton, Ont.
Nephew of Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Reid, #63 Arlington Av with whom he resided.
Died of wounds.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence together with resolution of sympathy previously adopted be forwarded to the parents of these soldiers.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a further report as follows:-

I have much pleasure in reporting that another Westmount citizen has been decorated by King George V.

Brigadier-General Auckland Campbell Gaddes, C. B., M. D. has had conferred upon him the order of Knight Commander of the Bath.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLean seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that a letter be sent to Hon. General Auckland Campbell Geddes, K.C. B., congratulating him upon the honors bestowed.

A letter of date September 26th. was submitted from Mr. Frank Summer stating that the flowers supplied by the Parks Department had been given to the Western Hospital; Military Hospital; Grace Dart Home; Royal Edward Institute and the Children's Memorial Hospital and had been thankfully received.

A letter of date September 28th. was submitted from the Bell Telephone Co., with reference to the laying of conduits in the lane north of Prospect Street from the east street line of Greens Avenue to a point about 25 feet east and in the lane north of St. Catherine St. from the west street line of Malville Avenue to a point about 50 feet west and it was decided to grant this permission and the matter was referred to the City Engineer with instructions that the work be supervised.

A letter of date September 15th. was submitted from Mrs. E. B. Dodwell thanking the Council for their resolution of sympathy.

A letter of date September 13th. was submitted from Lt. Col. R. Brutinel thanking the Council for their letter of congratulation.

With reference to the levying of the tax rate for the year 1917-18, Ald. P. W. McLean Chairman of Finance, submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee.

In submitting this recommendation Ald. P. W. McLean stated that he was doing so as Commissioner of Finance, this decision having been arrived at by a majority of the General Committee that the rate should be as stated in the recommendation, his own opinion being that the rate should be fixed at 10½ mills with a discount of 2½% to those paying on or before the 30th. November 1917.

The General Committee recommends that for the purpose of meeting the current expenses of the City of Westmount from the 1st. November 1917 to the 31st. October 1918 an assessment or tax at the rate of 10 mills in the dollar be levied and that no discount be allowed for prepayment.

Ald. P. W. McLean moved seconded by Ald. W. K. Graffiti that this recommendation be adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common moved an amendment that the tax rate be fixed at 10 mills and that a discount of 2½% be allowed to those paying on or before the 30th. November 1917 stating that his reason for doing so was that he considered that those paying promptly should receive the benefit of a cash discount.

Ald. E. H. Brown seconded this amendment expressing the opinion that the allowing of the 2½% discount should not be departed from as it was a means of facilitating collection and at the same time securing a large amount of money at a time of year when it was greatly required.

Ald. P. W. McLean thereupon moved an amendment to the amendment that the tax rate be fixed at 10½ mills and a discount of 2½% allowed stating that as the decision arrived at by a majority of the General Committee and submitted by him as Chairman of Finance was being departed from it was right that he should state his own views on the question.

Ald. McLean's amendment did not receive a seconder, the Mayor thereupon called for a vote on the amendment; Ald. Common, Ald. Brown and Ald. Rondau voting in favor of the amendment and Ald. McLean and Ald. Graffiti against. The Mayor thereupon declared the amendment carried and the original motion was declared to be lost.
Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a by-law entitled "BY-LAW TO LEVY AN ASSESSMENT TO MEET THE CURRENT EXPENSES OF THE CITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1917-18" AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On the motion of Ald. McLagan seconded by Ald. Brown the by-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. McLagan seconded by Ald. Common the by-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. McLagan seconded by Ald. Grafftey the by-law was read a third time.

By-law #327 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

A letter was submitted from the Westmount A. A. A. thanking the Council for granting them the use of Westmount Park for the Cricket Club during the past season and asking that they have the use of the Park on the afternoon of the 8th. October for cricket and base ball. This matter was referred to Commissioner C.W.H. Rondeau to arrange.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was resolved that Council adjourn until Tuesday the 16th. at 9 o'clock.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT THE MEETING
OF AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 15th, 1917, AT 9.30 O'CLOCK
AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of Roads submitted the following report of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. Paul Panneton to extend the garage on his property at the south west corner of Strathcona Ave. and Cote St. Antoine Rd., to within 25 feet of the street line, the extension to be otherwise in accordance with the Building By-law.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown reported that the General Committee had approved of a proposed By-law to amend By-law #266 and had submitted the same for approval by Council.

On the motion of Ald. Brown seconded by Ald. Common it was resolved that the By-law be read a first time. On the motion of Ald. Brown seconded by Ald. Rondeau the By-law was read a second time. On the motion of Ald. Brown seconded by Ald. Grafftey the By-law was read a third time.

By-law #328 entitled By-law to amend By-law 266 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The following report was submitted by the Sec. Treasurer:—

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appear:—

Lieut. Frank T. Quinlan,
5th. Pioneers,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Hugh Quinlan
357 Kensington Avenue
Killed in action.

Private Philip A. Bieler,
P. P. C. L. I.
Son of Prof. & Mrs. Chas. Bieler
98 Columbia Avenue
Died of wounds

Captain George E. Tingling
3rd. Lancashires, Imperial Army
Son of Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Tingling
177 Edgehill Road
Killed in action.

Sergeant John Phillips
South African Expeditionary Force
Son of Mrs. John Phillips,
343 Lansdowne Ave.
Killed in action.
On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence, together with copies of resolution previously adopted be sent to their next of kin.

Homologation of Special Assessment Roll for Paving of Lanes was deferred until next meeting.

List of Parliamentary Electors:-

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I beg to report that in accordance with the provisions of the Quebec Election Act of 1903 and amendments, duplicate lists have been prepared for the twenty-three voting sub-divisions of the City showing names and other particulars of all persons qualified as electors under said Act. Public Notice of the deposit of said lists was duly given by me by advertisement in the Montreal "Gazette" and "Le Canada" and the "Westmount News".

There was subsequently filed in my office within the legal delay, one complaint from a person desiring the revision of said lists, which complaint I transmit to the Council herewith.

Public Notice has been given by advertisement in the aforementioned newspapers and special notice has been served upon the person making complaint that same would be dealt with by the Council at the present session.

Copies of the said Public Notices and original declaration of the service of the said special notice are herewith submitted together with the lists themselves, for consideration by the Council.

The Council having heard the report of the Sec. Treasurer ordered the addition of the name of Frank Laing of #614 Victoria Avenue to the list.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H Rondeau and resolved that the list of Parliamentary Electors, as submitted and amended, be and is hereby confirmed.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was resolved that Council take the necessary steps in connection with the preparation of list of women voters in the City authorized to vote under the War Time Elections Act and that the Mayor be authorized to inform the Win The War Association or any other organization to this effect.

It was further agreed that the City Solicitor and the Sec. Treasurer investigate and report at next meeting as to the City's duty in connection with the War Time Elections Act.

An acknowledgment of the Council's resolution of sympathy was submitted from Mr. & Mrs. A. M. Hull.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL

COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 6th. NOVEMBER 1917
AT 9 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKerrow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau

The minutes of two previous meetings were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance, submitted the following reports of the General Committee;

Your Committee recommends that in harmony with the resolution adopted by the General Committee on the 28th. November 1916 reducing the frontage charge against Mr. Joseph Lamoreux the amount of $26.00 be charged to General Reserve Account and credited to the funds provided under By-law #283.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee begs to report that the Mayor and General Manager has had an interview with the President, General Manager and Engineer of the Montreal Tramways Co. when preliminary plans of a combined Comfort Station, Cab Stand and Tramways Conductors' Room and Shelter were submitted and the officers of the Montreal Tramways Co. expressed a readiness to cooperate with the City of Westmount in having such a building constructed and maintained.

Your Committee therefore recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be authorized to sign an agreement with the Montreal Tramways Co. respecting the construction and maintenance of such a building, the Company undertaking to pay $3000.00 towards the construction of the same and also to pay annually one third of the cost of maintenance. The agreement to be approved by our City Solicitor.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common in the absence of the Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation to the General Committee;

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. E. E. Cummings #669 Belmont Ave. to erect a garage on his property at the South East corner of Belmont Avenue and Boulevard, Cadastre 286-13-2, 14-2 at a distance less than 50 feet from street line, the building to be otherwise in accordance with Building By-laws.

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted reports as follows;

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated for services overseas;

Captain E. Goff Trevor Penny,
14th. Battalion
Son of Mr. & Mrs. E. Goff Penny
482 Mount Pleasant Avenue

Awarded Military Cross.
Lieut. George W. Machan  
Motor Transports,  
Son of Mr. & Mrs. W. N. Machan  
19 Chesterfield Avenue
Awarded Military Medal

Corporal P. Theo Gnaedinger  
1st. Battalion Canadian Railway Troops  
4170 Dorchester Street  
Son of Mr. & Mrs. P. G. Gnaedinger
Awarded Military Medal

Gunner G. W. Abbott-Smith  
66 Battery C. F. A.  
Son of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. G. Abbott-Smith  
10 Bellevue Avenue
Awarded Military Medal

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.R. Rondreau it was unanimously resolved that letters of congratulation be sent to their next of kin.

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the name of the following Westmount citizen appears;

Gunner Wilfrid H. Wallace  
11th. Battery C. F. A.  
Son of Mr. & Mrs. E. B. Wallace  
610 Carleton Avenue
Died of wounds.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondreau it was unanimously resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with resolution of sympathy previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

I have much pleasure in reporting that two of the employees of the Road Department have won commissions on the field, viz;

Lieutenant B. E. S. Gridland who enlisted with the 73rd. Highland Battalion.

Lieutenant Frank L. Davis who enlisted with the 21st. Westmount Battery, C. F. A.

Acknowledgments of resolution of sympathy was received from Mr. & Mrs. Thirling and from Professor Chas. Eisler.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a supplement for the year 1917-18 to the list of Grand and Petty Jurors containing the names of all persons added to the list and the names of those to be struck from the list.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondreau the supplement, as submitted, was accepted and approved.

A letter of date 6th. November was submitted from Mr. D.J.M. Darling protesting against the paving as a lane of that strip of land which lies behind the houses bearing No. 4916 to 4928 inclusive Sherbrooke St. and to the paving of the strip of land which lies immediately west of the house bearing #4928 Sherbrooke St. and further protesting against the homologation of an assessment roll imposing taxes to cover the cost of paving the two mentioned strips of land.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was resolved that the homologation of the Special Assessment Roll be deferred until Tuesday the 20th. inst. and that proprietors interested in the
A letter of date October 20th. was submitted from G. H. Young, Blenheim Place, protesting against increase of taxes and objecting to work being done of unnecessary character.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McNagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau it was resolved that Ald. R. B. Common be appointed Acting Mayor for the three months November, December and January.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau called attention to the fact that complaints had been received by him of boys stoning squirrels in the Parks and it was decided to refer the matter to the Police Department.

The meeting thereupon adjourned to Tuesday evening the 17th. inst. at 9 o'clock.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 13TH, 1917, AT 10.45 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:

I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the name of a former Westmount citizen appears;

Lieutenant Percival George Hawkins
73rd. Battalion,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Hawkins,
220 Bishop Street.

Previously reported missing since March 1st, 1917 now reported killed in action at Vimy Ridge.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted reports of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of October 1917:

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign on behalf of the city draft deed of lease from the City of Westmount to the Westmount Bowling Green as from 1st. May 1917.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be authorized to make application on behalf of the City for an allotment of $50,000.00 Dominion of Canada Victory Loan Bonds.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.
Your Committee recommends that the following Charitable Grants be made and charged to appropriation provided for this purpose:—

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau Commissioner of Parks submitted report of the General Committee as follows:—

Your Committee submits herewith a draft contract to be entered into between the City and the Montreal Tramways Co. for the construction and maintenance of a public lavatory, tramways waiting room and Conmen's shelter at the north east corner of Lansdowne Ave. and St. Catherine St. and your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to execute such contract on behalf of the City.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. P.W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey Commissioner of Electric Light Department submitted the following report of the General Committee;

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be authorized to sign an agreement with the Grand Trunk Railway for the privilege of dumping cinders in the gully on part of Lot 177, fronting on Upper Lachine Road. The form of agreement having been approved by our City Solicitor.

On the motion of Ald. W.K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.

A letter of date November 9th. was submitted from the Westmount Soldiers Wives' League thanking the Council for the many kindnesses extended to them during the past year.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned until Tuesday the 20th. inst. at 9:30 p.m.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.
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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION HELD ON
TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 20TH, 1917 AT
10 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

MAYOR: JOHN McKEROW.
ALD. P. W. McLagan.
ALD. R. B. Common.
ALD. W. K. Grafftey.
ALD. C. W. H. Rondeau.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Chairman of Finance submitted a report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the Municipal Administration taxes for the year 1917-18 on the property of the Westmount Methodist Church Cad. 219, Sub. part 65 and 66 amounting to $246.60 and the Municipal Administration taxes for the year 1917-18 on the property of the Westmount Baptist Church Cad. 219, Sub. 162-163 be written off and charged to Contingent Fund, the Trustees of these Churches having given a guarantee to the City that in the event of the property being sold or used for other than Church purposes the taxes so written off will be refunded to the City.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the homologation of the Special assessment roll for paving of lanes be deferred until first meeting in December.

The following reports of the Sec. Treasurer were submitted:

I have much pleasure in reporting that Westmount citizens have been decorated by King George V, for services overseas:

Flight Sub. Lieut. F. Ross Johnson
Royal Naval Air Service,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. F. A. Johnson
4080 Tupper Street,
Awarded the Distinguished Service Cross.

Flight Sub. Lieut. Chas. McNicol
Royal Naval Air Service
Son of Mrs. D. McNicol
Forden Avenue
Awarded the Distinguished Service Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau it was resolved that letters of congratulation be sent to the next of kin of the above mentioned soldiers.

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appear:

Lieut. B. Rogers, M. C.
6th. Canadian Mounted Rifles
Husband of Mrs. L. B. Rogers,
455 Grosvenor Avenue
Son of Mrs. John Rogers, 410 Metcalfe Avenue
Killed in action.
Flight Sub. Lieut. David Ross Kerr  
Royal Naval Air Service  
Son of Mr and Mrs. D. Ross Kerr  
30 Bellevue Avenue  
Killed in action.

Private Isaac Sylvester Fisher  
Field Ambulance  
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Isaac F. Fisher  
Died of wounds. 17 Winchester Ave.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. Molagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence together with resolution of sympathy previously adopted, be forwarded to their next of kin.

Letters of acknowledgment were submitted from Mr. E. Goff Penny and Mr. & Mrs. J. E. Hawkins.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. Molagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signatures]

MAYOR

Sec. Treasurer.
The minutes of three previous meetings were confirmed.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health Committee submitted reports of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the following charges in connection with the New Motor Patrol Wagon be charged to Police Depreciation Reserve Account:

L. deJean
Jos. Bonhomme

$171.85
$549.75

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends the transfer of the following amounts from Maintenance to Capital Account:

12 Additional Salvage Sheets $180.00 charge to By-law 235.
1 Weighing Machine 22.85 do do do
1 Gasoline Tank and pump 86.00 do do do
1 Gasoline Tanpump 38.00 124.00 do to Old Loans
1 Battery Generator 75.00 do do

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following report of the General Committee:

Your Committee having taken communication of the complaints made respecting the proposed assessment of the cost of the construction of the lanes between Pr. Albert and Claremont Avenues and Sherbrooke St. and Winchester Avenue and having carefully considered the same;

THEREFORE RECOMMENDS that the Assessment Roll as submitted by the Sec. Treasurer he amended, the rate per foot frontage to be $3.30 and $3.19 respectively against the following fronting proprietors; as follows:

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On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau Commissioner of Parks submitted report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the contract for the erection of a combined public lavatory, Tramways Waiting Room and Cabmen's Shelter at the north east corner of Lansdowne Ave. and St. Catherine St. be awarded to John McGregor Ltd. according to his tender of $5,175.00 the necessary funds to be taken from By-law #221.

Your Committee further recommends that owing to the nature of the ground that the Concrete reinforced mat be extended as per architect's plan and specification the extra cost to be $825.00 a total cost of $6000.00 all to be taken from funds provided under by-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:

I have much pleasure in reporting that another Westmount Citizen has been decorated by the King for services overseas. viz:

Son of Mr. & Mrs. J.H. Magor,
47 Rosemount Avenue.
Awarded Distinguished Service Cross.
On the motion of Ald. P.W.McLagan seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was resolved that the congratulations of the Council be sent to this Officer and his parents.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a further report;—

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appeared;—

Lieut. George Edward Morris 87th. Grenadier Guards
Son of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. G.C.Morris 154 Cote St. Antoine Road
Killed in action.

Private Frederick Vincent Nelson P.F.C.L.I.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. T. R. Nelson 445 Prince Albert Avenue
Died of wounds.

Private Cornelius Adrian Regan 24th. Battalion
Son of Mrs. D. Regan 1013 Greene Avenue
Killed in action.

Gunner Leslie Liddell 79th. Battery C.F.A.
Son of Mrs. Wm. Liddell 127 Irvine Avenue
Killed in action.

Gunner Edgar H. Goldstein 66th. Battery C.F.A.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Goldstein 555 Argyle Avenue
Died of wounds.

Sergeant Hugh Buie 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles
Son of Mrs Archie Buie 63 Belvedere Road
Killed in action.

Private F. Germain 18 Selby Street
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. P.W.McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that these names be recorded in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolences together with resolution of sympathy previously adopted be sent to their next of kin.

With reference to the homologation of the Special Assessment Roll re lanes it was moved by Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H.Rondeau and unanimously resolved that the Special Assessment Roll levying an assessment to cover the cost of construction of lanes between Prince Albert and Claremont Avenues and Sherbrooke St. and Winchester Ave. as now amended be and is hereby homologated and that the tax or assessment at the rate mentioned shall be due and exigible from the proprietors on the first day of January 1918.
Letters of acknowledgment were received from Sir A. C. Geddes, K.C.B; Rev. G. Abbott-Smith; F. A. Johnson and Mr. & Mrs. Machan.

Letter of date December 3rd. was submitted from W. G. Ross, Pres. of the Navy League of Canada intimating that an appeal will be made all over Canada on the 8th. December for funds for the relief of sailors of the Navy and Mercantile Marine and their dependents.

The letter was referred to the General Committee.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 11TH, 1917 AT 10 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKeough
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. E. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of November 1917:

- Finance Accounts 4219.44
- Victoria Hall Accounts 221.11
- Roads Accounts 12440.26
- Police Accounts 2390.78
- Parks Accounts 885.93
- Library Accounts 173.17
- Electric Light Accounts 3927.69
- Roads Pay Rolls 2957.88
- Scavenging Pay Rolls 1663.18
- Parks Pay Rolls 921.10
- Victoria Hall Pay Rolls 67.50
- Police Pay Rolls 1957.88
- Electric Light Pay Rolls 3023.36

Total: $39626.27

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan further reported that a meeting of the General Committee had been held on Saturday afternoon to consider the disaster which had occurred at the City of Halifax and that it had been unanimously decided by the General Committee that the sum of $5,000.00 be contributed to the relief of the citizens of Halifax injured by the explosion and that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to place, by wire, that sum to the credit of the Treasurer of the City of Halifax for use in such relief as the Mayor and Council of Halifax may find expedient, the amount to be charged to General Reserve.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that this action of the General Committee be confirmed.

A telegram was submitted from the Chairman of the Relief Committee at Halifax expressing gratitude for the prompt and generous contribution made by the City of Westmount.

Mayor McKeough expressed his thanks to all the Churches for their prompt response to his wish that the ladies would meet at Victoria Hall to receive all articles of clothing which might be contributed for the relief of the sufferers. This request had been met with such ready response that about a car load of articles had been received and he requested that owing to congestion until present supplies are forwarded and distributed, further consignments be held awaiting instruction.

Ald. P. W. McLagan reported that owing to the fact that the funds provided for Patriotic Purposes under By-law #309 had now been ex-
hausted the General Committee had considered the advisability of levying another assessment of one half mill on the taxable real estate in the City to provide funds for contributions to relief funds and for other Patriotic Purposes and as a result a draft by-law had been prepared which he now submitted for the approval of Council.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that this by-law receive its first reading. The By-law having been read a first time it was resolved that it be submitted for its second and third reading at next meeting of Council.

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation;-

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to the Consumers' Gasoline Supply Co. Ltd. to erect an Oil Station on the property at the south east corner of Sherbrooke St and Grosvenor Avenue, in accordance with plans submitted, the same having been approved by the Architectural Commission the erection to be in all respects in conformity with the City's Building By-laws the Company to furnish a guarantee satisfactory to the City Solicitor that the present station on the property opposite will be removed, upon the completion of the new building.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a further recommendation of the General Committee as follows;-

The Architectural Commission having referred an application of Mr. H. R. Reed for permission to construct a porch to his house at #252 Prince Albert Ave. Your Committee has considered the same and in view of the special circumstances it recommends that Mr. Reed be advised that a permit must be secured for this construction and further that if the plans are in conformity with the building by-law that the City Engineer be authorized to issue the said permit.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown reported that it had been decided to erect a Shelter for Tramways Passengers at the corner of Lansdowne Avenue and the Boulevard.

Letters of acknowledgment were received from Mr. J. Goldstein; Mr. T. R. Nelson and Lieut. N. A. Magor.

Letter of date December 4th. was submitted from G. O. Dubuc, Sec. of the Victory Loan Parade Committee thanking the Council for their cooperation in making the Victory Loan Parade the success it was.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON
WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 2nd, 1918 AT
9:30 PM. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Acting Mayor, R. B. Common
Alderman W. P. McLagan
do W. K. Grafftsey
do E. H. Brown
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of meetings of 4th. and 11th. December were con-

firmed.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown By-law to provide for contributions to Relief Funds and for other Pa-

triotic Purposes received its second reading.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau the by-law was read a third time.

By-law #329 having been read a first, second and third

Time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Ald. P.W.McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the

following report of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the pay-

ment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of December 1917:

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On the motion of Ald. P.W.McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that Corporal W. Bissett Routh 27th. Battery, C. F. A. son of Mrs. V.G.R. Vickers, #4069 Dorchester Street, had been awarded the MILITARY MEDAL.

On the motion of Ald. P.W.McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau the Sec. Treasurer was directed to send a letter of congratulation to Mrs. Vickers.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a further report as follows;

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appear;-

Gunner Hugh Loy Miller
3rd. Canadian Siege Battery
Son of Mr. & Mrs. James D. Miller
490 Strathcona Avenue.

Killed in action.

Flight Lieutenant Geoffrey E. Cushing
Royal Flying Corps
Son of Mrs. Chas. Cushing

Killed in action. 555 Mt. Pleasant Av.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence, together with copy of resolution of sympathy previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau be elected Acting Mayor for the three months commencing February 1918.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council adjourn until the 8th January 1918 at 9.30 p.m.

Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, THE 8th JANUARY 1918 AT 10.30 p.m.

Acting Mayor R. E. Common, presiding.
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The following reports of the General Committee were submitted by Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads on behalf of the Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health:

In recognition of efficient services rendered by the Fire Department of Montreal at the fire at the Arena and at the fire on Metcalfe Avenue and of the Police Department for assistance given during the fire at the Arena, your Committee recommends that the Secretary Treasurer be directed to convey to Fire Chief Tremblay and Chief of Police Campau an expression of the Council's appreciation and authorize that a donation of $500.00 be paid to the Firemen's Benevolent Pension Fund and $100.00 to the Police Pension Fund the amount to be charged to Contingent Fund.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this report was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the following purchases amounting to $2792.30 be made and charged to Depreciation Fund:

- 500 feet "Keystone" wax and gum treated hose from John Smithers: $1.25
- 500 feet "Leader" wax and gum treated from Can.Fire Hose Co.: $1.05
- 500 feet "Magnet" from Goodyear Rubber Company: $1.15
- 500 feet "Peerless" from H. K. Martin: $1.15
- 3 play pipes complete from Canadian Fire Hose Company at $23.35 each
- 3 hydrant cut offs from do at $13.75 each
- From Tremblay Bros.: 36 leather belts at 90¢ each; 36 hose keys at 50¢ each
- 6 ladder hooks at 1.00 ea.
- 12 hose and ladder straps at 1.25 ea.
- 12 sets bridle snaps at 2.00 ea.

Also 12 salvage covers at approximately $17.00 each but as samples have not been received, we would request that this be left to the Chief of Police and General Manager.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of Electric Light Dept. submitted a report of the General Committee as follows:

WHEREAS Section 6 of By-law #284 authorizes the Council from time to time to use for any of the improvements or works authorized by said by-law such part of the reserve for depreciation of the Electric Light Plant as may be decided by resolution of Council. Your Committee, therefore recommends that the Council hereby and now resolves that $25,000.00 of the funds reserved for depreciation of the Electric Light and Power Plant be appropriated for the improvements or works authorized by by-law #284 and that the amount expended in the year ended October 31st., 1917, namely $12,250.31 be replaced by these bonds, and that twenty-five, One Thousand dollar bonds numbered consecutively from $236 to $261 and dated November 1st., 1916 be set aside and retained in lieu of said amount.
On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this report was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated in recognition of their services overseas:-

Lieutenant Colonel Alfred T. Bazin,
9th Field Ambulance,
4064 Dorchester Street,
Distinguished Service Order.

Major Walter Hyde,
10th Battery, C. F. A.
515 Cote St. Antoine Road,
Distinguished Service Order.

Major William Gordon Hanson
7th Battery, C. F. A.
484 Mount Pleasant Avenue
Military Cross

Major James Bales
24th Battalion
472 Cote St. Antoine Road
Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

A letter of date 5th. January was submitted from Mr. J.D. Miller #490 Strathcona Avenue thanking the Council for their resolution of sympathy.

A petition was submitted from residents of Pr. Albert Avenue below Western Ave. with reference to the inconvenience and annoyance caused to the District by the P. Lyall & Son. Construction Co. requesting that the Council take immediate steps to have the interests of the residents protected.

The petition was referred to the General Committee for immediate investigation and report.

On the motion of Ald. P.W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that Council adjourn to the 15th. January at 9.30 p.m.

Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
Mr. John Hyde and Mr. E. Goff Penny appeared in connection with the proposal to amend the Montreal Bill at present before the Quebec Legislative to admit of Westmount and other outside Municipalities being annexed to the City of Montreal. Mr. Hyde requested that the Council, as representatives of the people of Westmount let the Government know in no uncertain manner that Westmount has no desire to cast in its lot with Montreal at present. If in the future such a step should be desirable the people of Westmount would make the proposal. He referred to the present chaotic state of Montreal's finances saying that it would be suicidal to submit to annexation under present conditions. As the City Council of Westmount had always been jealous to guard the rights of the citizens he requested the Council to do everything in its power to balk any attempt to force annexation and he assured the Mayor and Aldermen that they would have the unanimous support of the citizens behind them and thought it would be well for the public to know what the feelings of the citizens are in regard to this matter.

Mr. E. Goff Penny spoke along the same lines expressing his pleasure at having the opportunity to voice his protest against annexation at the present time but stated that the affairs of Montreal were at present in a condition far from satisfactory and some one had devised a scheme to annex outlying Municipalities to the City of Montreal to help them out of difficulties. Westmount, he said, was well satisfied with its Government under Mayor, Aldermen and General Manager and he thought Montreal should work out its own destiny and when it had had time to recuperate and got back on its feet then if desirable annexation could be talked of. He urged the Council to join with other Municipalities in strenuously protesting against this annexation scheme.

Acting Mayor R. B. Common informed Mr. Hyde and Mr. Penny that the Council had been following the matter closely right along, a representative had been appointed at Quebec to watch the City's interests and Westmount had been in touch with other Municipalities opposed to annexation at this time. The Mayor and Aldermen he stated had been working quietly in the interests of the City and should anything definite turn up they would make their voices heard in no uncertain manner.

He referred to the financial and other reasons why Westmount should oppose annexation and he expressed the opinion that Sir Lomer Gouin and the Quebec Legislature would not countenance such injustice at this time and that the citizens had no reason to become excited by current rumours and reports.

Ald. P. W. McLagan stated that he thoroughly agreed with Acting Mayor Common that there was no need for the citizens being excited over present rumours and the advertisement which has appeared in the Gazette over names of several private individuals who favoured wholesale annexation, he further stated that there is no doubt in the public mind as to the attitude of Westmount which is opposed to loss of autonomy and will oppose most strenuously any scheme of annexation. Many rumours have been circulated all of which had been followed up. He referred briefly to the remark that the Bankers were at the back of the movement for Montreal to annex outside Municipalities on the Island and he announced that he had interviewed Sir Frederick Williams Taylor of the Bank of Montreal (Westmount Bankers) in reference to the matter and had been informed by Sir Frederick Williams Taylor that he had no knowledge of any such attitude on the part of the Bankers.
Ald. P. W. McLagan further stated that sometime ago the Mayor, Sec. Treasurer and himself had interviewed Sir Lomer Gouin who had always treated representatives of Westmount with frankness and friendliness and the Premier had informed them that he had no knowledge of any proposal re annexation but should any serious move be made he would let them know.

At Sir Lomer Gouin's request they had kept quiet in connection with this question not wishing to do anything that might stir up trouble or hurt the cause but he considered that under present conditions it would be wise to pass a resolution and he therefore submitted the following and moved that the same be adopted:

That the City Council of Westmount, profoundly convinced that the citizens are unanimously opposed to any scheme of Municipal Government which would deprive the City of its autonomy, do hereby re-affirm their determined and unalterable opposition to any legislation providing for the annexation of Westmount to the City of Montreal, and that a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Honourable the Prime Minister.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey in seconding the motion said that he considered it wise for the Council to make a statement which would be made public and inform the citizens of Westmount of the steps that were being taken to protect their interests. The resolution, as submitted, was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Parks submitted the following report of the General Committee:

Your Committee submits herewith an agreement to be entered into between the City of Westmount and the Montreal Tramways Co. for the construction and maintenance of a public lavatory, waiting room and conductors' shelter at the north east corner of Lansdowne Avenue and St. Catherine Street and recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the same on behalf of the City.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance and Public Buildings submitted the report of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to proceed with the construction of a new fire escape on the west side of the Victoria Hall, the cost not exceeding $600.00, to be charged to General Reserve Account.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further recommendation of the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that Mr. Howard H. Ransom; R. E. Hutcheson and W. Godbee Brown be appointed as Assessors of the City of Westmount for the ensuing year at the same remuneration as last year and that Mr. Howard H. Ransom be appointed as Chairman of the Board. On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was adopted.

A letter was submitted from the Corresponding Secretary of the Westmount Victorian Order of Nurses thanking the Council for the donation made to the bazaar.

Letters were submitted from Major Walter C. Hyde, C. F. A. and Mrs. V. G. R. Vickers thanking the Council for their letters of congratulation.

A letter of date January 7th. was submitted from the Halifax Relief Committee thanking the Council for their generous contribution of $5000.

Letters were submitted from Chief Tremblay of the Montreal Fire Department and Chief Campeau of the Montreal Police Department thanking the Council for their contributions to the Montreal Firemen's Benefit Association.
and the Montreal Police Benevolent and Pension Society in recognition of services rendered at recent fires.

Ald. P. W. McLagan and Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau in referring to the fact that Mr. C. W. Houston, Assistant Sec. Treasurer, had asked to be relieved of his duties as he had registered for services under the Military Service Act, expressed appreciation of his services during the 6½ years he had been in the employ of the City and hoped that if he went Overseas he would be spared to come back to his post.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council adjourn to January 22nd, at 9.30 p.m.
JANUARY 22nd, 1913.

The adjourned meeting of Council did not take place owing to members of Council forming part of a delegation to Quebec to interview the Premier, Sir Lomer Gouin, in opposition to proposal re Annexation.

[Signatures]
Acting Mayor
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, THE 13TH. FEBRUARY 1918, AT 9.30 O' CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;-

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau
Commissioner W. K. Grafftey
do P. W. McLaughan
do R. B. Common

The minutes of meetings held in January were confirmed.

The Returning Officer submitted the following report respecting the election of Public Library Trustees;-

I beg to report that in accordance with the procedure laid down in the City Charter, public notice was given on the 29th. December 1917 of the nomination of candidates to be held on the 14th. January 1918 for the office of Public Library Trustee.

On the said date last mentioned and upon the expiration of the delay fixed therefor, there had been filed with me papers in due form nominating

FREDERICK WILLIAM EVANS, Insurance Agent, 1619 Sydenham Avenue. Only one nomination having been made for this office, the candidate named above was declared elected to the office for which he was nominated.

All papers in connection with the election of Mr. Evans are submitted herewith.

The General Committee presented the following reports;-

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls of the various departments for the month of January 1918;-

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It was moved by Commissioner P. W. McLaughan seconded by Commissioner R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the report of the Committee be adopted.

Your Committee recommends that in the absence of the Sec. Treasurer or in the event of his being unable to perform the duties of the said office and in the absence of the Assistant Sec. Treasurer, Mr. E. C. Barr be and is hereby authorized to act as Secretary Treasurer with full authority to perform the duties of the said office.

Your Committee also recommends that payments of accounts being made by cheque, said cheques shall be signed by the Mayor, or the Commissioner of Finance and by the Sec. Treasurer or the General Manager, and by the City Accountant or his assistant Charles Cook.

It was moved by Commissioner P. W. McLaughan seconded by Commissions
W. K. Grafftey that the foregoing reports be adopted.

Your Committee herewith submits a letter of the Chartered Accountants, Macintosh, Cole and Robertson stating that they have audited the Books of Account of the City to the 31st, October 1917 and have duly verified and signed the statements. That they have verified the balances of the several accounts at the Bank of Montreal, the bonds on hand amounting to $850,000. The bonds represented by the Assets, entitled War Loan Bonds etc. and those held on account of the Police and Firemen's Pension Fund Commission also that the Sinking Fund Commission have accounted for the bonds held and purchased by them to the 31st, October 1917.

They also certify that provision has been made for Sinking Fund on the basis of 1% per annum on the long term bonds and 5% per annum on the 14 year bonds.

It was moved by Commissioner P. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. R. B. Common that the financial statements and reports of the City for the year ended 31st, October 1917 as audited and verified be printed and distributed.

Your Committee submits herewith a statement of the cost of Capital Works certified by the City Engineer under date of the 5th, February 1918 and recommends that the same be and is hereby approved.

It was moved by Comm. P. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. W. K. Grafftey and unanimously resolved that the same be approved.

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to prepare a special assessment roll to levy an assessment or tax for Patriotic Purposes at the rate of one half mill in the dollar on the taxable real estate situated within the limits of the City of Westmount as provided for under By-law #329 and to deposit the same on or before the fifth day of March 1918.

It was moved by Comm. P. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the same be approved.

Your Committee recommends that permission be granted to A. F. Byers & Co. to alter a Coach House existing at 525 Mt. Pleasant Ave. to a garage as per plans and specifications submitted. The whole to be in accordance with the Building By-law.

It was moved by Comm. P. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. W. K. Grafftey and unanimously resolved that the same be approved.

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to purchase a Chevrolet Run-about at a cost not to exceed $335.00 the funds to be taken from those authorized under By-law #235-------------$335.00 and from Depreciation Reserve-----------------450.00 $785.00

It was moved by Comm. P. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the same be approved.

Your Committee recommends that the Engineer be authorized to purchase from the Electric Light Department a Federal Motor Truck at a cost of Eight hundred dollars ($800.00) the funds to be taken from Depreciation Reserve.

It was moved by Comm. P. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. W. K. Grafftey and unanimously resolved that the same be approved.

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to purchase a Republic Motor Truck at a cost not to exceed $1400.00 $600.00 of this amount to be taken from Electric Light Dept. Depreciation Reserve and Eight hundred dollars from the proceeds of the sale of a Federal Truck being sold to the R. B. Common department.
It was moved by Comm. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Comm. P. W. McLagan and unanimously resolved that the same be approved.

Your Committee recommends that the sum of the difference between the cost of the Federal Truck and the price of the Republic Truck be written off Capital Account into Electric Light Department Depreciation Reserve. (viz. $900.)

It was moved by Comm. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Comm. P. W. McLagan and unanimously resolved that the same be approved.

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to purchase a Chevrolet Run-about at a cost not to exceed $825.00 the funds to be taken from those authorized under bylaw No. 284.

It was moved by Comm. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Comm. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the same be approved.

Your Committee submits herewith a draft of a resolution respecting a Delay of Payment by the Executors under the Will of the late William Smith and Mrs. William Smith to the Montreal Investment and Construction Co. Ltd. and recommends that the Council consider the same and adopt a resolution respecting this matter.

It was thereupon moved by Comm. P. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. R. B. Common and resolved that the Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau and Arthur F. Bell, Sec. Treasurer be and they are hereby authorized for and on behalf of the said Council to intervene in a Delay of Payment to be granted by the Executors under the Will and Codicil thereto of the late Dame Margaret Watson, widow of the said late William Smith, to the Montreal Investment and Construction Limited, for the sum of Twenty-four Thousand Dollars, being the balance remaining unpaid of the sum of Twenty-four Thousand Six Hundred and Seventeen Dollars and Fifty Two cents, being the balance of price of sale due under a Deed of Sale from the Executors Mr. and Mrs. William Smith to the City of Westmount, executed before D. M. Rowat, Notary, on the Fourteenth day of February, Nineteen hundred and sixteen, registered in the Registry Office for the Registration Division of the Counties of Hochelaga and Jacques Cartier under the Number 316132, payment whereof was assumed by the Company under a Deed of Sale from said The City of Westmount to it, executed before D. M. Rowat, Notary, on the Fifteenth day of February, Nineteen hundred and sixteen, registered in the said Registry Office under the Number 316133, which delay is to be granted until the First day of February, Nineteen hundred and twenty, and for the payment of which principal sum the City of Westmount is bound under the said Deed of Sale above referred to of the Fourteenth day of February, Nineteen hundred and sixteen, and to declare that the City of Westmount is content with such Delay of Payment, and renues in so far as any renewal is necessary all the obligations undertaken under the said Deed of Sale of date the Fourteenth of February, Nineteen hundred and sixteen, and that the City of Westmount is held and bound as surety for and with the said Montreal Investment and Construction Limited for the repayment of the said sum of Twenty-four thousand Dollars with Interest thereon to the extent of Four per centum per annum, payable half yearly on the First day of the months of May and November in each year, and for the fulfillment of all the terms and conditions of the said Sale of date the Fourteenth of February, Nineteen hundred and sixteen, renouncing to the benefits of division and discussion, and promising and obliging itself to make of the whole its own personal affair in the event of any default whatsoever on the part of said Montreal Investment & Construction Limited, and to declare that nothing contained in the said Delay of Payment shall be deemed to impose upon the City of Westmount any further obligation towards the said Executors Mr. and Mrs. William Smith than those contained in its Deed of Acquisition hereinbefore mentioned.
By-law to amend By-law #207 concerning the City Attorney was considered and it was moved by Commissioner P. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. R. B. Condon and unanimously resolved that the same be given its first reading.

It was therefore resolved that the second reading of this by-law be deferred until the next meeting of the Council.

A proposed By-law concerning the Board of Health was submitted and it was moved by Commissioners W. K. Grafftey seconded by P. W. McLagan and unanimously resolved that the said By-law be given its first reading.

It was therefore resolved that the consideration of this By-law and the proposed regulations to be adopted in connection therewith be deferred for further consideration to the next meeting of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated in recognition of their services overseas:

Lieutenant J. F. Chisholm,
Royal Naval Air Service,
Son of W. C. Chisholm,
35 Aberdeen Avenue,
Distinguished Service Cross.

Gunner Harry R. Beveridge,
2nd. Heavy Battery,
Son of Mrs. E. M. Beveridge,
454 Argyle Avenue
Military Medal.

Captain William H. Abbott,
Trench Mortar Battery
Son of Mr. & Mrs. William Abbott
435 Grosvenor Avenue
Military Cross.

Captain William C. Nicholson,
5th. Mounted Rifles,
Son of J. A. Nicholson,
276 Pine Ave. West,
Formerly of Westmount
Military Cross

Captain George Vibert Douglas,
17th. Northumberland Fusiliers, Pioneers
4193 Sherbrooke St.

Military Cross.

Miss Alice Vibert Douglas,
Statistical Dept. of the National Service Dept.
4193 Sherbrooke St.
Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (M.B.E.

Lieut. Col. Thomas Joseph Francis Murphy
4322 St Catherine Street
Canadian Army Medical Corps
Distinguished Service Order.
Major Henry Arthur Stewart,
427 Lansdowne Avenue
Reserve Park, C.E.F.
Distinguished Service Order

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Lieut. James Balfour Thom,
4110 Western Avenue,
Canadian Engineers.
Military Cross.

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Col. John Burton White,
500 Prince Albert Avenue,
Canadian Forestry Corps,
Distinguished Service Order.

On the motion of Comm. F. W. McLagan seconded by Comm. W.K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that letters of congratulation be sent to those named in the report or to their next of kin.

A letter was submitted from Mr. Geo. Mann under date of the 22nd. ulto. and referred to the Chief of Police for his consideration.

A letter of acknowledgment was submitted from Mrs. A. Harte Iles respecting the use of Victoria Hall.

A letter of acknowledgment was also received from Mr. J. Kellert.

Acting Mayor C.W.H. Rondeau reported that a delegation from the City of Westmount composed of members of the Council and staff with delegates from Outremont, Lachine, Verdon, Montreal West and Riviere La Prairie, respecting the proposals of annexations to the City of Montreal and that the Premier had intimated that in view of the facts set forth that in his opinion no annexations of these Municipalities would be permitted by the Legislature until very strong reasons were presented in favor of the same.

Acting Mayor reported that he had on the second occasion attended a meeting of the Legislature at Quebec and at that time found that all danger of annexation of this City to the City of Montreal was passed.

It was thereupon resolved that the Council adjourn to the 26th. inst. to meet at 9.30 p. m. **(Signature)**

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Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT
AT AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 26TH, 1918
AT 10.30 O’CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau
Commissioner R. B. Common
do W. K. Grafftey
do P. W. McLagan
do E. H. Brown

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that consequent on the destruction, by fire, of the Arena Building, belonging to the Montreal Arena Company and situated on part Cadastral No. 377 St. Catherine Street, the valuation of the said property is and is hereby reduced by the sum of $78,050. to the sum of $171,550. being the assessed valuation of Buildings and Land respectively.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that authority be given to the Acting Mayor and the Sec. Treasurer to sign, on behalf of the City the contracts between the City and Thos. Moffitt, Chief of Police and Wm. Wren, Inspector of Police.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan the second reading of By-law #330 relating to the City Attorney was given.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan the third reading of By-law #330 was given.

By-law #330 having been given its first, second and third reading was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the second reading of By-law #331 relating to Public Health was given.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the third reading of By-law #331 was given.

By-law #331 having been given its first, second and third reading was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Letters were submitted from Messrs. J. A. Nicholson; W. C. Chisholm and Wm. Abbott thanking the Council for their message of congratulation on the occasion of Military decorations being awarded to members of their families on active service.

A letter was read from the Westmount Soldiers Wives League requesting permission to hold a "Country Fair" in the Westmount Park and on the Streets bordering the Park (Sherbrooke St., Melville & Western Avenues)
on the afternoon and evening of May 31st, and June 1st.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B.
Common it was agreed to grant permission as desired.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following Report:—

I regret to announce that in a recent list of casualties appears
the name of—

Flight Lieut. Duncan Gordon Campbell,
Royal Flying Corps,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. D. A. Campbell
536 Cote St. Antoine Road
Killed in action

Brown it was resolved that his name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and
that a letter of condolence together with a copy of the resolution of sympathy previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]
Acting Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST-
MOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING,
MARCH 5th, 1918 AT 9.15 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH
WERE PRESENT:—

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau
Commissioner E. H. Brown
do W. K. Graffey
do R. D. Common
do F. W. McLagan

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Special Assessments May 1918.

Ala. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted the fol-
lowing report of the General Committee:—
The General Committee submits the following recommendations
in reference to Special Assessments which are proposed to be levied for the
cost of the construction of Roads, Drains, Paving of Lanes etc., during
the year 1917 or prior thereto and statement of costs certified by the City En-
gineer and plans prepared by the City Engineer are also submitted herewith.

1. That the statement of the City Engineer of the cost of macadamizing of
certain streets and Avenues the construction of sewers and the paving of
lanes be approved.

2. That the cost of paving, grading etc., of Sunny Side Ave. from Victoria
Ave. to West Crescent Heights—
Upper Belmont Ave. from Sunny Side Ave. southwards.
Upper Grosvenor Ave. from Sunny Side Ave. northwards be assessed as fol-
lovs;—two thirds of the cost shall be assessed upon the fronting
proprietors according to frontage on each side of the street and ac-
cording to the frontage on the north westerly and of Grosvenor Ave.
and one third upon the City as provided hereafter in section 5.

3. That the proportion of the cost of renewing in concrete and asphalt
Claremont Ave. from Sherbrooke St. to Western Ave.
The Boulevard from Lansdowne Ave. to Belmont Ave.
Grosvenor Ave. from Cote St. Antoine Road to Westmount Ave.
Lansdowne Ave. from Cote St. Antoine Road to Westmount Ave.
Roslyn Ave. from Cote St. Antoine Road to Westmount Ave. to be assessed
upon the fronting proprietors on each side of the said Avenues shall
be 50¢ per lineal foot and the remainder upon the City as provided
hereunder in section 5 and that the proportion of the cost of re-
surfacing in tarred macadam Clarke Ave. from Montrose Ave. northwards
shall be 20¢ per lineal foot and the remainder upon the City as pro-
vided hereunder in section 5.

4. That the proportion of the cost of the sewer laid in Summit and Belva-
dere Avenues and Selby St. that shall be borne and paid for according
to the frontage of the respective properties by the owners of Real
Estates situated on each side of the said Street shall be the entire
cost with the exception of flankage allowances not to exceed 180 feet
in favor of corner lots if there by any and the Selby St. intersec-
tion.

5. That the difference between the total amounts to be assessed upon the
fronting proprietors as above provided for the paving of Sunny Side Ave.
Upper Belmont Ave. and Upper Grosvenor Ave. and the total cost of the
said improvements shall be assessed as the City's share upon the lands
only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected
according to the Valuation Roll now in force in and by means of the
Special General Assessment Roll hereafter mentioned.
6. That the difference between the proportion of the cost of the sewers to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors of Summit and Belvedere Avenues and Selby Street and the total cost of the said improvements including the shares thereof that would fall upon the exempted sections of corner lots be assessed as the City's share of the lots only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected according to the Valuation Roll now in force in and by means of the Special General Assessment Roll hereafter mentioned.

7. That the whole cost of the paving of the lanes; Bounded by Tupper, Gladstone, Dorchester and Atwater-
The lane east of Abbott Ave.
The lane bounded by Irvine Av., St. Catherine St., Abbott Av., and CPR.
The lane bounded by Lewis Av., St. Catherine St., Irvine Av., and G. P. R.
The lane bounded by Blenheim Place, St. Catherine St., Lewis Av., and G. P. R.
The lane bounded by Bethune St., St. Catherine St., Blenheim Place and CPR.
The lane bounded by Metcalfe Av., Melbourne Av., Melville Av., and Sherbrooke St. as shown upon the plans of the City Engineer, here-with submitted be assessed on each proprietor in the lane according to the frontage assessment roll prepared by the Sec. Treasurer and submitted herewith.

8. That notices be given according to the Charter to the fronting proprietors of the proportion of the cost of the said improvements to be assessed upon their respective properties and that the Special Assessment Rolls of the proportion of the cost of the said Roads, Drains, Lanes etc. payable as above provided by fronting proprietors be prepared by the Sec. Treasurer on or before the 12th. March 1918.

9. That the Sec. Treasurer be further instructed to prepare a Special General Assessment Roll against the lands of the whole city irrespective of the buildings thereon erected to levy according to the Valuation Roll now in force at the rate of 2½ mills to provide the amount required to meet the annual interest and the amount required for the sinking fund on the loans or portions of loans effected under By-law #6, #16, #48, #109, #149, #175, #222, #232, #233, and #238 and expended for the Glen Bridge, Trunk Sewers, Drains and making of Roads and Sidewalks, Paving of Lanes and other improvements assessable in whole or in part against the lands only of the whole city irrespective of buildings thereon erected and deposit the same in his office on or before the 12th. March 1918 and thereafter to give public notice that same will be presented for homologation on the 2nd. April 1918 at 8 p.m.

10. That the above mentioned rolls be submitted to the Council for homologation on the 2nd. April 1918, the Sec. Treasurer being instructed to give notices required by law accordingly.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the report was unanimously adopted.

VALUATION ROLL 1913

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the Assessors be instructed to revise the Valuation Roll of 1916 as revised in 1917 according to articles 437 et seq. of the Charter giving the following particulars and deposit the roll in the office of the Council on or before the 31st. July 1918;

1. The number of each entry or item.
2. Names of owners in full.
3. Names of tenants or occupants.
5. Names of persons qualified to vote on income as provided in the Quebec Election Act.
6. Cadastral and sub-division numbers of each lot or part of lot.
7. Street number of each building.
8. Superficial area of each lot.
9. Add value of new buildings which have been constructed or completed since the making of the Valuation Roll.
10. Annual value and annual rental paid by tenants.
11. Occupation of all persons entered in the roll.
12. Domicile of all persons entered in the roll.
13. Salary of all sons of proprietors or sons of tenants entered in the roll.
14. Salary of all entered on the roll under No. 5.

In the occupation column specify if-
15. Aliens.
16. Officers of His Majesty's Courts.
17. Registrars.
18. Managers and clerks of incorporated banks.
19. Officers of the Army and Navy on active service.
20. Officers, Non-commissioned officers and men of the active militia.
21. Persons over 65 years of age.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the report was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown Messrs Macintosh, Cola and Robertson were appointed Auditors of the City for the year 1917-18 at the same remuneration as last year.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted a further recommendation from the General Committee as follows:

Your Committee recommends that the sum of $1,000.00 payable in equal annual instalments for three years be donated to the Montreal General Hospital.

In moving the resolution Ald. McLagan remarked on the large amount of work being done by the Hospital in the treatment of soldiers. The motion was seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Police submitted a report from Chief Moffitt relative to the arrest by Constable W. H. Lennon, single handed, of four men two of whom were armed with loaded revolvers, in a sleigh on Dorchester St. West, near Greene Avenue on the morning of January 3rd. 1918. Two of them were old offenders. The men have since been tried in the City of Montreal and sentenced to terms of imprisonment.

Ald. R. B. Common moved and Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded that a letter of appreciation of this good service be sent to Chief Moffitt together with a special grant of $10.00 for Constable W. H. Lennon.

The motion was adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan The Sec. Treasurer submitted an application from Mrs. T. de J. Stewart on behalf of herself and other ladies, domiciled in Westmount, asking for the consent and authorization of the City Council for the formation of the Westmount Women's Club, having for its objects Mutual instruction and sympathy and increased effort towards general literary, philanthropic and patriotic work.

It was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common that the Council do approve the application and consent to and authorize the formation of The Westmount Women's Club and that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to issue the necessary certificate in pursuance of Article 7233 R. S. Q. The motion was unanimously carried.
The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter from Mr. A. P. Jones on Lansdowne Avenue complaining of children using the sidewalks on Lansdowne Ave. as a toboggan slide.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the matter was referred to the Chief of Police for attention and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to acknowledge the letter of Mr. Jones and advise him of the action that was being taken.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter from the Food Controller in Ottawa urging that special effort be made this year to bring the food production of Canada to a maximum and making the various suggestions as to the means of increasing the interest of the general public towards this end.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to acknowledge the letter of the Food Controller at the same time telling him what had already been done in connection with the matter in Westmount. Thereafter the letter was referred to the General Manager.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a request from Mrs. E. W. Barlow, Corresponding Sec. of the Westmount Soldiers' Wives League for a box or cupboard at Victoria Hall to store the supplies of wool as they arrive.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan the General Manager was instructed to make arrangements accordingly.

The Sec. Treasurer read a letter from Dr. A.T. Bazin presently on active service in France expressing his thanks to the Mayor and Council of Westmount for the congratulatory message sent him sometime ago on the occasion of his receiving the Distinguished Service Order.

Ald. R. B. Common intimated that he had received several complaints about the inadequate service being presently given in Westmount by the Montreal Tramways Co. and he moved that the Police department be instructed to again check the time service of the cars and report as soon as this was done.

The motion was seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and unanimously agreed.

It was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftrey and resolved that the Council stand adjourned.

Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A REGULAR SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 2nd, 1918 AT 9 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT: -

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau
Commissioner P. W. McLagan
do E. H. Brown
do W. K. Grafftey
do R. B. Common

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

HOMOLOGATION OF THE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL; -

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the following resolution was unanimously adopted; -

BE it resolved that the Special Assessment Roll levying upon fronting proprietors the cost of the construction of the sewer on Summit Avenue and Belvedere Road, the cost of the sewer on Selby Street; the cost of the construction of the road on Clarke Ave; the cost of the construction of the road on Claremont Ave; the cost of the construction of the road on Grosvenor Ave; the cost of the construction of the road on Roslyn Ave; the cost of the construction of the road on Lansdowne Ave; the cost of the construction of the road on Sunnydale Ave, all as authorized by By-laws #282 and #285 and as deposited in the office of the City of Westmount on the 12th. day of March 1918 by the Sec. Treasurer, be and is hereby homologated.

Special General Assessment Roll levying according to the valuation in force the amount required to meet the annual interest and one per centum required for Sinking Funds on the loans or portion of loans affected under By-laws Nos. 5-16-48-109-149-175-222-282-283--and 285 and expended for the Glen Bridge, trunk sewers, drains, paving and making of roads, sidewalks, paving of lanes and for other improvements assessable in whole or in part against the lands only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected at the rate of 2½ mills on the dollar prepared in accordance with the resolution of Council of March 5th, 1918, be and is hereby homologated.

BE it resolved that the Special Assessment Roll levying a tax of ½ mill on the dollar on the taxable Real Estate within the limits of the City for Patriotic Purposes be and is hereby homologated.

The Sec. Treasurer read letters he had received from the under-noted proprietors regarding the assessment made against them for the paving of lanes, namely; -

E. R. Abernethy, 116 Lewis Ave.
Mrs. Thos. Evans 108 Blenheim Place.
Walter McMann
Estate James Snowden
M. Miggins 117 Blenheim Place.

Mr. Miggins appeared personally in support of his letter claiming exemption from taxation and after discussion with the members of the Council it was decided to amend the Special Assessment Roll for the paving of the lane bounded by Lewis Ave. Blenheim Place. St. Catherine St and the C.P.R. Tracks by assessing Mr. Miggins on the frontage of 2 feet 9 inches and E. R. Abernethy on the frontage of 8 feet.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that it had been discovered that the frontages in the Assessment Roll on the following properties should be amended as follows; -
Cad #380 Part of Sub. 20 24 ft. 6 inches.
Part of Sub. 20 & Pt. 21 24 ft. 6 inches.
Parts 21 and 22 22 ft.
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Parts of 24 and 25 22 ft.
Parts of 25 and 26 25 ft.
Parts of 26 and 27 37 ft. 6 inches.
Part of 27 27 ft. 9 inches.

By unanimous resolution these amendments are approved.

The Sec. Treasurer then submitted Special Assessment Rolls, as amended, of the whole cost of the paving of the lanes as follows:-

The lane bounded by Tupper, Gladstone, Dorchester and Atwater -
The lane east of Abbott Ave -
The lane bounded by Irvine Av, St. Catherine, St. Abbott Av. and C. P. R.
The lane bounded by Lewis Av, St. Catherine St., Irvine Av. and C. P. R.
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The lane bounded by Metcalfe Av., Melbourne Av., Malville Av. and Sherbrooke St., as shown upon the plans of the City Engineer.

It was moved by Ald. P. W. Molagan and seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved;

1. That the Special Assessments therein levied shall become due and exigible on the 1st. day of May 1918.

2. That the proprietors interested may exercise the option of paying the cost of the construction of the sewers in 44 annual instalments of 1% for Sinking Fund and 5% for interest, a total annual instalment of 6%, the first of the said instalments shall be due and exigible on the 1st. day of May 1918 and the cost of the construction of the roads and lanes may be paid in 14 annual instalments of 5% for Sinking Fund and 5% for interest, a total annual instalment of 10%, the first of the said instalments shall become due and exigible on the 1st. day of May 1918.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. Molagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that the said Rolls, as amended be and are hereby homologated.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. Molagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the payment of the wages and accounts for the month of February 1918, amounting to $40,651.67 was confirmed.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. Molagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey payment of wages and accounts for the month of March 1918, amounting to $42,554.24 was confirmed.

SPECIAL GRANT FOR WESTERN HOSPITAL.

Ald. P. W. Molagan made the following recommendation;-

Your Committee unanimously recommends that whereas a deputation from the Western Hospital composed of twelve members of its Board of Management appeared before the General Committee of this Council and presented the claims and the needs of that Institution your Committee thereupon resolved to recommend and it does recommend that a special donation to the funds of the Hospital of $500.00 be made, this to be in addition to the amount subscribed and paid out of the appropriation for grants to Charitable Institutions. This amount to be taken from funds as provided for in the Contingent Fund.

The motion was seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously agreed to.
Ald. P. W. McLagan made the following recommendation:

Your Committee unanimously recommends that an appropriation not exceeding $250.00 be made from the Patriotic Funds and Contingent Funds to cover the cost of fertilizing and ploughing the lots to be cultivated by Returned Soldiers, Soldiers' Wives, Khaki League and employees of the City of Westmount and this being seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey was unanimously agreed to.

Ald. P. W. McLagan made the following recommendation:

Your Committee unanimously recommends that the Buildings of the N. J. Holden Property situated at corner of Lansdowne & Western Avenues, having been demolished, the assessed value of said property be reduced to the value of the land only.

This recommendation was seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously agreed to.

POLICE AND FIREMEN:—Adjustment of the wages and rank.

Ald. R. B. Common submitted the following recommendations and moved that the Council approve and adopt the same.

a. Your Committee recommends that the standard of wages paid to the Police and Firemen be raised to the same rate as that in force in the City of Montreal. This will mean an increase to 28 Police and Firemen at the rate of $100.00 per year each, the new rate to take effect as from the 1st. April 1918.

This being seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown was unanimously agreed to.

b. Your Committee unanimously recommends that the Police Department of the City of Westmount shall consist of:

A. Chief of Police.
B. Inspector who shall act for and have the authority of the Chief in his absence.
C. 2 Lieutenants.
D. 2 Sergeants.
E. A detective.
F. 2 Plain Clothes men.
G. A force of Constables.

That the Fire Department of the City of Westmount shall consist of:

A. Chief.
B. Sub-Chief, who shall act for and have the authority of the Chief in his absence.
C. That the Lieutenants and other lesser officers and men of the Police Department shall work with the same rank and responsibility of officers and men on fire duty and that there shall also be a Foreman of the Fire Department who shall rank and have the responsibility of a Sergeant.

1. That Thomas Moffitt be Chief of Police and Fire Dept.
2. That Charles Hort be Sub-Chief of Fire Department.
3. That William Wren be Inspector of Police.
5. That Joseph Long and Herbert Gorham be Sergeants of Police and Fire.
6. That Louis Marschal be Foreman of Fire.
7. That Peter Cutler be Detective.
8. That James Broden and Alexander Riddock be Plain Clothes men.

Your Committee further recommends that Joseph Long and Herbert Gorham be appointed Milk and Sanitary Inspectors, also that Joseph Long and Herbert Gorham be appointed as Inspectors of Food products and agricultural
fertilizers under the Adulteration Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, Chap. 133.

This being seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan was unanimously agreed to. On the same motion the whole was unanimously approved and adopted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was agreed that a permit be granted to T. R. Laing to erect a private garage on Western Ave. on the northwest corner of Roslyn Ave. at a distance of 37 feet 6 inches from the street line, the same to be constructed in accordance with the Building By-law.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was agreed that a permit be granted to Mr. A. J. Wood to build on his lot on the Boulevard at a less distance than 7 feet from the side line. This recommendation is made owing to the configuration of the ground. In all other respects the requirements of the Building By-law are to be observed.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a By-law in connection with the licensing of the cabman at the new stand on the Glen Road.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that this By-law be read for the first time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that the By-law be read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that the By-law be read a third time.

By-law #352 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a By-law to amend By-law #238 imposing Business Taxes and License Fees and on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that this By-law be read for the first time.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted a letter he had received from Rev. E. H. Hill D. D. Metcalfe Ave. drawing the attention of the Council to the amount of road work which had been done on a recent Sunday in the City. In this connection the General Manager explained that it had been their practice to do as little work on Sundays as possible but owing to the present conditions of labour and the difficulty in securing teams it had been found necessary on several occasions to have a number of the employees on duty on Sundays. The snow storms this winter had followed each other in quick succession and it had been necessary to remove the snow from the streets with as little delay as possible to avoid congestion of traffic.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter from Mrs. Martha A. Barlow on behalf of the Westmount Soldiers' Wives League thanking the City Council for their kindness in sending flowers to their room in the Khaki League.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following petition signed by four householders in Selby St. requesting:

A. That certain improvements be made to the sidewalk on the west side of Greene Avenue from above the C. P. R. Bridge to the City limits at ST. ANTOINE ST.

B. That the lane on the north side of Selby St. running west of Greene Avenue be paved.

The Sec. Treasurer also submitted a petition signed by twenty-one householders on Selby Street in support of the same improvements and on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the whole matter was turned over to the General Manager and the City Engineer who were instructed to make full enquiry as to the alleged conditions and also to report on the estimated cost of making the improvements this year.
The Sec. Treasurer submitted a further communication from Mr. F. W. Sharp regarding the charge of $5.00 made against him for establishing street line on Cote St. Antoine Road.

Instructions were given that Mr. Sharp be informed that the charge was made according to By-law and could not be altered.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that the following Westmount citizens had been decorated by King George V for services overseas:

Lieutenant Clarence J. Dryden
4543 St. Catherine Street.
Son of the Late Geo. S. Dryden
Awarded Military Cross

Captain William Henry Douglas Murray
Railway Construction Company
36 Church Hill
Awarded Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was agreed that letters of congratulation from the City Council be forwarded to Lieutenant Dryden and Captain Murray.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that the Council stand adjourned until Tuesday the 9th. April at 9 p. m.

[Signatures]

Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 9th, 1918 AT 10 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau
Commissioner E. H. Brown
do W. K. Grafftey
ndo R. B. Common
ndo P. W. McLagan

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that Mr. C. J. Brown be granted a permit to alter his building on St. Catherine Street being civic number 4263 into a Public Garage, Mr. Brown having given an undertaking respecting the same as per his letter of the 8th. April 1918.

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Alf. W. K. Grafftey the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. W.K. Grafftey, Commissioner of the Light and Power Department submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be authorized to sign a contract with the Buffalo & Susquehanna Coal & Coke Co. as submitted, for 2000 tons of Run of Mine Du Bois or Sagamore Coal at 3.05 per net ton, F.O.B. cars.

In moving the adoption of this recommendation Ald. W.K. Grafftey pointed out that at this new contract price the total cost per ton to the City would work out at considerably less than last year's figures.

The motion was seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan and unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that Ald. E. H. Brown be appointed Acting Mayor for the ensuing three months, namely, May, June and July.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that in a recent list of casualties the name of the following Westmount citizen appeared:

Captain Edward Wilks Waud,
13th. Battalion,
Son of E. W. Waud, 259 Peel Street, formerly of 4236 Sherbrooke Street.

Died of wounds.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that the name of Captain Waud be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

The Sec. Treasurer presented By-law #333, as amended, imposing the Business taxes and License Fees and on the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that By-law #333, as amended, be read a second time.
On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan it was resolved that By-law #333 be read a third time. By-law #333 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Consideration of the new Health Regulations was deferred until next session.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted letters from Major D. A. Stewart, B. S. C. and Captain Geo. Vibert Douglas, M. C. thanking the members of the Council for their message of congratulation on the appearance of their names in a recent list of honours awarded for Military distinction.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.

[Signature]
Acting Mayor
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Sec. Treasurer
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING,
MAY 7TH, 1918 AT 9.15 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;-

Mayor John McKergow,
Ald. P. W. McLaughan
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. R. E. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLaughan, Commissioner of Finance, submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that payment of the under-noted accounts and pay rolls for the month of April 1918 be confirmed;

| Finance Accounts   | 6232.54 |
| Victoria Hall Accounts | 326.55 |
| Roads Accounts     | 3221.65 |
| Police Accounts    | 177.25  |
| Parks Accounts     | 177.26  |
| Library Accounts   | 6426.57 |
| Electric Light Accounts | 9061.87 |
| Roads Pay Rolls    | 1095.60 |
| Parks Pay Rolls    | 60.00   |
| Victoria Hall Pay Rolls | 2843.27 |
| Police Pay Rolls   | 3333.50 |

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLaughan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a Special Grant of $1000.00 be made to the Canadian Y. M. C. A. Military Service work, payment to be made from the patriotic funds.

In moving the adoption of this recommendation Ald. P. W. McLaughan drew attention to the essential character and wide scope of the undertakings of the Institution. On being seconded by Ald. R. E. Common the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that an additional sum of $5000.00 to be taken from General Funds for the purchase of stock be authorized.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLaughan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee;-

J. H. HAND

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. J. H. Hand for permission to erect a private garage on the north west corner of Sunnyside and Grosvenor Avenues, be granted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. E. Common this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

DR. MORGAN'S GARAGE

Your Committee recommends that the application of Dr. E. M. Morgan for permission to erect a private garage on the south west corner of Metcalfe Ave. and Cote St. Antoine Road, be granted.
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

BELGO CANADIAN REALITIES. Your Committee recommends that the application of the Belgo-Canadian Realities Co. Ltd. for permission to erect a garage on the North west corner of Belgium and Westmount Avenues, be granted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends the adoption of the following resolution;-

WHEREAS Mr. Hugh McCallum has been in the employment of this City for a period of twenty-five years and is now 75 years of age; and

WHEREAS it is found that the duties and responsibilities of his position as Assistant Road Superintendent are too onerous for one of his age; and

WHEREAS it is desirable that in recognition of Mr. McCallum's long, faithful and efficient work his services shall be retained by this Corporation throughout the natural term of his life,

Your Committee therefore does unanimously recommend that the City Engineer be instructed and hereby instructed to provide some light and agreeable employment for Mr. McCallum and that dating from the 11th. day of May 1918, Mr. McCallum shall be paid at the rate of Ten dollars and fifty cents ($10.50) weekly for the period aforesaid.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Alf. W. K. Grafftey this resolution was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that Council authorise the acceptance of tenders for supplies in accordance with the report of the Engineer as follows;-

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CRUSHED STONE

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SAND. LAKE OF TWO MOUNTAINS. ST. JOSEPH.

THE TENDER OF THE MONTREAL SAND & GRAVEL CO. FOR PIT SAND

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THE TENDER OF THE MONTREAL SAND & GRAVEL CO. FOR RIVER SAND

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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
Ald. R. B. Common drew attention to the good work being done by the Police Department in their activities against automobile thieves in the City, five or six convictions with severe penalties had recently been secured.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I regret to have to report that the names of the following Westmount citizens have appeared in recent casualty lists:

- Sub-Flight Lieut. Edmund Grace, Royal Naval Air Service,
  Son of Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Grace,
  427 Elm Avenue.
  Missing since September 1917, now presumed to have been killed.

- Gunner David B. McDowell, 34th Battery, C. F. A.
  Son of Mr. & Mrs. John McDowell, 31 Selby Street.
  Died of wounds and burns.

- Sergeant John Rowley, 73rd Battalion R. E. C.
  Son of Mr. John Rowley, 371 Lansdowne Avenue.
  Killed in action.

- Flight Commander John Roy Allan, D. S. C.
  Royal Naval Air Service.
  Son of Mrs. John Allan.
  Killed in action.

- Second Lieut. Burdette McKim
  Royal Air Service
  Son of Mr. J. Nelson McKim, 648 Roslyn Avenue.
  Missing since March 10th, 1918, now reported as having died in Germany.

- Second Lieut. R.P. Macaulay Cushing,
  Royal Garrison Artillery,
  Husband of Mrs. R. Macaulay Cushing, 1190 Cote Road and
  Son of Mrs. Chas. Cushing, 555 Mt. Pleasant Avenue.
  Died of wounds.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that as a mark of honour and esteem these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with resolution previously adopted be sent to their next of kin.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizen, Flight Commander John Roy Allan, had recently been decorated for service overseas, he having been invested by the King with the Distinguished Service Cross.
A letter of acknowledgment of the Council's congratulations was read from Miss Alice V. Douglas who had recently been invested with the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

A letter was read from Mr. E. W. Waud thanking the Council for their expression of sympathy on the loss of his son Captain E. W. Waud, on active service.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a communication from Mr. G. Durnford asking the City's acceptance of a sketch of the Cottage known as "The Haunted Cottage of Sisson's Lane". On the back of this sketch is noted the legend of the place, an old landmark of Westmount.

On the motion of Ald. E. P. McLagan seconded by Ald. G.W.H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that the Council accept this interesting gift and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to write to Mr. Durnford accordingly expressing the Council's appreciation of his action.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter from Massay & Place, Advocates, enclosing a petition of a number of ladies, residents chiefly in Westmount, members of the "Ia-ho-ti-ra Society" who desire incorporation under the Clubs' Act.

On the motion of Ald. G.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. E. Common it was resolved that the application be approved.

A letter was submitted from Mr. John S. Archibald, tendering his resignation as a member of the Architectural Commission following on his recent appointment as a member of the Montreal Tramways Commission.

A further letter from Mr. John S. Archibald was read, tendering his resignation as Architect of the Shelter at the corner of Lansdowne Av. and St. Catherine St. for the same reason.

On the motion of Ald. E. P. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown both these resignations were accepted and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to express to Mr. Archibald the Council's appreciation of his good work during all the time he had given his services to the Architectural Commission of the City.

The vacancy caused on the Commission Board was referred to the General Committee for consideration.

A letter from the Massay Harris Co. Ltd. making application for certain improvements on Selby and Hallowell Streets was referred to the General Committee.

A letter from the Sec. Treasurer of the Western division Rifle Association of the Montreal Home Guards was read expressing thanks for the use of the Bowling Alley at Victoria Hall for the past season.

Ald. E. H. Brown, on behalf of the members of the Council offered his congratulations and welcome to Mayor McKergow on his safe return to the City after an extended absence.

On the motion of Ald. E. P. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. E. Grafftey the Council adjourned until Tuesday the 21st. inst. at 9.30 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 21st, 1918, at 10:30 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
do W. K. Grafftey
do E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be instructed to proceed with the following capital works, expenditure to be made under funds as indicated:

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BY-law 283

Paving Lane from West of Pr. Albert to north of Windsor

525.00

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the request of Mr. J. H. Demers for permission to re-subdivide his Lot situated on Cad. 207, Subdivisions #1-2-3-4 and 5 at the North West corner of Claremont Ave. and Sherbrooke St. changing the frontage to Sherbrooke St. and Claremont Ave. be granted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that permission be granted to Mr. J. H. Demers to erect a 10 stall garage on the north west corner of Claremont Avenue and Sherbrooke Street.
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Parks Department, commented on the great activity noticeable in connection with the cultivation of vacant lots in the City, reporting that the number of lots that had been applied for to date, was about 1250 exclusive of back yard gardens which would probably number about 300.

Ald. P. W. McLagan moved that the Council donate prizes to the value of $250.00 to be paid out of General Reserve Fund, for gardens and garden produce to be awarded at the exhibition of fruits and vegetables to be held in Victoria Hall in the late fall.

This motion was seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously agreed to. The arrangements in the meantime were left in the hands of the Parks Committee and the General Manager.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter received from the Montreal Civic Administration Commission inviting the attendance of a delegation at a conference to be held on Wednesday the 22nd, inst. at 3 o'clock, to discuss the situation in regard to the request by the Conductors and Drivers in the employment of the Montreal Tramways Co. for a substantial increase in the rate of wages paid.

It was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown and seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the Mayor, Ald. McLagan, City Attorney and the General Manager be appointed to attend the meeting.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a protest from a number of interested proprietors against the proposition of the White Construction Co. Ltd. to erect a garage on the east side of Greene Avenue between Sherbrooke St. and Western Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this was, in the meantime, referred to the management.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a communication from the Council of the City of Toronto respecting the movement on foot to provide for the abolition of the Senate of Canada.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that it be laid on the table.

Letters of acknowledgment of expressions of sympathy on the occasion of loss of relatives on active service were read from Mrs. R. M. Cushing, Cote St. Antoine Road and Mr. John McDowell, Selby Street.

A letter of invitation to the City Council and Ladies to attend the opening of a Park Fete on Thursday, May 30th. at 8.30 p. m. was submitted from the Westmount Soldiers' Wives' League and it was unanimously agreed that the invitation be accepted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I regret to have to report that the names of the following Westmount Citizens have appeared in recent casualty lists:—

Lieut. Col. James Vincent O'Donahoe,
87th. Battalion Grenadier Guards
Husband of Mrs. J. V. O'Donahoe
424 Wood Avenue.

Died of wounds.
Lieut. William S. Baillie,
87th. Battalion Grenadier Guards,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. James Baillie,
513 Roslyn Avenue.

Died of wounds.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that as a mark of honour and esteem these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with resolution previously adopted be sent to their next of kin.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that Council stand adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE GENERAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST-
MOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING,
JUNE 4th, 1918 AT 9.15 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE
PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. E. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the
following recommendation of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the payment of the under­
noted departmental accounts and pay rolls for the month of May 1918 be con­

firmed;

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Brown it was unanimously agreed to.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted the fol­
lowing recommendation of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the request of Mr. Thos. C.
Dionne for permission to erect a Garage on the north east corner of Sher­
brooke Street and Grosvenor Avenue, be granted, the said garage to be 17 ft.
from the Grosvenor Ave. Street line, that is, in line with the existing cot­
tage to the north.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted Mr. Lud­
ger Lemieux to erect a temporary garage on the south side of Selby Street
at a less distance than fifty feet from the street line, as per plans and
specifications submitted, subject to the approval of the City Engineer.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted Mr. Mar­
tin Eagan to erect a garage on the west side of Aberdeen Avenue on the side
line of his lot, seven feet from the rear, owing to the configuration of
the ground, as per plans and specifications submitted and subject to the
approval of the City Engineer.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Jas. J.
Waldie for permission to erect a garage on the north east corner of Dorches­
ter Street and Greene Avenue at a less distance than 50 feet from the street
line be granted- ----------------------------- --- as per plans
and specifications submitted, subject to the approval of the City Engineer.

Rondeau these recommendations were unanimously agreed to.
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Parks submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the cost of Grading Flower Beds, and paths, finishing paths in asphalt, installing bubbler and horse-trough at the Glen Cabins' and Tramways' Shelter, estimated to amount to $475.00 be and is hereby authorized to be taken from funds provided under By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Mayor McKergow intimated having received a donation of $75.00 from Mr. A. Pierce of Cote St. Antoine Road for distribution in prizes, to be competed for by cultivators of vacant lots throughout the City. Mr. Pierce had remarked on the number of women, children and returned soldiers using the lots this year and he intimated that he would be very glad to subscribe a further sum of $25.00 if this could be required.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved to accept Mr. Pierce's kind donation and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to send an appreciative letter of acknowledgment to Mr. Pierce.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated for services overseas:

Lieut. William J. Cowan,
4046 Tupper Street,
Fort Garry Horse, (formerly with 5th. Mounted Rifles)
Awarded Military Cross.

Lieut. Col. Raymond Brutinel,
413 Roslyn Avenue,
Canadian Machine Gun Forces,
Companion of St. Michael & St. George.

Colonel John Munro Elder,
400 Mt. Pleasant Avenue,
3rd. Canadian General Hospital,
Companion of St. Michael & St. George.

Lieut. Col. John A. Gunn,
510 Roslyn Avenue,
24th. Battalion,
Distinguished Service Order.

Lieut. Col. George W. Shearer,
627 Carleton Avenue,
27th. Battery C. F. A.
Distinguished Service Order.

Captain Norman A. Magor, D.S.C.
37 Rosemount Avenue,
Royal Air Service,
Awarded Royal Air Force Cross.
It was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I regret to have to report that the name of the following Westmount citizen appeared in a recent casualty list:—

Corporal Fred Wallis,
5th. Canadian Mounted Rifles,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. A. Wallis,
4123 Western Avenue,

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

Letters of acknowledgment of the Council's expression of sympathy for recent active service bereavements were read from Mrs. Amy O'Donahoe and Mrs. Lily M. Cushing.

A letter from the Westmount Soldiers' Wives League was read expressing thanks to Mayor John McKergow and the members of the Council also to the General Manager for services rendered in connection with the recent Fete in the Park.

Consideration of the By-law re Building Lines was deferred until next meeting.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 18th JUNE at 10 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT.

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee: -

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Jos. Levesque for permission to add a gallery to the wooden building at #382 Victoria Ave. be granted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the following Capital Work be authorized, funds to be taken from By-law #285: -

Sick boxes, stores and shoewing shop in Corporation Yard $6,850.36
Manure carrier 600.00
Chaff cutter and oat crusher 250.00
Garage and cart shed doors 1,350.00
Sidewalk on Greene Avenue from opposite Prospect Street to Selby Street 875.00

It was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau reported that a schedule of prizes had been prepared and issued in circular form to all those registered as cultivators of vacant lots in Westmount, at the same time remarking on the great interest and enthusiasm manifested by the many lot holders in the City.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report: -

I regret to report that in a recent casualty list the name of the following Westmount citizen appears: -

Signaller Archibald Graeme Anderson,
15th. Canadian Siege Battery,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. R. D. Anderson
453 Strathcona Avenue,
Killed in action.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McILagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

The Sec. Treasurer further reported that another Westmount citizen had recently been decorated for services to the Empire overseas:-

Major Hugh J. Haslelly,
2 Prospect Street,
Canadian Army Service Corps,

Awarded Distinguished Service Order.

It was moved by Ald. P. W. McILagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to this officer the congratulations of the Council.

Acknowledgment of expression of sympathy in recent Active Service bereavements were intimated from Mr. & Mrs. James Baillie #513 Roslyn Avenue and Mrs. John Allan #421 Roslyn Avenue.

A letter was read from Captain and Adjutant W. H. D. Murray thanking the Council for their message of congratulation on his recent promotion and decoration.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter from the Montreal Tramways Commission intimating the meeting to be held on Thursday the 20th June at 11 o'clock a.m. to hear the interested parties in reference to the fixing of the Tramways tariff for the year ending 30th June 1919.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McILagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown Mayor McKergow was appointed to be the City's representative at this meeting.

It was also deemed advisable that the City Solicitor should accompany the Mayor if this would be in order.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING JULY 2nd, 1918 AT 10.20 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Acting Mayor E. H. Brown,
Commissioner P. W. McLagan
do W. K. Grafftay
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of June, 1918-

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On the motion of Ald. McLagan seconded by Ald. Rondeau the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following reports:—

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated by King George V for services overseas:—

Captain David McGoun,
Royal Air Forces,
1 Cote St. Antoine Road,
Awarded Military Cross.

Acting Captain George Evelyn Tinling, (deceased)
3rd. Lancashire, Imperial Army,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. C.W. Tinling,
177 Edgehill Road
Awarded Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftay it was resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to Captain David McGoun the congratulations of the Council.

Captain Tinling's death having been previously reported to the Council the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to send a suitable appreciation to his relatives of the honor now awarded.
I regret to report to the Council that another Westmount citizen appears in a recent casualty list:

Signaller Herbert J. Rosevear,
3rd. Canadian Siege Battery,
son of Mr. & Mrs. J. J. Rosevear
61 Chesterfield Avenue
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau it was resolved that this name be inserted in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

Ald. P. W. McLagan reported a communication having been received from the Fuel Administrator of the Province of Quebec suggesting the advisability of having a local Fuel Controller.

Acting on this suggestion and as recommended by the General Committee, Ald. McLagan proposed that Mr. James Currie of #36 Roslyn Ave. be appointed as Fuel Controller for the City of Westmount.

This motion was seconded by Ald. W. E. Grafftey and unanimously adopted and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to advise Mr. Currie accordingly, at the same time intimating that every possible assistance would be rendered by officials and staff at the City Hall. It was also decided that any expense incidental to this work would be chargeable to Contingent Fund.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a draft By-law relative to a re-subdivision of the voting districts of the City.

The first reading of this By-law was deferred until the next regular meeting of Council.

A letter was read from Mr. J. B. White presently on active service in France thanking the Council for their felicitations on his recent decoration. (D.S.O.)

A letter was submitted from the W. C. T. Union and referred to the Parks Commission and the General Manager for attention.

The Sec. Treasurer, on behalf of Mayor McKegow, submitted a report of the meeting of interested representatives held on June 27th. last to discuss the new rate of Street Railway fares recently adopted by the Montreal Tramways Commission.

Ald. Rondeau in suggesting that discussion of this be deferred, in the absence of the Mayor, expressed the hope that the more public spirited of the citizens would take an active interest in this matter.

On the motion of Ald. McLagan the Council adjourned until Thursday the 4th. inst at 8 O'cloke p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT HELD ON THURSDAY EVENING THE 4th. JULY 1918 AT 9 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow,
Comm. E. H. Brown
Comm. W. K. Grafftey
Comm. P. W. McLagan
Comm. C. W. H. Rondeau

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the decisions of the Montreal Tramways Commission respecting the tariffs to be collected by the Montreal Tramways Company and respecting the operating allowance for car-mile and the maintenance allowance for car-mile.

After consideration and discussion it was moved by Commissioner E. H. Brown seconded by Commissioner P. W. McLagan and unanimously resolved that the City of Westmount appeal to the Quebec Public Utilities Commission from the decision of the Montreal Tramways Commission rendered the 21st. day of June 1918 establishing for the Montreal Tramways Company, the operating allowance per car-mile and the maintenance allowance per car-mile for the transportation of passengers, and from the decision of the Montreal Tramways Commission rendered the same date fixing the tariffs which the Montreal Tramways Company is authorized to collect for the year of operation ending on June 30th. 1919, and that the City Solicitor take the necessary proceedings to inscribe and prosecute such appeal in co-operation with the City of Montreal and any other Municipal Corporation interested.

Commissioner P.W. McLagan thereupon moved and it was seconded by Commissioner C.W.H. Rondeau that a committee to be composed of the Mayor, General Manager, City Solicitor and Sec. Treasurer be appointed to effectively co-operate with the representatives of the City of Montreal and other Municipal Corporations interested to examine the grounds upon which is based the changes in the tariff to be collected by the Montreal Tramways Co. and more particularly for the necessity for a charge being made for a transfer.

Commissioner C.W.H. Rondeau intimated that while in favor of making the appeal against the decision of the Montreal Tramways Commission believed that this in itself is not sufficient and thereupon moved; That the Council put itself on record as protesting against the legislation enacted respecting the contract between the City of Montreal and the Montreal Tramways Co. in so far as the contract between the City of Westmount with the Montreal Tramways Co. has been adversely affected.

This motion was seconded by Commissioner E.H. Brown and unanimously adopted.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT, AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 6th, 1918 at 10.15 p.m. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

John McKergow, Esq., Mayor
Commissioner E. H. Brown,
" R. B. Common,
" W. K. Grafftey,
" P. W. McLagan,
" C. W. H. Rondeau.

Minutes of meetings held on July 2nd and 4th 1918 were confirmed.

Alderman P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee;—

(1) That the following accounts and pay rolls passed by the Committees concerned, for the month of July 1918, be approved for payment,—

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On motion of Alderman P. W. McLagan, seconded by Alderman E. H. Brown, the foregoing recommendation was unanimously adopted.

(2) That Commissioner W. K. Grafftey be appointed Acting-Mayor of the City for the ensuing three months, viz, August, September and October 1918.

On motion of Alderman P. W. McLagan, seconded by Alderman R. B. Common, the foregoing recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee;—

That the contract made with the Bitulithic Paving Company, Ltd., for providing and laying two inches of sheet asphalt at $1.70 per square yard, on the roadway known as Lorraine Avenue from Claremont Avenue to its eastern limits, herewith submitted by the General Manager, be approved and confirmed, the plan, specifications and contract having been examined and approved by the City Solicitor, it is further recommended that the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the said contract on behalf of the City.

On motion of Alderman E. H. Brown, seconded by Alderman C. W. H. Rondeau, the foregoing recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman Rondeau, Commissioner of Parks, intimated that the judges appointed to examine the garden lots under cultivation had made their preliminary visit and would make their final round of the City at the end of this month. The prizes would be allocated and distributed at the Garden Show to be held in Victoria Hall in September.

Mayor McKergow made reference to the splendid appearance of the gardens and suggested the idea of opening a temporary market at some convenient place in the City where those people who had grown more vegetables than were necessary for their own use would be able to sell
or otherwise dispose of them.

In this connection the Secretary-Treasurer was instructed to communicate with Mr. J. S. Brierley, Chairman of the Montreal Cultivation Committee and report further to the next meeting.

The Secretary-Treasurer submitted the following reports:-
(1) I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated for services overseas,-

- Major Arthur Crosevensor Piddington
  Royal Field Artillery (Imperial Army)
  491 Mount Pleasant Avenue
  Awarded Military Cross

- Captain William C. Nicholson, M.C.
  5th Canadian Mounted Rifles
  formerly of 36 Church Hill
  Awarded Distinguished Service Order

- Captain Rufus Clement Holden
  Canadian Army Service Corps
  321 Kensington Avenue
  Awarded Military Cross

- Lieutenant Hugh Percival Illsley
  Royal Air Forces
  134 Clandeboye Avenue
  Awarded Croix de Guerre (France)

- Corporal David W. Smith
  2nd Divisional Signal Corps
  175 Metcalfe Avenue
  Awarded Meritorious Service Medal

It was moved by Alderman P. W. McLagan, seconded by Alderman E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the Secretary-Treasurer be directed to convey to these mentioned or their next of kin the congratulations of the Council. Special reference was made to Captain Nicholson who had enlisted as a private, had won his way to a captaincy on the field, finally being awarded the Distinguished Service Order and the Military Cross. It was noted also that Captain Nicholson had lost his right arm in action.

(2) I regret to have to report that in recent lists of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appeared:-
- Lieut. Tom Farrar Scott, M.M.
  Royal Flying Corps,
  son of Mr. & Mrs. W. L. Scott
  3 Thornhill Avenue
  Killed in action

- Lieut. George M. Scott
  Royal Naval Air Service
  son of Mr. & Mrs. R. N. Scott
  250 The Boulevard
  Killed in action.

- Corporal Pilot Alfred D. Pelton
  French Flying Corps
  son of Mrs. Godfrey S. Pelton
  formerly of 4118 Sherbrooke Street
  Killed in action.

It was moved by Alderman P. W. McLagan, seconded by Alderman R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that as a mark of honour and esteem, these
names be inscribed in the Minutes of Council and that a letter of
condolence, together with the resolution of sympathy previously adopted,
be sent to their next of kin.

The Secretary-Treasurer submitted a By-law to amend the
existing By-law re Electoral Sub-divisions of the City.
It was moved by Alderman P. W. McLagan, seconded by Alderman
E. H. Brown and resolved that the said By-law be read a first time.
It was moved by Alderman Grafftey, seconded by Alderman R. E.
Common and resolved that the said By-law be read a second time.
It was moved by Alderman R. E. Common, seconded by Alderman
C. W. H. Rondeau and resolved that the said By-law be read a third time.
The said By-law #334 having been read three times and adopted
was ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Secretary-Treasurer submitted a letter which had been
received from Messrs Foster, Martin, Mann, Mackinnon, Hackett & Halvema
enclosing protests from neighbouring residents and proprietors also a
protest from the Sisters of the Congregation of Notre Dame de Montreal
against the proposed construction of a public garage on the Arena
Company's property.
After some consideration it was moved by Alderman W. K. Grafftey,
seconded by Alderman R. E. Common and unanimously resolved that the
matter in the meantime be referred to the General Committee for
consideration and final report to the next meeting.

The Secretary-Treasurer submitted and read a letter from Lieut.
Col. C. M. Strange thanking the Council for its contribution of $500.00
recently made to the Band Fund of the 58th Westmount Rifles.

Letters of acknowledgement of expressions of sympathy forwarded
by the City Council, in recent active service bereavements were submitted
and read from
Mr & Mrs R. D. Anderson
Mr & Mrs J. J. Rosevear
Mr & Mrs A. Wallis.

A letter of acknowledgement was read from Mr C. W. Tinling
thanking the Council for their message of congratulation on the awarding
of the Military Cross to his son Acting Captain Geo. E. Tinling (deceased).
A letter of acknowledgement was read from Lieut. Wm. J. Cowan
thanking the Council for their message of congratulation on his recent
decoration.
A letter of thanks for the expression of sympathy from the Council
was submitted and read from Mr A. T. Chapman, together with acknowledgement

Alderman W. K. Grafftey reported that he had attended on Saturday,
August 3rd the dedication of a memorial flag staff at the plots in Cote
des Neiges and Mount Royal Cemeteries of the Last Post Imperial Naval and
Military Contingency Fund and commented on the apparent good fellowship
and kindly feeling existing between the different creeds represented on
that occasion. He also remarked on the highly patriotic character of
the speeches of the various delegates who addressed the gathering.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

Mayor.

Secretary-Treasurer.
The Valuation Roll for the year 1918-19, as prepared by the City Assessors, was submitted for homologation. Appeals from the under-noted proprietors against the Valuation Roll and requesting reduction of the valuation made against their respective properties were submitted and dealt with as follows:

Roll Number 4620/21.
T. Waterston, Nos. 4468 and 4470 St. Catherine St.
Appeal dismissed.

Roll Number 3004.
G. S. Page, Lot Nos. 8/40 and 7/39, of Cad. 224-222 A, Belmont Avenue.
Appeal dismissed.

Roll Number 3915.
L. C. Bernier, Lot Nos. 18 and 19 of Cad. 225 Edgehill Road.
Appeal dismissed.

Roll Number 1956.
A. Pierce, Cad. 215, part 27 and 27 A, Sherbrooke Street.
Appeal dismissed.

Roll Number 6329/30.
Col. Rexford, on behalf of the Mt. Royal Stables Ltd #1 Hillside Avenue.
Cad. 1416.
Appeal dismissed.

Roll Number 2974.
F. J. Knox, Cad. 222A, 3) 640 Belmont Ave.
226 18
Appeal dismissed.

Roll Number 3864.
W. R. Miller, Cad. 239B, Sub. 156.
46 Surrey Garden.
Mr. H. H. Ransom, Chairman of Assessors made certain explanations regarding this property and having recommended a reduction of the valuation it was resolved, on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W.K. Grafftey that the valuation be reduced to $85,000 and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to make the necessary alteration in the roll.
Roll Number 5235.


#473 Argyle Avenue.

This appeal was referred to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors for further enquiry and report.

Roll Number 7053.

C. L. Freedman. Cad. 375, Sub. 50. #322 Elm Ave.

On the recommendation of the Chairman of Assessors it was resolved, on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey that this valuation be reduced by the sum of $500.

Roll Number 4239.

John Hyde. Cad. 236, Sub. 22, north west corner of Strathcona Ave. and Sherbrooke St.

Appeal dismissed.

Roll Number 589.

John Hyde. Mr. Hyde appeared in support of his appeal which was submitted against the assessment of $1100. made upon the lane known as lot 215-109-03 at the rear of Nos. 503 and 505 Victoria Avenue.

After hearing explanations by the Chairman of Assessors and on full consideration it was resolved, on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey that the matter be referred to the Board of Assessors and the Solicitor who were instructed to enquire fully and report further on the whole question of lanes such as this one, in the City.

Roll Number 7466 to 7469

do 8268 to 8270

Ex-Mayor Wm. Rutherford appeared in support of the application of the Mechanics Institute for exemption from taxation of their property at the corner of Atwater Avenue and Tupper Street.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that the property be free from municipal taxation as long as it is used solely as an Institution for educational purposes.

Roll Number 3929/33.

A letter was submitted from Mr. W. G. M. Shepherd requesting a reduction of the valuation on his property on Edgill Road, Crescent Heights, Lots Nos. 31-34-35-37-39, on account of a recently established shortage of 1552 square feet.

Mr. Ransom the Chairman of Assessors having certified as to the measurements as allledged by Mr. Shepherd, it was resolved, on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey that the roll be amended accordingly and that the valuation be changed from $19,400 to $19,150.

Roll Number 4936/38

A letter was submitted from the Ross Realty Co. Ltd. as Agents for the Estate John Monk requesting a re-grouping of lots numbered 49, 50, 51 and 52 of Cad. 278 on Kensington Avenue.

The Chairman of Assessors having reported the result of his enquiry into this matter dealing with records as far back as 1894, it was resolved on the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by
Ald. R. B. Common that the following re-grouping, as recommended by Mr. Ransom be adopted, viz:—

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The Sec. Treasurer was instructed to make the following changes in the Valuation Roll as recommended:—

Property #831 St. Antoine Street. Tenant W. Shapiro instead of Chaput.
Property #833 St. Antoine Street. Tenant H. Sadler instead of Mrs. G. Sadler.
Property #386 Wood Avenue. (Estate of W. J. Poupore) Tenants. Miss Mable Poupore, Miss Mary Poupore, J. Guy Poupore, Wm. Poupore, Roy R. Poupore.
Property #4203 Dorchester St. (Estate J. R. Wright) Tenant Widow J. R. Wright.
Property #481 Roslyn. Andrew H. Jack (The proprietor's father now deceased.) Name to be deleted.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLaughan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the homologation of the Roll was deferred until next meeting of the Council.

Ald. P. W. McLaughan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls, for the month of August, 1918:

- Finance Accounts: $4778.81
- Victoria Hall Accounts: $33.97
- Roads Accounts: 9501.60
- Police Accounts: 1350.34
- Parks Accounts: 560.17
- Library Accounts: 128.72
- Electric Light Accounts: 4623.35
- Roads & Scavenging Pay Rolls: 8923.87
- Parks Pay Rolls: 1573.88
- Victoria Hall Pay Rolls: 66.00
- Police Pay Rolls: 2612.67
- Electric Light Pay Rolls: 2592.64

$36896.02

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLaughan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:
1. Your Committee recommends that the application of W. William Fyn for permission to install a 3 h.p. electric motor to operate one 54" mangle and two washing machines in the building at the south-east corner of Greene and Western Avenues, be granted.

2. Your Committee recommends that Messrs Reid Bros. be awarded the contract for the erection of sick boxes, stores and shoeing shop in the Corporation Yard, at the following rates:

   For erection $6,470.00
   Extras, -
   $1.75 per cubic yard for excavation and baling or pumping water (if any) from foundation and carting away surplus earth.
   $12.00 per cubic yard for concrete, as per specification form.

   This work to be completed within eight weeks from date of acceptance of tender.

3. Your Committee recommends that Mr. A. H. Pearson be granted a permit for the erection of a garage at the south-west corner of Lansdowne and Westmount Avenues.

4. Your Committee recommends that Mr. E. S. Jacques be granted a permit for the erection of a garage at the north-west corner of Belmont Avenue and Cote St. Antoine Road.

5. Your Committee recommends that the Prince Albert and Windsor Avenue lane be paved and that previous to the work being done, a careful estimate of the cost should be made and forwarded to each proprietor, indicating his or her individual share of the assessment.

6. Your Committee recommends that authority be given for the continuation of the sidewalk on the west side of Clarke Avenue north of the Boulevard to Mr. W. B. Somerset's driveway, at an estimated cost of $110.00; and for the continuation of the roadway to the same point at an estimated cost of $225.00. (Funds to be taken from By-law #285).

7. Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Malcolm D. Barclay, F. L. S. for permission to re-subdivide subdivision 51 of cadastral lot 277 on Kitchener Avenue be granted.

8. Your Committee recommends that an additional appropriation to the Road Department be made, as follows:

   For the completion of two snow ploughs $25.00
   (To be taken from Depreciation Reserve)

   For the completion of three snow ploughs and two sleighs $125.00

   For the completion of manure carriers
   (To be taken from funds provided under By-law #285) $340.00 $465.00

9. Your Committee recommends that an additional appropriation not to exceed $25,000.00 be made to the Road Department to cover additional cost of maintenance and administration of the Roads and Sweaving Departments and the collection and destruction of garbage, said amount to be taken from funds set aside as Reserve for General Purposes.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftor, the foregoing recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau drew attention of the Council to the forthcoming Fruit and Vegetable exhibit to be held in Victoria Hall on the 19th September commencing at 12 o'clock noon.
The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated for services to the Empire and her Allies.

**Corporal Hugh Mackay Patterson,**
24th. Battalion,
Son of Mr. John Patterson,
4222 Dorchester Street,
Awarded the Croix de Guerre by the King of the Belgians.

**Lieut. Arthur Norman Sclater,**
6th. Canadian Field Ambulance,
Son of Mrs. C. P. Sclater,
4331 Montrose Avenue,
Awarded the Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to Corporal Patterson the congratulations of the Council.

It was noted with great regret that the intimation of the decoration conferred upon Lieutenant Sclater had been quickly followed by the news of his death in action.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I regret to have to report that in recent lists of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appeared:—

**Lieut. Arthur C. Forrest,**
Royal Air Forces,
Son of Mrs. B. J. Forrest,
21 Melbourne Avenue.
Killed in action.

**Captain Edward Goff Trevor Penny, M. C.**
14th. Battalion, Royal Montreal,
Son of Mr. & Mrs. E. Goff Penny,
482 Mount Pleasant Avenue.
Killed in action.

**Lieut. Chas. E. Hyde,**
73rd. Battalion R. H. C.
Son of Mr. John Hyde, 340 Wood Ave.
Husband of Mrs. Chas. E. Hyde, 520 Grosvenor Ave.
Killed in action.

**Lieut. Arthur Norman Sclater, M. C.**
6th. Canadian Field Ambulance,
Son of Mrs. C. P. Sclater,
4331 Montrose Avenue,
Killed in action.

**Captain John Clontarff Kelvyn Carson, M. C.**
14th. Battalion, Royal Montreal,
Son of Sir John and Lady Carson,
4113 Sherbrooke Street,
Killed in action.
Lieut. Reginald Eric Binmore, 87th Battalion Grenadier Guards, Son of Mrs. Raymond Binmore, 432 Claremont Avenue
Killed in action.

Sergeant Harry R. Beveridge, M. M., Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, Son of Mrs. H. R. Beveridge, 454 Argyle Avenue, Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

Ald. McLagan commented on the cheering and hopeful news presently being received from the seat of war, remarking at the same time that the price of victory meant a loss of many valuable lives that could ill be spared from any community.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Thursday the 5th. September, at 9.30 p. m.

[Signatures]
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON THURSDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 5th, 1918, AT 9 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow,
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The Council was waited upon by several interested proprietors and residents in the neighbourhood of the Arena Company's property who attended in support of their previously registered protests against the erection of the proposed Garage and Arena.

Mayor McKergow announced the report of the General Committee that the Arena Company had withdrawn their application in favor of an amended application for permission to erect a Garage, only, on the same site.

Mr. D. Ross McCord on his own behalf and Mr. J. A. Frigon on behalf of the Sisters of the Congregation of Notre Dame, expressed satisfaction at this announcement and asked permission to examine the plans for the proposed new garage when such had been submitted to the City authorities.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

Chairman

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION HELD ON THURSDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 5TH, 1918, AT 9.40 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

The Sec. Treasurer submitted and read a letter from Lt-Col. F. Minden Cole on behalf of Mr. Justice Trenholm asking for a reduction of the valuation of his property on Rosemount Avenue.

After hearing explanations from the Chairman of the Assessors, the appeal was dismissed.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted written notification from Mrs. Lena McDougall that she had removed from #4449 Montrose Avenue to #4343 Westmount Avenue where Miss McDougall would continue her private school for the coming season.

It was therefore resolved to transfer the valuation of this property to the non-taxable column and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed accordingly.

Appeals against the current Valuation Roll which had been left over from meeting of Council on the 3rd. inst. for further enquiry and report, were dealt with as follows:

**Roll #6094**

Mr. H. F. Jackson. 473 Argyle Ave. (for St. Catharine St. prop)

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Mr. H. H. Ransom, Chairman of the Board of Assessors reported that he had made a very thorough and careful examination of this and the adjoining properties according to previous instructions received and as a result of this examination he would recommend the following alterations in the Valuation Roll:

Mr. H. F. Jackson's property, as above, to be reduced to the sum of $11,650.00 being at the rate of $2.50 per foot on 4662 feet.

**ROLL #6095/6**

Messrs Quigley & Burke.

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This property to be reduced to the sum of $5,150.00, being at the rate of $3.20 per foot on 1605 feet.

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This property to be reduced to the sum of $4,950.00 being at the rate of $3.20 per foot on 1543 feet.

**ROLL #6100**

Mr. M. J. Quigley

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This property to be reduced to the sum of $4,950.00 being at the rate of $3.20 per foot on 1550 feet.
COUNCIL MINUTES

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Pt 7
Lot 216-109-03
John.
Hr. Theodule
Cadastral
Pt 11-10
Pt 254a
Pt 5
Pt 7

This property to be reduced to the sum of $5,100.00 being at
the rate of $3.20 per foot on 1597 feet.

Brown it was resolved that these alterations as recommended, be given effect to.

ROLL #699
Mr. John Hyde.
Lot 215-109-03

After hearing explanations by the Chairman of the Board of
Assessors with reference to the valuation of this lane property, it was moved
by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and resolved;
(a) That the valuation of this property for assessment pur-
poses be cancelled for the current year.
(b) That proprietors of every lane not freely open to the
public should be taxed therefor until the properties are deeded to the City
or registered as a public lane.

On the further recommendation of the Chairman of the Board of
Assessors the under-noted changes were authorized to be made in the Roll:

ROLL #7699
#467 Mount Pleasant Avenue.
Estate Thos. J. Rutherford,
Mrs. Widow Thos. J. Rutherford to be enrolled as tenant.

ROLL #817
#46 Surrey Gardens.
Mr. W. R. Miller

Rental value to be altered to $2,750.00.

ROLL #7053
#322 Elm Avenue.
Mr. C. E. Freedman

Rental value to be altered to $570.00.

All complaints and appeals in connection with the valuation
roll having been considered and dealt with, it was moved by Ald. P. W. Mc-
Lagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the said
roll, as amended, be and is hereby homologated.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that another
Westmount citizen has been decorated for services to the Empire.

Captain William E. Morgan,
22nd. Battalion, C. E. F.
Son of Mr. E.A.D. Morgan,
4026 Dorchester Street.

Awarded Military Cross.

Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to
convey to this officer the congratulations of the Council.
I regret to report that in a recent list of casualties the name of the following Westmount citizen appears:

Gunner K. E. Young,
66th Battery, C. F. A.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth D. Young,
15 Aberdeen Avenue,
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance, submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that authority be given to transfer the sum of $5000 for the Halifax Relief from Contingent Account to the Patriotic Fund Account under By-law #329.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that an additional appropriation of $25,000.00 be and is hereby authorized to be made on account of estimated expenditure for maintenance and administration of Roads Department and including collection and destruction of garbage.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted acknowledgments from Mr. & Mrs. R. N. Scott and family of #250 The Boulevard, and Mrs. Harriet A. Pelton, for expressions of sympathy received in their recent active service losses.

The Sec. Treasurer also submitted a letter of thanks from Mr. Percival I. Illsley for congratulations sent him on the decoration of his son Hugh Percival Illsley with the Croix de Guerre of France.

A letter from the City Clerk of Saskatoon dealing with the physical condition of men examined under the Military Service Act was referred to the General Committee.

A circular letter from the Medical Superintendent of Verdun Hospital for the Insane, intimating their Annual Field Day, to be held on September 14th, and inviting the attendance of the Mayor and Council was also submitted.

A letter from Mr. John Millen complaining of certain trees opposite his residence on Wood Avenue was referred to the General Committee for attention.

A request was submitted from Alyss M. Brown, Sec. of the Patriotic Volunteer Order of Workers asking for the use of Victoria Hall free of charge for a bazaar to be held by the Society on the 8th and 9th of November.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved to grant this permission, as requested.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A REGULAR SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING,
OCTOBER 1st, 1918, AT 10 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;-

Acting Mayor W. K. Graftey
Alderman P. W. McLagan
do R. B. Common
do E. H. Brown
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance issued the following recommendations of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls, for the month of September 1918,-

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$21631.39

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

(1) Your Committee recommends that a grant of $100.00 be made to the Khaki League, from the funds of the Patriotic Tax.

(2) Your Committee recommends that a grant of $100.00 be made to the Catholic Army Huts, from the funds of the Patriotic Tax.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee;-

(1) Your Committee recommend that the cost of replacing etc., one wheel and other parts of steam roller #10, amounting to $412.60 be taken from depreciation fund of the Road Department.

(2) Your Committee recommends that the following expenditure be made out of funds provided under By-law #285.-

- $1525.00 for work in connection with the sidewalk and roadway in front of #2 Fire Station.
- $2071.45 for additional work done on repairs to the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company’s streets.

(3) Your Committee recommends that permission be granted to Mr. Art. Harries to erect a garage on his property at the corner of Sunnyside and Grosvenor Avenues, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.
(4) Your Committee recommends that the offer of Mr. James Baillie regarding an exchange of property between and the City at the corner of the Boulevard and Edghill Road be accepted, the expenses of deeds of transfer to be borne by the City, and that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be hereby authorized to sign the deeds on behalf of the City.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau Commissioner of Parks in moving a vote of thanks to Messrs. R. Brodie; James Currie and A. McD Drummond, who had kindly acted as judges of gardens and vegetable exhibits reported that the produce exhibition recently held in Victoria Hall had been most successful when prizes had been awarded of a total value of $301.50 of which $75.00 had been very kindly contributed by Mr. Ascher Pierce of #208 Cote St. Antoine Road.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau also reported that apparently some of the lot holders were experiencing difficulty in having their vegetables etc. removed to their homes and it was left with the General Manager to render assistance from the City in special cases of this kind reported to him.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that another of our Westmount citizens has been decorated by King George V for services overseas, viz:--

Captain John Foster Chisholm, Royal Naval Air Service, Son of Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Chisholm 35 Aberdeen Avenue

Awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLogan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I regret having to report that in a recent list of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appeared:

Lieut. Sidney H. Ball, Staff Officer Forestry Branch, Husband of Mrs. S. H. Ball 627 Carleton Avenue

Died of pneumonia in France.

Signaller Donald Ross Croil 3rd. Canadian Siege Battery Son of Mr. & Mrs. James Croil 143 Cote St. Antoine Road

Died at St. Agathe.

Gunner Duncan Chisholm 13th. Canadian Siege Battery Son of Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Chisholm 35 Aberdeen Avenue

Killed in action.

Private W. B. Thorpe, Son of Mrs. W. B. Thorpe 4215 St Catherine St.

Died of wounds.
On the motion of Ald. F. W. McLean seconded by Ald.
R. B. Common it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes
of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of reso-
lution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

The Sec. Treasurer intimated that the list of Parlia-
mentary Electors had been prepared and all the legal requirements had been
completed with and that the said list was now remaining open for inspection
for a period of thirty days from the 16th. September 1918.

Consideration of the Municipal Assessment By-law was
defered until next meeting of the Council.

Letters of acknowledgment of expression of sympathy
received from the City Council were read from the following:-

Kenneth D. Young 15 Aberdeen Ave.
Mr. & Mrs. E. Goff Penny, 482 Mt. Pleasant Ave.
Sir John & Lady Carson, 4118 Sherbrooke St.
Mrs. H. R. Beveridge, 454 Argyle Ave.

Ald. F. W. McLean expressed regret of the Council
that Mayor McKergow was presently indisposed and confined to the house.

The meeting thereupon adjourned until Tuesday evening
the 8th. inst. at 9.30 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A
MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER
8th., 1918 AT 10.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE
PRESENT:-

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Chairman
Ald. E. A. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of Roads submitted
the following recommendations of the General Committee :-

Your Committee recommends that authority be given
to the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer to sign the petition to the Lieutenant
Governor in Council of the Province of Quebec for power to authorize the
opening of a street connecting Lansdowne and Roslyn Avenues and covering
portions of subdivisions Nos. 202 and 203 of Cad. Lot 218 and subdivisions
101 and 102 of Cad. Lot 221 the opening of the said street on the subdivi­
sions above mentioned having a width of less than 66 feet.

R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that the application of
Mr. J. W. Tatley to erect a garage on his property at #49 Belvedere Road,
be granted, subject to the provisions of the existing Building By-laws of
the City.

C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report :-

I regret to report that in a recent casualty list
the names of the following Westmount citizens appear:

Captain Charles Stuart Martin, M. C.
5th. Mounted Rifles,
Son of Mrs. R. D. Martin
5 Murray Avenue,
Killed in action.

Sergt. Sidney J. Hodgson,
66th. Battery, C. F. A.
Son of Arthur K. Hodgson
467 Strathcona Ave.
Killed in action.

Captain Alfred C. Hannaford, M. C.
24th. Battalion,
Son of A. Hannaford
26 Springfield Avenue
Died of wounds.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald.
E. H. Brown it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of
Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution
previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.
A letter of acknowledgment of expression of sympathy received from the Council on account of active service bereavement was read from Mr. W. C. Chisholm of #35 Aberdeen Avenue.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Thursday evening the 10th. inst. at 8 O'clock, at which date the rate of taxation for the Municipal tax for 1918-19 would be fixed.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 10th, 1918 AT 9 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Acting Mayor W. K. Grafftey, presiding,
Commissioner E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do P. W. McLagan
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Forming a quorum of the Council.

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance submitted a report of the General Committee setting forth the estimated requirements of the City for the year ending 31st. October 1919 to meet the current administrative expenses and interest and sinking fund, as follows, viz;-

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Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance, then submitted a recommendation as follows;-

Your Committee recommends that the administration assessment of the City of Westmount for the year from 1st. November 1918 to the 31st. October 1919 be fixed at the rate of eleven (11) mills on the dollar being due and exigible on the 1st. January 1919 together with a further recommendation that a discount of two and one half per cent (2 1/2%) shall be allowed to rate-payers of the City who shall pay the amount of their tax, as above, on or before the 30th. November 1918.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

BY-LAW 335

The Sec. Treasurer submitted By-law #335 entitled By-law to levy an Assessment to meet the current expenses of the City for the fiscal year 1918-19 and for other purposes.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the Bylaw was read a first time.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau at this stage suggested that an opportunity be given to members of the public, several of whom were in attendance, to address the Council.

Ex-Mayor Wm. Rutherford expressed himself as being quite
in agreement with the Council's intention to add one mill to the present rate of taxation and took the opportunity of paying tribute to the able manner in which the present Council administered the affairs of the City.

Mr. G. J. Cuthbertson, of #625 Carleton Avenue suggested to the Council the idea of procuring the services of a Commission of experts, say from New York, to study and report on the present valuations within the City. Acting Mayor Grafftey intimated that this suggestion would be duly noted by the Council.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan the Assessment Bylaw #335 was then read a second time. On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. P. W. McLagan the bylaw was read a third time. Bylaw #335 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Mr. J. P. Anglin, President of the Montreal Builders Exchange addressed the Council with reference to the existing Bylaws of the City of Westmount which he considered were in some particulars too stringent and prohibitive. He suggested the forming of a Commission of perhaps five members, such Commission to include a member of the Council, the City's Engineer, an Architect, a Sanitary Engineer and a member of the Builders Exchange who would study the said bylaws and revise and alter where necessary to meet the present conditions.

After some discussion it was moved by Ald. E. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that a Committee to consider the Building and Plumbing Bylaws be and is hereby appointed to be composed of the General Manager, City Engineer, one of the members of the Architectural Commission to be named by the Commission and an appointee of the Builders Exchange and that Mr. J. P. Anglin, President, be requested to convey to the Builders Exchange a request that such an appointment be made.

The Council thereupon adjourned for half an hour in order that the members might resume the meeting of the Committee.

The Council resuming its session, Commissioner P. W. McLagan submitted the following report of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the contracts existing between the City and the General Manager; Secretary Treasurer and City Engineer be extended and amended— the Committee further recommends that contracts be entered into between the City and the officials named as follows;— J. W. Waldon, City Solicitor; J. A. Hutchinson, M. D. Medical Health Officer; W. J. Horsman, Surgeon to the F. & H. Dept.; W. J. Horsman, Superintendent of Parks; W. J. Reynolds, Superintendent of Victoria Hall and that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer, or Acting Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the said contracts herewith submitted, in duplicate.

It was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the recommendations of the Committee be and are hereby accepted.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON
TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 22nd, 1918, AT
9:30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor John McKergow,
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Forming a quorum of the Council the Mayor presiding.

Ald. P. W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance presented
the following recommendations of the General Committee, viz;-

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be
and is hereby authorized, on behalf of the City to subscribe to the forth­
coming Dominion of Canada Victory War Loan, to the extent of $50,000.00.

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be
and is hereby authorized to subscribe to the following Bonds to the City of West­
mount Sinking Fund Commission, viz;-

A. $23,850 Dominion of Canada Victory Loan (1917) at a price not less
  than 99.103
B. $26,000 City of Westmount 4% Debentures issued under By-law #48, at
  a price not less than 81.95.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Ald. P. W. McLagan submitted By-law #336 entitled
By-laws to amend By-laws #266 and #315.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this by-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. McLagan seconded by Ald. Graff­
te the by-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. McLagan seconded by Ald. Rondeau
the by-law was read a third time.

By-law #336 having been read a first, second and third
time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted and read the following
report;-

I have much pleasure in reporting that two Westmount
citizens have recently been decorated for services overseas;-

Capt. Graham W. Curtis
Royal Air Forces
37 Bruce Avenue
Decorated by the King of Italy.

Corporal Arthur C. Johnston
13th. McGill Siege Battery
Son of Mr. C. W. Johnston
75 Somerville Ave.
Awarded Military Medal

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be di­rected to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.
The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:—

I regret to have to report that in recent casualty lists the names of the following Westmount citizens have appeared:—

Gunner Oliver H. Beckit,
66th. Battery, C. F. A.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. O. G. Beckit
121 Irvine Avenue
Killed in action

Lieut. William McLaren McLeod
Canadian Army Medical Corps.
Son of Mrs. C. H. McLeod
4135 Dorchester Street.
Died at sea.

Cadet Archie McNaughton
Royal Air Forces
Son of Mr. & Mrs. A. S. McNaughton
234 Grosvenor Avenue
Died of Spanish Influenza at Toronto.

Private James R. Locke,
#7 Canadian General Hospital
Son of Mr. & Mrs. William Locke
232 Redfern Avenue
Died of wounds.

Corporal J. J. Hackett
60th. Battalion
Husband of Mrs. J. J. Hackett
33 Selby Street
Killed in action.

Private John Shepherd
20th. Reserve Battalion
Son of Mr. & Mrs. John Shepherd
152 Selby Street
Died of wounds.

Driver Kenneth Savage,
Canadian Army Service Corps
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Rufus L. Savage
465 Mt. Stephen Avenue
Died of Spanish Influenza.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of a resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.
Letters of acknowledgment of expressions of sympathy from the Council on recent active service bereavements were read from the following:-

Mr. James Croil, 148 Cote St. Antoine Road.

Mrs. Helen M. Martin 1 Murray Avenue

Mr. Arthur J. Hodgson, 467 Strathcona Avenue

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A REGULAR SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 5th, 1918 AT 9.30 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor John McKergow
Ald. P. W. McLagan
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondseau

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. P. W. McLagan, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that payment of the under-noted departmental accounts and wages for the month of October be confirmed, viz—

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On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommend the purchase of a circular saw to be erected and equipped in the Corporation Yard at a total cost not exceeding $135.00, the expenditure to be taken from funds available under By-law #285.

This recommendation was seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following reports:—

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that two more citizens had been decorated in recognition of their services overseas.

Major J. Ernest McKenna,
60th. Battalion,
Awarded Military Cross.

Mrs Harry W. Weller, (Nursing Sister)
79 Arlington Avenue
Supt. Continental Hospital, France,
Awarded Medal de la Reconnaissance by the President of France.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to this Officer and Nursing Sister the congratulations of the Council.

**Hon. Committee to report that the**

I regret to have to report that in a recent list of casualties the name of the following Westmount citizen appears:

- Private E. F. Costello,
  Canadian Engineers,
  Son of Mrs. M. J. Costello,
  746 St. Antoine Street,
  Died of wounds.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a Supplementary Jury List for the year 1918-19 containing the Names of all persons who, since the delivery of the previous Extract or Supplement (as the case may be) have died, or no longer reside within the limits of the Municipality, or have become qualified disqualified, or exempt from serving as Juries, or have been discovered to have been erroneously included in, or omitted from, the previous Extract or Supplement.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this was unanimously approved.

The Sec. Treasurer intimated having received a protest at the instance of Chas. W. M. Macdonald against the proposed erection of a garage on the property of the Estate Henry Earle on Avenue Road.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this protest was referred to the General Committee.

Letter of acknowledgment of congratulatory messages from the Council was read from Captain W. E. Nicholson.

Letter of acknowledgment of expression of sympathy from the Council was presented and read from Mr. A. P. McNaughton.

The Sec. Treasurer having intimated that he had received an application from Mr. Alfred Walford, Treasurer of the Westmount Baptist Church for the exemption of the Church Property on Sherbrooke St. from taxation, it was moved by Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown that the property be exempt for the current year on the same basis and understanding as formerly.

It was also resolved that the property of the Westmount Methodist Church situated at the corner of Westmount and Roslyn Avenues be exempt this year as formerly.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Police reporting on the Influenza epidemic said that the number of cases had now dropped to four or five per day and he expressed the opinion that the progress of the epidemic had been adequately arrested. The total number of cases reported to date was 1145 of which 184 were considered severe and called Spanish Influenza, thirty cases in all had proved fatal.

It was agreed to await the decision of the Central Board of Health convened to meet on the 7th. inst. to discuss the question of the reopening of churches, schools etc.

The meeting therupon adjourned.

(Signed) Mayor

(Acting) Treasurer
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 3rd, 1918, AT 10 O'Clock at which were present:

Acting Mayor P. W. McLagan, Chairman
Commissioner W. K. Graffey
do E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. R. B. Common submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of November 1918:

Finance Accounts 4690.20
Victoria Hall Accounts 49.38
Roads Accounts 10374.63
Police Accounts 2924.92
Parks Accounts 395.13
Library Accounts 146.99
Electric Light Accounts 4244.92
Roads & Scavenging Payrolls 5814.73
Parks Payrolls 749.42
Victoria Hall Payrolls 2877.73
Police Payrolls 2552.28
Electric Light Payrolls 1500.00

$35420.33

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown the recommendation was carried.

1. Your Committee recommends that the following donations be made from the patriotic fund:

Canadian Red Cross 3250.00
Navy League of Canada 950.00
Canadian War Contingent Fund 300.00

$4500.00

2. That grants be made to the following institutions from the annual appropriation of funds for that purpose, viz:

Western Hospital 550.00
Montreal General Hospital 150.00
Victorian Order of Nurses, Westmount 100.00
Children's Memorial Hospital 150.00
Hervey Institute 150.00
Salvation Army Rescue Home 100.00
Home for Incurables 100.00
Montreal Day Nursery 50.00
Protestant Infants' Home 50.00
Charity Organization Society 100.00

1500.00

3. That an additional appropriation of $300.00 be made to Library Committee for the ensuing year.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Alf. W.K.
Grafftey these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. J. H. Hand for permission to erect a garage on his property situated on the North East Corner of Sunnyside and Grosvenor Avenues, in accordance with Plan as submitted, be granted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was adopted.

Ald. W. K. Grafftey, Commissioner of Light & Power Department submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that authority be given for the purchase of 55 series Nitrogen Lamps complete with constant current regulating transformer, switchboard and oil switch, at a total cost not to exceed $2500.00 the amount to be taken from the depreciation reserve fund of the Light Department.

On the motion of Ald. W. K. Grafftey seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following reports:

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council the following decorations of Westmount citizens:

Brigadier Raymond Brutinel, D. S. O.
Canadian Machine Gun Forces
Awarded Croix d'Officier by the Government of France.
(Brigadier Brutinel is a Companion of St. Michael and St. George and has also been awarded the Order of St. Lazarus & St. Maurice by the King of Italy.)

Lieut. S. A. Hutchinson,
Canadian Engineers,
427 Elm Avenue.
Awarded Military Cross.

Captain H. Allen Wilson
Royal Air Forces
Son of Mr. & Mrs. H. O. Wilson
617 Belmont Avenue.
Awarded the Air Forces Cross.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

I regret to have to report that in recent lists of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appear:

Captain Douglas Weir,
Canadian Army Service Corps
Son of Hon. R. S. and Mrs. Weir,
96 The Boulevard
Died of Spanish Influenza at Edinburgh, Scotland.
The Treasurer reported that a Municipal Voters List had now been completed and would be open for inspection in his office until the 17th December.

M. Helan; D. J. Gowans; A. E. Addleton Hope; and W. Borbridge.

After some discussion the matter was referred to the Police Department with instructions to communicate with the Manager of the Montreal Tramways Co. suggesting that a member of their "Safety First Committee" pay a visit to the schools and personally impress upon the children the importance of taking great care in crossing the streets at all times and places.

It was also recommended that this action be followed up by the Mayor and General Manager personally interviewing Col. J. E. Hutchison on the question.

The Treasurer submitted the following correspondence from the following citizens with reference to the recent fatal accident at the corner of Clarke Avenue and Sherbrooke Street and drawing attention to the danger point also at the corner of Victoria and Western Avenues, viz;-

M. A. Phelan; D. J. Gowans; A. E. Middleton Hope; and W. Borbridge.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

The Treasurer also reported receipt of information of the fact that Mr. G. W. Houston, Assistant Sec. Treasurer, who had gone overseas on active service about 9 months ago had been reported as missing since the 10th October. Ald. P. W. McLagan expressed the hope of the Council that good news of Mr. Houston might soon be forthcoming.

A letter anonymously signed "C. C. Bonds" suggesting a scheme for realizing the City's bonds in small denominations was submitted and referred to the General Committee.

Acting Mayor McLagan in a short address intimated that this being the first meeting of the Council since the signing of the armistice which practically ended the great world war he would propose to record the feelings of the Council in a note of thankfulness and rejoicing at the unqualified victory of the allies and the triumph of right over wrong.

He felt that the time was now opportune for the consideration by residents of Westmount of permanent recognition in memorial form of the citizens who had given their life in the allied cause and of every citizen who had enlisted in any of the services of the Canadian or the Imperial Army or Navy. He would suggest that the matter be thought over and talked of privately, in the meantime keeping in view a public meeting to be convened at an early date to discuss the whole question.

Westmount had reason to be proud of her share in the war, the number of enlistments reaching almost 10% of the population.
Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau enquired if the City intended to protest against the application of the Bell Telephone Co. for permission to make a 20% increase in their rates. Acting Mayor McLagan replied that the matter was presently under investigation by the Board of Railway Commissioners at Ottawa and that the City Attorney who had already attended a diet held in Ottawa for the hearing and examination of expert witnesses, was watching the case.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted two letters from Mr. F. W. Evans, Chairman of the Library Committee. These having been dealt with by the General Committee were ordered to be filed.

A letter of thanks for expression of sympathy on recent active service bereavement was read from Mrs. M. J. Costello and ordered to be filed. It was moved by Ald. Brown seconded by Ald. Common and resolved that the following recommendations of the General Committee be adopted, viz:—

1) That the application of the William Gray Sons, Campbell Ltd. for permission to make an extension to their present warehouse on Selby St. as per plans submitted, be granted.

2) That the application of the Massey-Harris Company for permission to make an extension to their premises on Selby St. as provided for by By-law #336 be granted.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON
TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17TH, 1918, AT
8.30 O’CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor John McKergow,
Comm. P. W. McLean
do W. K. Grafftey
do E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. R. B. Common, Police & Fire Commissioner, drew attention to a paragraph which had appeared in the press regarding the alleged refusal of the Westmount Fire Brigade to attend a small fire in St. Henry; the paragraph referred to being decidedly misleading and not according to the facts of the case. After Ald. Common’s explanations it was considered unnecessary to take any further action in the matter.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. A. J. Gay, for permission to erect a private garage on his property situated on the north-west corner of Hudson and Clarke Avenues, be granted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. G. A. Monette, Architect, acting on behalf of Mr. E. Ethier, to erect a garage on the S. E. corner of Cote St. Antoine Rd. and Roslyn Ave. at a distance of 22 feet from the street line, be granted.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that an expenditure of $120.00 to be taken from Depreciation Reserve Fund, be authorized for the purpose of replacing two sets of single harness which it has been found necessary to scrap.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted, in duplicate, an alphabetical list for each polling district of the names of persons entered on the valuation roll as well as on the collection roll and qualified to be entered in the electors’ list. I have removed therefrom, and indicated that they have no vote, the names of all those who are not entitled to have their names entered on such list (see Art. 117 of Charter).

The list has been signed and certified and deposited in my office and public notice given thereof according to law. I have to report the receipt of one complaint in writing from a person who deems himself aggrieved by the omission of his name from the list and therefore under Article 128 of the City Charter, submit the list for examination and correction.

He reported that he had removed therefrom, after indicating that they had no vote, the names of all those who were not entitled to have their names entered on such list (see Art. 117 of Charter). He also reported that the list had been duly signed and certified and deposited in his office and public notice had been given according to law.

He further reported the receipt of one complaint, in writing, from a person who deemed himself aggrieved by the omission of his name from the said list and therefore under Article 128 of the City Charter, he submitted the list for examination and correction.
On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to immediately add this name to the list.

On the motion of Ald. McLagan seconded by Ald. Brown it was resolved that the Municipal Voters' list, as amended and presented herewith be and is hereby confirmed.

In view of the probable forthcoming election the Returning Officer be instructed to arrange for Polling places in each district in such places as may be most convenient. In this connection the Sec. Treasurer submitted the written opinion of the City Solicitor to the effect that no person qualified to vote as proprietor, tenant or occupant is entitled to have his name entered on the electoral list who, on the first day of November of the year in which the list is prepared, is indebted towards the Municipality for any taxes or water rates (special taxes excepted).

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following reports:-

I have much pleasure in reporting that several of our Westmount citizens have recently been decorated for services overseas;

Corporal Ernest E. Mount
Canadian Engineers,
Son of Mr. E. C. Mount
33 Cote St Antoine Road
Awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal

Private J. Harry Macfarlane
9th. Field Ambulances,
Son of Mr. J C Macfarlane
4275 Dorchester Street
Awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these soldiers the congratulations of the Council.

I regret to report that in recent lists of casualties the names of the following Westmount citizens appeared:-

Major William Stewart
146th. Battalion,
Husband of Mrs. Kate Tinling Stewart
177 Edgehill Road
Killed in action.

Private David Ferguson
42nd. Battalion,
Husband of Mrs. David Ferguson
316 Prince Albert Avenue
Died of tuberculosis at Royal Victoria Hospital

On the motion of Ald. P. W. McLagan seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

A letter of acknowledgment for expression of sympathy on recent active service bereavement was read from Mr. R. Stanley Weir.

A letter of acknowledgment of congratulatory message from the Council was read from Captain G. W. Curtis.

A letter was read from Mrs. David S. Kerr, Corresponding Secretary of the Westmount Soldiers' Wives' League for courtesy and help extended
by the members of the Council, the General Manager and all the officials of the Westmount Corporation.

WAR TROPHIES The Sec. Treasurer reported a reply to his letter of 10th. inst. from the Militia & Defence Office at Ottawa, intimating that the City's application for a share of the war trophies would receive full consideration when the distribution is made.

The Sec. Treasurer read the following letter of date from Mayor McKergow to the Council of the City of Westmount;-

Gentlemen:-

My term of office is drawing to a close and having served the City for three terms I feel that I have done my duty and must now retire. In retiring from the Mayoralty office I wish to say that the cordial and harmonious co-operation of the Council during my three terms of office made my duties easy and pleasant. We have a most efficient General Manager and staff to whom our thanks are due for their loyal and capable handling of Westmount's affairs during the past strenuous and anxious years. Economy and efficiency have been our aim. Our Sinking Fund is in excellent shape and the City's credit has never stood higher.

To the citizens generally, I wish to express my sincere thanks for the confidence and courtesy I have at all times received from them. It has been a pleasure to serve the City of Westmount and I retire with regret.

Yours very truly,

John McKergow,
Mayor.

Ald. P.W. McLagan Commissioner of Finance in expressing keen regret at the receipt of this letter intimated that he felt sure that he was voicing the unanimous opinion of the City Council and indeed of the whole City when he said that the City had never been more capably and faithfully served in its mayoralty than by the present chief magistrate, John McKergow. He expressed much pleasure in moving that this letter be meanwhile laid on the table and this motion was immediately seconded by Ald. Common.

Ald. E.H. Brown in paying further tribute to Mayor McKergow referred to him as the Grand Old Man of Westmount, remarking that he believed it to be the unanimous opinion of the citizens that they had never been better satisfied than during the last six years.

Mayor McKergow in thanking the Council for their kind expressions of appreciation took the opportunity of thanking those who had been his colleagues during the term of office together. They had come through hard and strenuous times and had been up against scarcity of labour, excessive cost of material and other adverse conditions brought about by the great world war but each and all of them had done their best to carry on the affairs of the City with the most economical efficiency, he felt sure that with the better conditions obtaining in the future Westmount would become more prosperous than ever and he hoped that people would realize that especially on the upper level some of the finest residential sites in the Dominion were available.

Other complimentary and appreciative remarks followed from Ald. Rondeau and Ald. Grafftey.

The Sec. Treasurer then acting for the Mayor submitted the motion that of Ald. McLagan which was carried unanimously.

Ald. McLagan moved that in view of the Mayor's early departure for the south he be granted leave of absence for a period of three months. This was seconded by Ald. Brown and unanimously agreed to.
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau drew attention to the fact that the Montreal St. Railway were now stopping their east bound St. Catherine cars on Greene Avenue at St. Catherine Street instead of on St. Catherine St. immediately east of Greene Avenue as formerly, and suggested that steps be taken to make this change known to the public as quickly as possible.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

In view of recent changes in the regulations affecting fuel control in the Dominion as recently appeared in the Canada Gazette, your Committee recommends that Mr. James Currie be and is hereby re-appointed Fuel Controller for the district of the City of Westmount and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed to intimate this to Mr. Currie expressing the hope that he would be able to continue in office.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Acting Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 7th, 1919, AT 9:40 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WE ARE PRESENT.

Acting Mayor P. W. McLagan

Alderman W. K. Grafftey

do R. B. Common

do C. W. H. Rondeau

Alderman R. B. Common acting for the Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the Road Department be authorized to purchase from the Police Department a horse at a cost of $150.00, funds to be taken out of the depreciation reserve of the Roads Department.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Police, submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager and Chief of Police be authorized to purchase a horse for the use of the Police and Fire Department at a price not to exceed $300.00 the cost to be taken from Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Department.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. W. K. Grafftey this was unanimously agreed to.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that a number of our citizens have recently been decorated by King George V for their services to the Empire:-

Brig. General W.O.H. Dodds, C. M. G.,
Canadian Artillery, Western Avenue,
Distinguished Service Order.

Lieut. Col. C. Fredk. Ritchie, M. C.,
24th. Battalion,
475 Prince Albert Avenue,
Distinguished Service Order.

Captain W. Arthur Grafftey
42nd. Battalion
616 Sydenham Avenue.
Military Cross.

Captain Reginald Hyland Dean
Canadian Field Artillery
345 Metcalfe Avenue.
Military Cross.

Captain A. T. Howell
14th. Battalion
212 Metcalfe Avenue.
Military Cross.
Gunner Jack Keith Miller,
35th. Howitzer Battery, C.F.A.
490 Strathcona Avenue
Military Medal.

Major F. R. Phelan, M.C.
60th. Battalion,
434 Grosvenor Avenue
Distinguished Service Order

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W.H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

I regret to report that in recent casualty lists the names of the following Westmount citizens appear:

Captain Glyn Hulm,
12th. Army Corps. Mediterranean Forces,
Son of Mr. G. Hubert Hulm,
384 Macalfe Avenue
Died of pneumonia

Lieut. Stanley A. Cornell,
32nd. Battery, C.F.A
Son of Mr & Mrs Geo. H.Cornell
117 Arlington Avenue
Died of Pneumonia

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H.Rondeau seconded by Ald. R.B. Common it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H.Rondeau confirmation was made of the payment of $5,000.00 to Mr. Kenneth G. Rea, Architect, being 22% on the estimated cost of the New City Hall.

The Sec. Treasurer in accordance with the requirements of the law submitted directions for the guidance of electors in voting at the forthcoming Municipal Elections.

On the motion of Ald. R.B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H.Rondeau these were approved by the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter from the City Solicitor reporting on the title of property at the east corner of Victoria Avenue and the Boulevard which is to be ceded to the City by Messrs Geraghty and Baker.

On the motion of Ald. R. E. Common seconded by Ald. W. K. Graffney Acting Mayor P. W. McLean was authorized to sign this agreement in lieu of Mayor John McKergow previously nominated, together with the Sec. Treasurer on behalf of the City.

The following letters of acknowledgment were submitted, viz:

Miss May Perry, Corresponding Sec. of the Victorian Order of Nurses, thanking the Council for the recently donated sum of $100.00 to the Order.

Matron of the Salvation Army Rescue Home, for the grant of $100.00.

Mr. H. G. Wynn, Sec. of the Western Hospital, for the special donation of $500.00 which was made by the City.
Mr. D. H. Brennan, #124 Cote St. A. Road, in appreciation of resolution of sympathy recently forwarded on the loss of his son Lieut. D. Philip Brennan, on active service.

Mrs. Wm. Stewart, #177 Edgehill Road, in appreciation of resolution of sympathy recently forwarded on the loss of her husband Major Wm. Stewart on active service.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a copy of resolution recently passed by the Council of the City of Calgary, strongly advocating joint action of municipalities throughout the Dominion to insure the payment by Germany of suitable war indemnity.

The Sec. Treasurer was instructed to acknowledge this letter and to intimate that the Council were fully in accord with the sentiments expressed therein.

The Sec. Treasurer was instructed to call a public meeting of the citizens of Westmount to be held on Thursday evening, the 16th. inst. at 8:15 o'clock in Victoria Hall to consider the erection of a suitable memorial to the gallant heroes of Westmount who sacrificed their lives in the Great War.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Friday the 10th. inst. at 5 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT AN ADJOURNED MEETING HELD ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 10th% AT 5.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;

Acting Mayor P. W. McLagan
Commissioner R. B. Common
do W. K. Grafft
do C.W.H.Rondeau

Whereas the Secretary Treasurer has submitted three statements respecting the Sinking Funds of the City of Westmount as follows:

1. Showing a total bonded indebtedness at the 31st October 1918 of $4,841,666.66, showing also if half yearly Sinking Fund payments of one half one per cent on the long term bonds (40, 42 and 44 years) and two and three quarters per cent on the short term bonds (14 years) be accumulated at an average rate of interest of 3.76758% per annum compounded semi annually a sum will be assured a little in excess of that required at maturity for retiring the bond issues.

2. Showing the requirements of the Sinking Funds as at the 31st. October 1918 to be $865,946.95 if the semi annual payments designated in Statement No. 1 had been regularly made in the past and invested to yield the rates of interest compounded semi-annually which have been assumed in the calculation of Statement No. 1.

3. Showing that the present investments of the Sinking Fund Commissioners at their par value are $733,916.66 and that the annual earnings $18,066.97 of the securities held on the 1st. of November 1918 by the Commissioners represent an average earning power of 4.1427% per annum on the par value of the securities.

And whereas the conclusion is drawn therefrom that provided the said payments into the Sinking Funds are made regularly in the future and that they and the interests from present and future investments be invested at an average rate of interest of not less than 3.8% per annum there will be more than sufficient to retire the present bond issues of the City at their maturity.

And whereas the calculations in the said statements have been verified and approved by Mr. A. W. Strong of the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada,

Your Committee therefore recommends that the City Council adopt an amendment to By-law No. 195 as amended by By-law No. 209 as submitted therewith to the effect that the Secretary Treasurer shall not pay to the Sinking Fund Commissioners the special sum of $4,685.89 referred to in Section 4 of said By-law No. 195 and that the Secretary be and is hereby directed to give public notice that at the regular session of the Council to be held on the 4th. day of March 1919 the said amendment to By-law No. 195 will be considered.

M. E. Hay, Chairman
C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner

The consideration of a report of the General Committee respecting Health Regulations was deferred until the next meeting of the Council.

It was thereupon resolved to adjourn to the afternoon of January the 28th. at 5 o'clock.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 28th, 1919 AT 5 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;-

Mayor P. W. McLean
Ald. W. K. Grafftey
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Alderman McLagan for the Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of December 1918;-

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On the motion of Alderman McLagan seconded by Alderman McLagan this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer reported as follows;-

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that a number of Westmount citizens have recently been decorated for services overseas;-

Lieutenant W. H. Scott,
37th. Battalion,
Son of Mr. R. W. Scott,
317 Claremont Avenue,
Awarded the Military Cross.

5th. Battery, C. F. A.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. Fisher,
576 Lansdowne Avenue,
Awarded the Military Cross.

Lieutenant Gordon Beattie,
244th. Battalion,
Son of Mrs. W. J. R. Beattie,
349 Grosvenor Avenue,
Awarded the Military Cross.

Lieutenant H. M. Starke, Royal Air Forces
4550 St Catherine Street
Awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.
Sergeant J. Bulmer Rutherford, 66th. Battery, C. F. A.
Son of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Rutherford, 109 Cote St. Antoine Road
Awarded the Military Medal.

Corporal Huntley G. Gordon, 72nd. Battalion.
Son of Mr. Philip D. Gordon, 1 Church Hill
Awarded the Military Medal.

On the motion of Alderman C. H. Brown seconded by Alderman
it was unanimously resolved that the Secretary Treasurer be
directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

I regret to have to report to the Council that among recent
casualties the name of another Westmount citizen appears;

Lieutenant George Donald McLeod,
Royal Air Forces
Son of Mrs. C. H. McLeod, 4135 Dorchester Street,
Died of Influenza.

On the motion of Alderman C. H. Brown seconded by Alderman
it was resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of
Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution
previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

The minutes of the General Session held on Tuesday, January
7th. 1919 and the Adjourned Session held on Friday, January 10th. 1919,
and the minutes of this meeting were read and approved.

It was moved by Commissioner W. K. Grafftey, seconded by Commiss-
ioner E. H. Brown that in accordance with custom the chair that has been occu-
pied throughout his term of office by the retiring Mayor, Mr. John McKergow,
be presented to him with an expression of the appreciation of the members of
the Council and of their high esteem of the able and pleasing manner in which
Mayor McKergow sat as President of the City Council during his term of 6 years
in office and trust that he may live many years to enjoy the comfort of this
chair. Each member of the Council spoke in favor of the adoption of the re-
solution and in doing so intimated that the work in the Council with Mayor
McKergow presiding had been one of pleasure and one and all declared it was
with regret that he had found it advisable to refuse the nomination for
another term.

The motion was carried unanimously.

It was moved by Commissioner Common seconded by Commissioner
Rondeau that Mayor McLagan be authorized to select the new chair to replace
the one occupied by the retiring Mayor.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF THE INAUGURAL SESSION OF THE
CITY COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, THE
FOURTH OF FEBRUARY 1919, AT 8 P.M.

There were present to receive the report of the Returning
Officer:-

Mayor P. W. McLagan, in the Chair
Alderman E. Herbert Brown,
" Robert B. Common,
" Wm. K. Grafftey and
" C. W. H. Rondeau.

The room was tastefully decorated with rare plants in
bloom from the green house, supplied by the Superintendent of Parks,
and with flags of the Allies.

An invitation had been extended through the Press to
Citizens to attend, and had been responded to in a gratifying way-
there being present, possibly seventy-five (75) to one hundred (100)
ladies and gentlemen.

The following report of the Returning Officer was received:

"TO THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE
CITY OF WESTMOUNT,

GENTLEMEN:--

I desire to hereby submit the following report respecting
the election of Mayor, Aldermen and Library Trustees:--

On or before the 13th January, being the second Monday of
the month, up to the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the hour
fixed by the charter, I received the following nominations:--

For Mayor:

Peter W. McLagan, Merchant, 429 Argyle Avenue.

For Alderman:

E. Herbert Brown, Insurance Manager, 26 Melbourne Avenue.
Robert B. Common, Insurance Broker, 4663 Sherbrooke Street
Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau Dentist, 407 Metcalfe Avenue
Stewart Fleming Rutherford Merchant, 466 Mt. Pleasant Avenue
Robert Lorne Scott, Importer, 577 Grosvenor Avenue
Edmund Sheppard, Manager, 368 Wood Avenue.

For Library Trustee:

Edward Francis Slack, Managing Director, 658 Grosvenor Avenue.

At the expiration of the delay fixed for the nomination of
candidates, only the number required having been nominated for Mayor and
Trustee in performance of my duty I forthwith proclaimed the election of
Peter W. McLagan as Mayor and Edward Francis Slack, as Library Trustee
and gave public notice of such election the following day.

As more candidates for aldermen were nominated than are required
a poll was granted; public notice was given of, and the election was held
on Monday the 20th. January 1919; the polls being open from 8 o'clock in
the morning until 8 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, resulting
in the election of the following aldermen:--

E. Herbert Brown, Insurance Manager, 26 Melbourne Avenue
Robert B. Common, Insurance Broker, 4663 Sherbrooke Street
Mayor P.W. McLagan reviewed the work of the past four years commenting upon the large increase in the cost of both labor and material. The former being increased over 70% and the latter, ranging from 32% for road material, 45% for coal, 90% for feed, hay and oats to 150% for gasoline, but notwithstanding the same, the increase in the rate of taxation had only been 22% in the four years.

He also paid a tribute to the valuable and efficient work that had been done by the retiring Mayor, Mr. John McKergow and the Commissioner of Light, Mr. W.K. Grafftey.

Commissioner W.K. Grafftey in the brief address of farewell, expressed his pleasure at the co-operation that had existed, and regretted that he was retiring from the Council before the work of extending the improved Lighting System throughout the City had been completed.

Addresses were also given by Commissioners Brown, Common and Rondeau, each in turn expressing their appreciation of the arduous work of the retiring Mayor, and the genial spirit with which he had worked with the other Members of the Council.

The proposition of the former Council to amend the Building By-laws, was also commented upon and several of the Aldermen approved the principle of the proposed extension of the limits in which apartment houses would be permitted to be constructed and to endeavor, within safe limits, to lessen the cost of building construction.

The newly elected Aldermen; Stewart Fleming Rutherford and Robert Lorne Scott, then took their seats in the Council, and each in turn, delivered a short address.

The Mayor extended an invitation to any of the Citizens present to address the gathering, which was responded to, by Ex-Mayor Wm. Rutherford, Ex-Alderman John Hyde former Commissioner of Finance, and the Honorable Mr. Justice F.S. Maclean who expressed the opinion that the Citizens owed a debt of gratitude to the Members of the Council for the work accomplished, that the City was to be congratulated upon the personnel of the new Council and in wishing the new Administration God Speed, should it be known that they would stand back of it for the execution of their good work.

On the motion of Alderman Brown seconded by Alderman Rondeau, it was unanimously resolved that Alderman Robert B. Common be appointed Acting Mayor for the first quarter, commencing February 1st, 1919.
Alderman E. Herbert Brown moved the following resolution:

"WHEREAS the City Charter requires that permanent committees be appointed at the first session of the Council after the general elections, and

WHEREAS By-law 311 required that a permanent Committee to be called the General Committee be appointed to supervise the administration of the several civic departments of the City and to manage such business as the Council may from time to time assign to it and further to exercise all the powers and functions of the board of health of the City of Westmount.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT THE SAID COMMITTEE CONSIST OF

Alderman E. Herbert Brown,
Alderman Robert B. Common,
Alderman C. W. H. Rondeau,
Alderman S. F. Rutherford,
Alderman Robert L. Scott.

THAT Alderman E. Herbert Brown be appointed Commissioner of Finance and Municipal Buildings;
THAT Alderman Robert B. Common be appointed Commissioner of Roads;
THAT Alderman C. W. H. Rondeau be appointed Commissioner of Police, Fire & Health;
THAT Alderman S. F. Rutherford be appointed Commissioner of Electric Light & Incinerator;
THAT Alderman Robert L. Scott be appointed Commissioner of Parks.

THAT a Finance Committee be appointed consisting of all the members of the Council and that Alderman E. Herbert Brown be appointed Chairman of the Finance Committee.

THAT Alderman E. Herbert Brown, S. F. Rutherford and R. L. Scott be appointed to represent the Council of the Library Committee.

The motion was seconded by Alderman R. B. Common, and unanimously adopted."

The Secretary-Treasurer read a report of the Public Meeting convened by Mayor P. W. McLagan and held at Victoria Hall at 8:15 on the evening of January 16th, 1919, and a subsequent Meeting of the Nominating Committee held at the Mayor's Office on the evening of January 27th, 1919.

It was thereupon moved by Alderman E. Herbert Brown, seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford, and resolved:—

That the Secretary-Treasurer be directed to carry out the recommendation adopted by the citizens at the public meeting held at Victoria Hall, on the evening of January 16th, by having a suitably printed copy of the resolution, moved by the Hon. Mr. Justice P. W. McLagan and seconded by Mrs. A. H. Thomson, forwarded to the relatives of the fallen heroes of Westmount and to all other Westmount citizens who enlisted in the country's service. The cost to be charged to the Contingent fund.

It was thereupon moved by Alderman C. W. H. Rondeau, and seconded by Alderman E. H. Brown that the Council adjourn.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY,
MARCH 4th, 1919. AT 8.45 p.m. AT WHICH
WERE PRESENT;-

Mayor P. W. McLean
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. S. F. Rutherford
Ald. R. L. Scott
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted
the following recommendations of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the
payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of January,
1919;-

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On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald.
R. L. Scott this was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that a grant of $100.00 be
made to the School for Crippled Children, Cedar Avenue and also that a spe-
cial donation of $500.00 be contributed to the Salvation Army for its After
War Work. the money to be taken from the Patriotic Fund.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald.
S. F. Rutherford this was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that Messrs Howard H. Ransom
as Chairman, R. B. Hutcheson and W. Godbee Brown, be appointed as Assessors
for the City of Westmount for the current year.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald.
R. B. Common this was unanimously agreed to.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS MAY 1919;
Ald. E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance, pre-
sented the following report of the General Committee;-

The General Committee submits herewith the following
recommendations respecting the Special Assessments which it is hereby pro-
posed to levy and assess for the cost of the construction of Roads and
Lanes built in the year 1918 or prior thereto and respecting the statements
of the costs certified by and plans prepared by the City Engineer also
submitted herewith;-

Your Committee recommends;-

1. That the statement, of the City Engineer, of the cost
of paving two sections of Clarke Avenue, grading and paving Lorraine Ave., and the paving of the lane be and is hereby approved.

2. That the cost of paving the Section of Clarke Ave. adjoining Cadastre No. 284, subdivision 3, and Lorraine Avenue, be assessed, two thirds of the cost upon the fronting proprietors on each side of the Avenue, according to frontage and one third upon the City as provided hereafter in Section 4.

3. That the proportion of the cost of renewing that part of Clarke Ave. from the foot of the hill to within one hundred feet of Montrose Ave., to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors on each side of the Avenue be (20¢) twenty cents per lineal foot and the remainder of the cost be assessed upon the City as provided hereunder in Section 4.

4. That the difference between the total amount to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors as above provided for the paving of the two parts of Clarke Ave. and of Lorraine Ave., and the total cost of the said improvements shall be assessed as the City's share upon the lands only of the whole city, irrespective of the buildings thereon erected according to the Valuation Roll now in force in and by means of the Special General Assessment Roll hereafter mentioned.

5. That the whole cost of the paving of the lane in rear of Windsor Ave. west of Prince Albert Avenue be assessed on each proprietor in the lane according to the frontage assessment roll prepared by the Secretary Treasurer and submitted herewith.

6. That notices be given according to the Charter to the fronting proprietors of the proportion of the cost of the said improvements to be assessed upon their respective properties and that the Special Assessment Rolls of the proportion of the cost of the said Roads and lane payable as above provided by fronting proprietors be prepared by the Sec. Treasurer on or before the 11th. March 1919.

7. That the Sec. Treasurer be further instructed to prepare a Special General Assessment Roll against the lands of the whole city irrespective of the buildings thereon erected to levy according to the Valuation Roll now in force at the rate of 3 mills to provide the amount required to meet the annual interest and the amount required for the Sinking Fund on the loans or portions of loans affected under By-law #5, #6, #46, #109, #149, #175, #222, #283, and #285 and expended for the Glen Bridge, Trunk Sewers, Drains and making of Roads and Sidewalks, Paving of Lanes and other improvements assessable in whole or in part against the lands only of the whole city irrespective of buildings thereon erected and deposit the same in his office on or before the 11th. March 1919 and thereafter to give public notice that same will be presented for homologation on the 1st. April 1919 at 8 p.m.

8. That the above mentioned rolls be submitted to the Council for homologation on the 1st. April 1919, the Sec. Treasurer being instructed to give notices required by law accordingly.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. D. Scott the report was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:
Your Committee recommends that the purchase of the following articles of office furniture for use in the City Engineer's office, be confirmed—payment to be made out of the General Depreciation Fund of the Roads Department, viz:—

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$51.50

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this was carried unanimously.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to S. S. Vineberg to erect a garage on the property Cadastre 379, Sub-division 1 and 2, on St. Catherine Street, provided that said garage be constructed in accordance with the By-laws of the City.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this was carried unanimously.

Ald. S. F. Rutherford, Commissioner of Light & Power Department submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign on behalf of the City a lease of the premises at #4188 St. Catherine Street, occupied by the Electric Light Department for a period of three years from the 1st. May 1919, at an annual rental of $1200.00, payable monthly, the lessee undertaking to supply a reasonable degree of heat and the lessee having the right-of-way through the yard in the rear and the use of a portion of the basement.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. E. Herbert Brown it was unanimously agreed to.

The Sec. Treasurer presented the following reports:—

I have much pleasure in reporting that a number of Westmount citizens have recently been decorated for their services overseas;—

Major Frederick R. Phelan, D.S.O; M. C.
434 Grosvenor Avenue,
60th Battalion, C. E. F.
Awarded the Croix de Guerre

Major George W. Shearer, D. S. O.
627 Carleton Avenue,
27th Battery, C. F. A.
Awarded a Bar to the D. S. O.

Sergeant Major J. C. Kennedy,
145 Abbott Avenue,
9th Field Ambulance
Awarded the Croix de Guerre and Star

Lieutenant Thos. Burnham Woodyatt,
5 Hudson Avenue,
58th Battalion, C. E. F.
Awarded the Military Cross and Bar

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.
I regret to report that the name of another Westmount citizen appears in a recent casualty list:

Captain John Reginald Norman MacFarlane,
2nd Divisional Cyclist Corps, afterwards with Canadian Forestry Corps.

Son of Mr. John MacFarlane,
611 Sydenham Avenue,
Died of pneumonia in London, Eng.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. E. Herbert Brown it was resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

Ald. E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance in presenting the annual accounts of the City, duly audited and certified for the year to 31st October 1918, made reference to the reduction of the General Reserve Fund which had been made necessary owing to the high cost of labor and materials and war conditions generally. This fund had been built up in more prosperous times and it was the wish of the Council that it would soon be raised again to its former level.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. E. Common these accounts were accepted and the Sec. Treasurer was authorized to make arrangements to have them printed and issued without delay.

Ald. E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance then presented By-law #337 further amending By-law #195 and providing for the discontinuance of the annual payment to the Sinking Fund Commissioners of the sum of $4,685.89 providing for a deficit in the City's Sinking Funds, these sinking funds, by reason of the successful administration of them, now showing a surplus.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau By-law #337 was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R.E. Common By-law #337 was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. S.F. Rutherford By-law #337 was read a third time.

By-law #337 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Annual Report of the Librarian presented by the Sec. Treasurer, was referred to the General Committee.

A letter from the City Council of Calgary referring to treatment of and provision for returned soldiers was, on the motion of Ald. R.E. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott, referred to the General Committee.

Letters of appreciation of sympathy in recent active service was presented from Mrs. C. H. McLeod----4135 Dorchester St. W.

A letter was read from Mr. Huntley G. Gordon thanking the Council for their congratulations on his recent decoration.
A letter from Mr. R. Brutinel was read expressing appreciation of his congratulations offered him by the Council on his being decorated with Croix d'Officier by Government of France.

Mayor F. W. McLagan reported that he had on behalf of the Council, forwarded a letter of sympathy to Lady Laurier together with a word of tribute to her illustrious husband Sir Wilfrid Laurier, late.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this action of the Mayor was unanimously and cordially approved.

Mayor F. W. McLagan further reported that he had forwarded a letter of welcome and congratulation to Brig. General C. A. Smart C.M.G. on his safe return from active service.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. G.W.H. Rondeau this action of the Mayor was unanimously approved.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
For Week 3, Deke B.
Committee Minute Book
April 1, 1919
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD
ON TUESDAY EVENING, 13 APRIL 1st, 1919 - AT
9 O'CLOCK "AT WHICH WERE PRESENT; -

Mayor: P. W. McIagan
Aldermen: E. H. Brown
do: E. F. Rutherford
do: R. L. Scott
do: C. W. H. Rondeau
do: R. B. Common

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Acting Mayor R. B. Common reported that following the action
taken by the City of Montreal he had instructed the Sec. Treasurer to put
forward all Municipal clocks one hour as from two o'clock a.m. on Monday
the 1st. March and to insert a notice in the newspapers to this effect
and inviting all the citizens of Westmount to co-operate with the civic
authorities and also advance their clocks one hour at that date. This
action was unanimously confirmed.

Ald. R. B. Common Commissioner of Roads submitted the follow­
ing recommendations of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the Architectural Commission
for the ensuing term be composed of the following Architects;-

Robert Findlay, Esq.;
D. H. Macfarlane, Esq.;
D. N. MacVicar, Esq.;
A. Campbell Wood Esq.,
together with the Mayor, General Manager and the City Engineer.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. Herbert
Brown this was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be directed
to issue a permit to Mr. J. A. Paterson for the erection of garages, as
per plans and specifications submitted, subject to the City's Bylaws.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H.
Rondeau this was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. John
Smithers to erect a garage on his property situated on lot Cad. 220, Sub.
#22 on Lansdowne Avenue, according to the plans and specifications sub­
mitted herewith, and approved by the Architectural Commission, be granted.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L.
Scott this was unanimously agreed to.

Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau Commissioner of Police drew attention to the
quick action of the City Police in apprehending the burglar who had entered
the house on Dorchester St. W. and who had since been tried and sentenced
to a term of years in the penitentiary.

Ald. E. F. Rutherford in referring to the forth coming pro­
hibition referendum expressed the hope that all citizens entitled to do
so would duly record their vote and on the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau
seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was resolved that notices be sent out to
each citizen indicating the location of the poll where his vote might be
recorded and the Sec. Treasurer was instructed accordingly.
The Sec. Treasurer reported as follows:—

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated for services overseas:—

Brigadier General J. B. White, D. S. O.,
500 Prince Albert Avenue,
Forestry Corps,
Officer of the Legion of Honor of the French Republic.

Lieut. Col. J. M. Elder, C. M. G.,
400 Mount Pleasant Avenue,
Canadian Army Medical Corps,
Commander of the Portuguese Military Order of Aviz.

Staff Sergeant J. Harrison MacFarlane, D. C. M.,
4275 Dorchester Street,
9th. Field Ambulance,
Awarded Bar to the D. C. M.

Lieut. John W. Jeakins,
508 Landsdown Avenue,
P. F. C. L. I.
Awarded Military Medal.

Captain W. E. Morgan, M. C.,
4026 Dorchester Street,
22nd. Battalion, C. E.,
Awarded Bar to the Military Cross.

Sergeant Angus E. Mackay,
38 Arlington Avenue,
6th. McGill Siege Battery, C. E. A.
Belgian Croix de Guerre.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

I regret to have to report to the Council the names of the following Westmount citizens who appear on recent casualty lists:—

Lieut. George William Ross,
Royal Engineers,
Son of Mr. H. J. Ross of 101 Chomedy St. formerly of 439 Landsdowne Avenue.
Died of influenza on H. M. S. "Wesprite".

Lieut. Verner L. Plant,
Imperial Army,
Son of Mr. Henry E. Plant,
348 Redfern Avenue,
Missing since April 5th. 1918. now presumed to have died.

Gunner George Kyle
35th. Battery, C. F. A.
Son of Mrs. Chris Kyle
55 Windsor Avenue
Killed in action at Cambria.
On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

VALUATION ROLL 1919-20

Ald. E. Herbert Brown Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Assessors be requested to prepare the Valuation Roll for the year 1919-20 according to Articles 437 et seq of the Charter, giving the following particulars and deposit the roll in the office of the Council on or before the 31st July 1919:

2. The number of each entry or item.
3. Names of owners in full.
4. Names of tenants or occupants.
5. Names of proprietors' sons of voting age.
6. Names of persons qualified to vote on income as provided in the Quebec Election Act.
7. Cadastral and sub-division numbers of each lot or part of lot.
8. Street number of each building.
9. Superficial area of each lot.
10. Add value of new buildings which have been constructed or completed since the making of the Valuation Roll.
11. Annual value and annual rental paid by tenants.
12. Occupation of all persons entered in the roll.
13. Domicile of all persons entered in the roll.
14. Salary of all sons of proprietors or sons of tenants entered in the roll.
15. Salary of all persons entered on the roll under No. 5.

In the occupation column specify if-

17. Officers of His Majesty's Courts.
18. Registrars.
19. Managers and clerks of incorporated banks.
20. Officers of the Army and Navy on active service.
21. Officers, Non-commissioned officers and men of the active militia.
22. Persons over 65 years of age.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported in connection with the Special Assessment Roll to be submitted for homologation, that one objection to the assessment for the paving of a lane abutting on Windsor Avenue had been received from Mr. F. J. Jennings.

The official reply to this communication was also reported and it was considered unnecessary to take any further action in the matter.

There was also submitted a letter from Mr. Herbert E. Baines of #8 Lorraine Avenue, expressing appreciation of the Corporation's action in taking up the paving of Lorraine Avenue which had been efficiently done at a reasonable charge.

HOMOLOGATION OF THE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL;

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE it resolved that the Special Assessment Roll levying upon fronting proprietors the cost of the construction of the road on Lorraine Avenue, the cost of the construction of the road on Clarke Avenue and the cost of the paving of the lane in rear of Windsor Avenue west of Prince
Albert Avenue all as authorized by By-laws 282, 283 and 285 and as
deposited in the office of the Council of the City of Westmount on the
11th. March 1919 by the Sec. Treasurer, be and is hereby homologated.

BE it further resolved that the Special General Assessment
Roll levying according to the valuation in force the amount required to
meet the annual interest and one per centum required for Sinking Funds on
the loans or portion of loans affected under By-laws Nos. 500 16-- 49--
103-- 143-- 176-- 222-- 282-- 283-- and 285 and expended for the Glen
Bridge, trunk sewers, drains, paving and making of roads, sidewalks,
paving of lanes and for other improvements assessable in whole or in part
against the lands only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings
thereon erected at the rate of three (3) mills on the dollar prepared in
accordance with the resolution of Council of March 4th. 1919, be and is
hereby homologated.

It was moved by Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. S. F.
Rutherford and unanimously resolved that Messrs Macintosh, Cole & Robert-
on be and are hereby appointed Auditors to the City for the current
fiscal year on the same terms as last year.

Items Nos. 7 and 8 of the agenda relative to the amendment to
By-law #251 and the Building By-law respectively were deferred until next
meeting.

The following correspondence was submitted by the Sec. Treasurer:-

Card of acknowledgment of sympathy in her recent bereavement, from Lady
Laurier.

Letters of thanks and appreciation for congratulations on the active ser-
vice decoration from-

J. B. Woodyatt on behalf of his brother Lieut. T. B. Woodyatt.
Major Frederick R. Phelan, D.S.O.; M. C.
Lieut. Col. Chas. Fred'k. Ritchie, M.C.; D.S.O.
Brig. Gen. W.O.H. Boden, D.S.O.; C.M.G.

A letter of thanks from Miss S. A. Tyndale, Secretary of the
School for Crippled Children was read, thanking the Council for the
donation recently sent them.

A letter of appreciation from Brig. Gen. Chas. A. Smart, was
read, thanking the Council for their congratulatory letter of the 26th.
February and extending a welcome to him on his return both to the City
of Westmount and to his duties as representative of Westmount in the
Provincial Legislature.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that acting on Committee instructions
he had sent a telegram to Mr. J. Alf. Leduc M. P. requesting his particular
attention to the Day-light Saving Bill. Mr. Leduc had replied that al-
though the telegram had been late in arriving he had voted in favor of
the resolution.

The Sec. Treasurer read a letter from Ex.- Ald. Wm. K. Grafftay
expressing thanks and appreciation of the action taken in illuminating his
house with an electric "Welcome Home" sign on the occasion of the return
of his son Major W. Arthur Grafftay, from active service.

The question of erecting illuminated "Welcome Home" signs at the
entrances to the City or at the residences of soldiers returning was
suggested by Ald. E. Herbert Brown and Ald. S. F. Rutherford and after
discussion it was finally left with the Commissioner of the Light Dept.
and the General Manager to make enquiry and see what could be done in
the matter.
The Sec. Treasurer submitted a report from the City Attorney on the recent communication received from Mr. W. D. Lighthall Hon. Sec. Treasurer of the Canadian Municipalities League with special reference to the action of the Senate in connection with the revised Railway Act Bill and on the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. C. F. Rutherford the following resolution was passed and copies of same ordered to be sent to the Acting Premier, the Minister of Railways and the Hon. J. A. Leduc;

BE IT RESOLVED;

That the Corporation of the City of Westmount most earnestly protests against the passing of any legislation which does not adequately protect the municipalities in the free and full use of their public highways and urgently requests that the protecting clauses be inserted in the present Bill.

It was moved by Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau;

1. That the Special Assessments levied in the Special Assessment Roll now homologated shall become due and exigible on the 1st day of May 1919.

2. That the proprietors interested may exercise the option of paying the cost of the construction of the roads and lanes in 14 annual installments of $66 for Sinking Fund and $8 for interest, a total annual installment of $16, the first of the said installments becoming due and exigible the 1st day of May 1919.

The meeting then adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer
A petition from the Montreal Arena Company was submitted asking for a permit to erect a garage on its property being Part Cad. 377 situated within the boundaries of St. Catherine St. Wood Avenue and Western Avenue.

The Engineer reported that the advertisement required according to the by-laws had been given and the plans etc. were submitted with the application.

Three petitions in objection to any permission being given to the Arena Company or any person or persons to erect on any part of the property bounded by St. Catherine St; Wood Ave or Western Ave being part Cad. 377, any garage or place for the housing and repairing of automobiles and the attendant storage of gasoline and other inflammable and dangerous substances, for the following reasons named within the petition.

These petitions were signed by 9 proprietors being the Rector and members of the Church of the Advent and by two of the wardens of the said Church. In addition there were 19 other proprietors. Mr. David Ross McLeod, Ex-Ala. John Hyde, and representatives of the Church of the Advent and the Congregational Nuns spoke on behalf of the objectors and Messrs. Northey and Archibald the Secretary and Architect of the Company replied to the objections.

After hearing all parties it was moved by Commissioner R. B. Common, seconded by Commissioner E. Herbert Brown that the application and objections be referred to the General Committee for consideration and report.

Comm. R. B. Common submitted and moved the adoption of the following resolution:

Your General Committee recommends that the General Manager be instructed to proceed with the conduit system in that district to include Cote St. Antoine Road and the Boulevard from the eastern to the western limits of the city at a cost not to exceed $36,000.00. Comm. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded this recommendation and it was unanimously adopted.

Comm. E. Herbert Brown submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls, for the months of February and March, 1919:

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This recommendation was seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott and it was unanimously resolved that the same be adopted.

The Council thereupon resolved itself into a General Committee of the Council and considered the City Engineer's report respecting the application of Mr. W. G. M. Shepherd for a permit to erect a private garage on the north side of Edgehill Road adjoining Summit steps the same to be located 41 feet from the street line and also an application from Messrs. James and W. Oliver of Clarke Avenue for permission to erect two private garages facing on Avenue Road the building to be 18 feet from the street line but owing to the slope of the ground it was impossible to move the building further back.

It was unanimously agreed that the Committee recommends the Council to grant both permits.

It was thereafter moved by Comm. R. B. Common and seconded by Comm. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted and that the Engineer be authorized to issue permits to Mr. W. G. M. Shepherd and to Mr. James and W. G. Oliver for the erection of the said garages.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a report that the bar to the military cross had been awarded to Major W. Arthur Grafftey of #616 Sydenham Avenue, son of Ex-Alderman Wm. K. Grafftey.

It was thereupon moved by Comm. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Comm. R. B. Common that a letter of congratulation be forwarded to Major W. Arthur Grafftey, M.C. and that one be sent to Ex-Ald. Grafftey saying it is with particular pleasure that the Council notes that this second honor has been conferred upon his son.

The following report was also submitted by the Sec. Treasurer:-

I regret to have to report that the names of the following Westmount citizens appear as casualties:—

Captain Graham Leonard Dobbin,
23rd. Battalion
Son of Mr. G. E. Dobbin, 31 Grey Avenue, Formerly of Westmount.

Accidently drowned in France.

Private Alexander Stuart Barnston
60th. Battalion,
Son of Mrs. Tillie Barnston, 120 Bishop St., Formerly of Westmount
Killed in action at Amiens, Aug. 9th, 1918.

On the motion of Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. G. W. H. Rondeau it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

A letter was read from Mr. Robert Findlay tendering his resignation from the Architectural Commission. The letter was referred to the General Committee and it was thereupon moved by Comm. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Comm. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to Mr. Findlay and the other members of the Architectural Commission who have served the City on the Commission during the past term, the hearty and sincere appreciation of the Council for the services rendered by the Commissioners during the past two years.
The following letters were read from J. Alf. Leduo M.P. stating that he would do his utmost to protect the City of Westmount respecting its highways.

From Mrs. David S. Kerr, Corresponding Secretary of the Westmount Soldiers' Wives' League and from Mrs. David S. Kerr as Convener of the Red Cross Committee of the Westmount Soldiers' Wives' League acknowledging the assistance of the Council in their work and tendering to the Memorial Fund a balance remaining on hand of the funds of the Red Cross Workers.

From J. M. Jenkins and Lt. Col. J. M. Elder in acknowledgment of congratulations forwarded to them.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT
A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING,
APRIL 29th, 1919, AT 11:30, O'CLOCK
AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor P. W. McLean,
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. S. F. Rutherford
Ald. R. L. Scott
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted
the following recommendations of the General Committee:—

Your Committee submits herewith a statement of Interest and
Sinking Fund payable May 1st, 1919 and recommends that the Secretary
Treasurer be authorized to pay the amounts set forth as follows:—

To the Bank of Montreal for Interest Coupons—$74,282.50

To the Sinking Fund Commission:—
For Interest—$13,395.00
For Sinking Fund—$43,903.33

$118,185.33

That the Sinking Fund Commission be paid by the transfer
of 53 City of Westmount bonds, of a denomination of $500.00 each, issued
under authority of By-law No. 285, of a full par value of $26,500.00
said bonds to be delivered in lieu of $24,208.60 (being equivalent to a
prize of 91.3539%, an interest rate basis of 5%) and cash for the balance
namely, $19,694.73 making a total of $43,903.33.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald.
R. L. Scott, these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the
following recommendations of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. D.
McLean to convert a stable and coach house at the rear of #147 Abbott Ave.
into a private garage, be granted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. T.
Glickman for permission to erect a garage on a corner lot on the N.W.
corner of Kitchener and Western Avenues at a distance of 12 feet from the
Kitchener Avenue street line, be granted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Dr. F.
McNaughton for permission to erect a private garage attached to a proposed
residence on a corner lot at the N. W. corner of Sherbrooke St. and Mt.
Stephan Avenue, at a distance of 5 feet from the Strathcona Avenue street
line, be granted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. L. S.
Odell for permission to erect a garage on a corner lot on the S. W. corner
of Western and Grosvenor Avenues at a distance of 28 feet from the Gros-
venor Avenue street line, be granted.
On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. D. J. Finlayson for permission to erect garages on a lot with a frontage on Somerville Avenue be granted, provided that not more than two of the garages, to be constructed on Somerville Avenue shall have a door opening on to that Avenue, and that all others shall open only on to the yard or inner court with the exit coming out to Victoria Avenue; as a further consideration to the granting of said permit it is required that no additional storey shall at any time be constructed and any clause or indication of this on the Plan or Application submitted, shall be deleted.

On the recommendation of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this recommendation was agreed to.

Ald. S. F. Rutherford, Commissioner of Light and Power Dept. submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to purchase from the Northern Electric Company 46,000 feet of Plain lead-covered Cable at a cost of $18,900, and from the Philips Electric Co. 32,000 feet of Armoured Cable at a cost of $19,936, making a total expenditure of $38,836. to be taken from the available funds of the Light and Power Department.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a proposed by-law, entitled By-law to amend By-law No 255 and on the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau the first reading of the By-law was confirmed.

It was moved by Ald. R. B. Common and seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau that the By-law be read a second time at the next meeting of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer presented the following report;-

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following decorations have recently been awarded;

Temporary Major Patterson Lindsay Hall, M. C. 494 Lansdowne Avenue, 24th. Battalion, Croix de Guerre (French).

Sergeant Wm. McDonald Corporation Employee 13th. Battalion Military Medal.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulation of the Council.

Ald. R. B. Common submitted the following recommendation of the Gen. Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the application of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. for a permit to replace a bridge over Atwater Avenue and over Greene Avenue and to roof over the sidewalk at the Glen Bridge as per plans submitted and approved by the Architectural, be granted, conditionally on their installing and maintaining sufficient lights under each archway of the Atwater Bridge.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

It was moved by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the General Committee to appoint Ald. E. Herbert Brown as Acting Mayor for the three months commencing 1st. May 1919 be adopted.

The following correspondence was submitted by the Secretary:

Treasurer:

From Mr. Chas. H. Dobbin, #31 Grey Avenue, in appreciation of sympathy extended on the loss of his son Captain Graham Leonard Dobbin on active service.

From Mr. H. E. Plant, #349 Redfern Avenue, in appreciation of sympathy extended on the loss of his son Lieutenant Verner L. Plant on active service.

From Brig. General John B. White, thanking the Council for their congratulations on his recent decoration, that of the Region of Honor of the French Republic.

From Lt. Col. H. G. Henderson, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor General, who has accepted the invitation to inspect the Library on the occasion of his visit to Westmount on the 2nd. May.

From Mr. P. Reynolds, Acting Hon. Sec. of the W. A. A. A. expressing thanks for the privilege granted them of using Westmount Park during the season of 1919.

From Mr. J. C. Seward, Sec. of the Western Division Rifle Association of the Montreal Home Guards, expressing thanks for the use of Victoria Hall Rifle Range.

From Mr. A. D. Youmans, Physical Director of the Westmount Y. M. C. A., expressing thanks for permission to make use of Westmount Park for their organized baseball teams during the season of 1919.

From Mr. E. E. Perrault, Sec. of L'Aide a La France, appreciating the permission granted to hold a Tag Day in Westmount on Saturday May 10th. 1919.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of April 1919:

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On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Council endorse the following petition to the Honourable the Governor General of the Dominion of Canada-in-Council. "That your Government will continue in force Order-in-Council No. 3044 or will pass such legislation as will authorize the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine within the Dominion of Canada and allow the importation of the same."

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The City Attorney reported that the City's action against United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company in the Superior Court at Montreal under the Number 4563 had been settled on April 1st. 1919 according to an agreement of settlement of that date signed by the Attorneys for the parties, a copy of which was produced at the meeting. The agreement provided that the Defendant Company should pay to the City Twenty five thousand Dollars ($25,000.00) with interest at Five per cent (5%) from January 2nd. 1917 to April 1st. 1919 and the costs of the action which were fixed at Two hundred and forty-five dollars and eighty five cents ($245.85). It was further agreed that if the above payment should not be made prior to May 1st. 1919 the City should enter judgment for the above amount with interest from January 2nd. 1917 to date of judgment and costs as above stated.

Payment had not been made within the time stipulated and judgment was rendered according to the agreement on May 1st. 1919. He produced a copy of the judgment.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that this Council
and the City of Westmount does approve, ratify and confirm the said agree-
ment of settlement as a settlement of all outstanding claims against the
said United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company in and about the matters
dealt with in the said action and the City Treasurer was authorized and
instructed to receive for the City payment of the said amount of debt and
interest and to give a valid receipt and discharge therefor.

By-law amending existing Building By-law #266 was submitted and
on the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau was
given its first reading, and it was resolved that the second reading be
given at the next meeting of Council.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott
it was resolved that the second reading of By-law amending By-law #261
be deferred until the next meeting of Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following Process Verbal:-

ON THIS Thirtieth day of April 1919 we the undersigned P. W.
McLagan, Mayor of the City of Westmount, E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of
Finance of the Municipal Council of the City of Westmount and Mr. John
Knifton of the Montreal Trust Co., forming the Sinking Fund Commission
established by By-law #195 of the Council of the said City, and Arthur F.
Bell, Secretary Treasurer, proceeded to the Incinerator of the City of
Westmount and did there and then completely destroy by fire the under-
mentioned bonds, heretofore issued by the said Corporation and also certain
attached interest coupons as hereinafter specified, namely:-

**BONDS DESTROYED.**

**BONDS OF ISSUE** authorized by By-law #48 of the Town of Cote St.
Antoine Nos. E-61 to 86, inclusive, E-103 to 112, inclusive, E-206 to
215 inclusive and E-217, being Twenty-six (26) bonds in all of the denom-
nination of $1000.00 each with coupons Nos. 50 to 55 inclusive, attached,
said bonds being for a term of 40 years from November 1st. 1894, with
interest at 4% per annum, maturing lst. November 1934.

**BONDS OF ISSUE** authorized by By-law No. 212 of the City of
Westmount Nos. R-51 to R-61 inclusive, R-91 to R-105 inclusive, R-961 to
R-999 inclusive, R-1003 to R-1010 inclusive, R-1041 to R-1050 inclusive, R-1185
to R-1191 inclusive, R-1194 and R-1255 to R-1270 inclusive, being One hundred
and seventeen (117) bonds in all of the denomination of Five hundred
Dollars ($500.00) each, with coupons Nos. 13 to 88 inclusive, attached,
said bonds being for a term of 44 years from May 1st. 1910, maturing May
1st. 1954, with interest at 4% per annum.

**BONDS OF ISSUE** authorized by By-law No. 213 of the City of
Westmount Nos. C-222, C-227 to C-246 inclusive, C-250 to C-251 inclusive, C-301
to C-309 inclusive, C-313 to C-320 inclusive, C-353 to C-369 inclusive, C-392,
C-413, C-421, C-424, C-425, C-450, C-612 to C-618 inclusive, C-632 to C-644
inclusive being Seventy-four (74) bonds in all of the denomination of Five
hundred dollars ($500.00) each, with coupons Nos. 13 to 88 inclusive,
attached, said bonds being for a term of 44 years from May 1st. 1910,
maturing May 1st. 1954, with interest at 4% per annum.

**BONDS OF ISSUE** authorized by By-law No. 281 of the City of
Westmount Nos. C.H.001 to C.H.020 inclusive, C.H.031 to C.H.039 inclusive,
Seventy-six (76) bonds in all of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars
($1000.00) each, with coupons Nos. 6 to 88 inclusive, attached, said
bonds being for a term of 44 years from May 1st. 1916, maturing May 1st.
1960, with interest at 4% per annum.
ONE BOND of issue authorized by By-law No. 282 of the City of Westmount No. G. L. 151 of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.00) with coupons Nos. 10 to 28 inclusive, attached, said bond being for a term of 14 years from May 1st. 1914, maturing May 1st. 1928, with interest at 4 1/2% per annum.

BONDS OF ISSUE authorized by By-law No. 285 of the City of Westmount Nos. R2667 to R2670 inclusive, being Four (4) bonds in all of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.00) each with coupons Nos. 10 to 21 inclusive attached, said bonds being for a term of 14 years from May 1st. 1914, maturing May 1st. 1928, with interest at 4 1/2% per annum.

P. W. McLagan,  
Mayor.

E. Herbert Brown,  
Commissioner of Finance

J. Knifton,  
For the Montreal Trust Co.

Arthur F. Bell,  
Secretary Treasurer.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Tuesday, the 13th. inst., at 9.30 p.m.
Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the paving of the following lanes be authorized the expenditure as approximately indicated, to be taken from funds available under by-law 283, namely:

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<td>Malville, Academy Rd., Park Place and St. Catherine St.</td>
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<td>North of Sherbrooke, between Kensington and Metcalfe</td>
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On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. Herbert Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee having received and considered a report of the Engineer on an application and petition of Mr. B. Macfarlane for permission to erect a garage in rear of 33 Arlington Avenue of which plans had been submitted to but not approved by the Architectural Commission now recommends that the permit be granted, subject to the requirements of the Building By-law.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. G.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign a deed of escrow from the present proprietor Mr. W. H. B. Miller, to the City of a piece of land situated on Sunnyside Avenue, being Cadastre #282, part of Subdivision 202/3 and part 202/7, measuring 86' for a consideration of $1.12½ cents per foot.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. S.F. Rutherford this recommendation was adopted.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott it was resolved to defer the second reading of the amended Building By-law until the next meeting of Council.

A letter from Mr. H. Irwin #370 Kensington Avenue, submitted by the Sec. Treasurer was deferred to the General Committee.

Your Committee recommends that a contribution of $500.00 be made to the Military Work of the Y. M. C. A. and this amount to be charged to the Patriotic Fund.
On motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the recommendation of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting that the undermentioned Westmount citizens have recently been decorated by King George V, for their services overseas:

The late Lieut. A. C. Hannaford, M. C.
87th. Battalion. 26 Springfield Ave.
Bar to the Military Cross.

Captain Arthur M. White,
7th. Canadian Railway Troops,
434 Elm Avenue.
MILITARY CROSS

Lieut. Eric A. Prime,
Canadian Field Artillery
472 Victoria Avenue.
MILITARY CROSS

Lieut. Willard Price,
21st. Field Battery, C. F. A.
4095 Tupper Street.
MILITARY CROSS

Sergeant S. H. McLaren
Canadian Engineers
651 Belmont Avenue.
MILITARY MEDAL

Sergeant S. H. McLaren
Canadian Engineers
651 Belmont Avenue.
DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL

Major Chase Basil Price, D. C. M.
14th. Battalion
425 Metcalfe Avenue.
DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER

Lieut. Stanley Barrett Gayford,
3rd. Divisional Ammunition Column.
MILITARY CROSS

Major James Reid Hyde,
Commander of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.
515 Cote Road.
Canadian Field Artillery
Brig. General Raymond Brutinel, C. M.G.; D. S. O.
Canadian Machine Gun Forces
Croix de Guerre (France)

Captain Victor Eugène Dudos,
24th. Battalion,
20 St. Mark St. (formerly of Elm Ave.)
Military Cross.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by
Ald. R. L. Scott it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be
directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted letters from the
Clerk of the Privy Council at Ottawa and from the Assistant Deputy Minister
and Sec. of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, having reference to
the manufacture and sale of Oleomargarine.
These letters were ordered to be filed.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 20th, 1919, AT 11.15 AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor F. W. McLagan
Alderman E. H. Brown
 do R. B. Common
 do R. L. Scott
 do C. W. H. Rondeau

Alderman C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Police and Fire submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

WHEREAS a fire occurred at the house of Mr. Leo Ryan, #15 Sunnyside Avenue on the 22nd. April, 1919 and it is alleged that during the course of the fire a diamond ring and a gold wrist watch were taken from the house and whereas the representatives of the Yorkshire Insurance Co. and Mr. Ryan request that an enquiry be made respecting the matter—

Your Committee therefore recommends that Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau, as Chairman, R. B. Common and E. Herbert Brown be appointed to investigate by the examination of witnesses on oath, or otherwise, and to institute enquiry into the truth of representations that have been or may be made in relation thereto.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The second reading of the amended Building By-law was deferred until next meeting of the Council.

Consideration of the amended Plumbing By-law was also deferred until the next meeting of the Council.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Tuesday the 27th, inst. at 9.30 p. m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION
HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 27TH, 1919
AT 10:30 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT;-

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. H. Brown
do R. E. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott

Forming a quorum of the Council the Mayor presiding.

Commissioner E. Herbert Brown submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the Council endorse the suggestion that the Dominion Government secure the services of Dr. Vilhjalmur Stefansson for the purpose of delivering his illustrated lecture on the Canadian Arctic Expedition to the students of the High Schools and the older scholars of the Primary schools throughout the Dominion of Canada and that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to forward this recommendation to the Government.

It was moved by Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted.

Commissioner R. B. Common submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the Building Line by-law be amended as follows;-

1. To establish a Building Line of 8 feet from the western limits of St. Catherine Street to Clarke Avenue on the north side and from the western limits to lot Cad. 941 Sub. 269 on the south side and from thence a building line of 6 feet on both sides of the street to the eastern limits of the City.

2. To establish a Building Line on Wood Avenue on the eastern side of the street from St. Catherine Street to Western Avenue of 6 feet.

3. To establish a Building Line on Somerville Avenue from Prince Albert Avenue to Victoria Avenue on the northern side of the street of 6 feet with the usual flankage of 100 feet at the corners of Prince Albert Ave. and Victoria Ave.

I would therefore move that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted and that the City Solicitor be instructed to prepare a draft of a by-law to provide for the above amendments and to incorporate in one by-law all of the present existing regulations respecting Building Lines.

It was moved by Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford that the recommendations of the Committee be adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report;-

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have recently been decorated for services overseas;-

[No further text provided for this section.]
Lieut. Col. Thomas J. F. Murphy, D. S. O.,
4322 St. Catherine Street,
Canadian Army Medical Corps
Bar to the D. S. O.

Temp. Major Patterson Lindsay Hall, M. C. Croix de Guerre (France)
494 Lansdowne Avenue
24th. Battalion
Croix de Guerre (Belgian)

It was moved by Ald. R. B. Common seconded by E. Herbert Brown
that the report be incorporated in the minutes and that the Sec. Treasurer
be directed to convey to the citizens of Westmount named therein the con-
gratulations of the City Council.

The reading of the Building by-law and the plumbing by-law
was deferred to the next meeting of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter of thanks from the Cor-
responding Secretary of the Ladies Committee of the 23rd. Battalion,
W. S. W. L.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance, submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee; viz:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of May, 1919;—

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On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer reported that he had received from the Union Bank of Canada the sum of Fifteen Thousand Five Hundred and Three Dollars and seventy-one cents ($15,503.71) as the amount of principal and interest due to date on properties of Charles A. Smart on Bellevue and Sunnyside Avenues and that the Mayor and himself on behalf of the City on May 30th, 1919 had signed a deed of discharge and subrogation prepared by Mr. Lionel Joron, Notary, and approved by the City Attorney.

It was moved by Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott and resolved that the action of the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer in signing this deed on behalf of the City be ratified and confirmed.

The Secretary Treasurer reported the receipt of a request from Mr. George Hogg for the radiation of the registration of the City's contract with the Montreal Water & Power Company, dated October 15th, 1908, which had been wrongly registered against Cadastral Lot No. 165 of the Parish of Montreal on February 15th, 1909 under the numbers 154184 and 154185. The City Attorney advised that he had taken the matter up with Mr. Lighthall, Notary, who reported that there had been error in the instructions for registration given him in 1909 and that the contract should have been registered against Cadastral Lot No. 165 of the incorporated Village of Laus des Neiges.

It was thereupon moved by Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford and resolved that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be authorized to sign a main lease and radiation of the registration of this contract in so far as it affects Cadastral Lot No. 165 of the Parish of Montreal.
Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee;-

1. Your Committee recommends that Mr. C. R. Tetley, A.R.I.B.A. of #349 Bleury Street be and is hereby appointed a member of the Architectural Commission of the City of Westmount.

2. Your Committee recommends that owing to the configuration of the ground, a permit be granted to Mr. G. F. Watt, to erect a private garage adjoining house #4332 Westmount Avenue, provided that the garage shall have its rear wall in line with the rear wall of said house, and also provided that the plans shall be in accordance with the Building By-law and approved by the Architectural Commission.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S.F. Rutherford these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a By-law providing for the early closing of stores and business premises in the City.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this by-law was given its first reading, Ald. Rondeau giving notice of the second reading at the next meeting of Council.

BUILDING BY-LAW Ald. E. Herbert Brown moved and Ald. R. L. Scott seconded and it was unanimously resolved that the Building By-law be given a second reading.

The Sec. Treasurer then proceeded to read the By-law a second time and the following sections were referred for reconsideration to the General Committee;-

Sections 218-- 448-- 454-- and 460.

Mr. Thomas Kirk of Prince Albert Avenue who was present made the suggestion that asbestos board might also be permitted for the ceilings in garages.

Other suggestions were promised consideration.

Mr. E. J. F. Markgraf; Mr. W. H. Read and Mr. J. H. Demers also attended the Council meeting as being interested in the new Building and Plumbing By-laws.

Notice was given by Ald. E. Herbert Brown that the Building By-law would be given its third reading at the meeting of Council to be held on the 10th. June, 1919.

PLUMBING BY-LAW On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. Herbert Brown this By-law was given its first reading.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this By-law was given its second reading.

Ald. R. B. Common gave notice of the third reading which would take place at the meeting of Council on 10th. June next.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Tuesday the 10th. June at 9. p. m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT AN ADJOURNED MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, THE 10TH. JUNE 1919, AT 10 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Ald. E. H. Brown
Ald. R. E. Common
Ald. R. L. Scott
Ald. S. F. Rutherford
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

Westmount citizens have recently been awarded honors for their services overseas,-

Brig. General Raymond Brutinel, C.M.G.; D.S.O.;
Canadian Machine Gun Corps
Companion of the Bath

Major Patterson Lindsay Hall, D.S.O.; M.C.
494 Lansdowne Avenue
24th. Battalion
Bar to D. S. O.

Lieut. Col. Guy M. Todd,
50 Aberdeen Avenue
Canadian Army Pay Corps
Commander of the Order of the British Empire.

Captain Maurice Burke
351 Elm Avenue
148th. Battalion
Officer of the Order of the British Empire.

It was moved by Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau that the names of the citizens contained in the report be inscribed in the minutes and that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to those awarded these honors the congratulations of the City Council.

In connection with the proposed changes to the Building By-law Mr. A. E. Powter addressed the Council and expressed his opinion that permission to erect apartment houses on Western Avenue would be contrary to the vested rights of the proprietors of that part of the Avenue where apartment houses were not at present permitted.

Mr. D. Drysdale addressed the Council submitting a request for permission to alter into an apartment house, his building on Dorchester Street.

It was moved by Commissioner E. Herbert Brown, seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott and resolved that the third reading of the Building By-law be deferred until next meeting of the Council.

By-law #339 concerning Plumbing and Drainage having been read a first time and a second time it was moved by Commissioner R.B. Common seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott and resolved that the said by-law be read a third time.
By-law #338 having been read a first, second and third time was declared by the Mayor to be approved and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

By-law re Building Lines:
The General Committee recommends that whereas the amalgamation of the By-laws regulating building lines in the City of Westmount would take considerable time that therefore this Committee recommends the City Council to adopt a by-law to amend the by-laws respecting St. Catherine Street, Wood Avenue, Somerville Avenue and Mt. Pleasant Avenue.

It was moved by Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford and resolved that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted.

It was thereupon agreed that the By-law re Building Lines be deferred for consideration until next meeting of the Council.

By-law re Early Closing.
It was moved by Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner C.W.H. Rondeau and resolved that the By-law re Early Closing be read a first time.

It was thereupon agreed that the reading of the By-law be deferred until the next meeting of the Council.

By-law re Exposure of fruit, vegetables etc.
It was agreed that the consideration of this By-law be deferred until next meeting of the Council.

By-law re Vital statistics
It was agreed that the reading of this By-law be deferred until next meeting of the Council.

It was thereupon moved by Commissioner E. Herbert Brown and seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott and resolved that the Council adjourn to meet at 9.30 o'clock on the 17th. June.
Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that an appropriation of $250.00 be and is hereby authorized to be taken from the General Reserve Fund for the purpose of making necessary repairs on the Library Building and Roof.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this resolution was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

A. Your Committee recommends that the resolution previously adopted authorizing the paving of Lane between Staynor Avenue and Prospect Street in rear of Clanadelboye Avenue toward Greene Avenue and the erection of a Fence at the beginning of the decline, all at a cost of $3825.00, be rescinded.

B. Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given for the paving of the Lane between Staynor Avenue and Prospect Street in rear of Clanadelboye Avenue down the decline to Greene Avenue at a cost of $4460.00 to be taken from Funds available under By-law #283.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this resolution was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given for the paving of the following Lanes, the cost, as estimated, to be taken from funds available under By-law #283.

Lanes bounded by—
St. Catherine, Tupper, Atwater and East line of Lots Cad. #379 part 31-1 and part 31-2-----------------------$7825.00
Dorchester, Greene, Staynor & Clanadelboye------------------3675.00
St. Catherine, Dorchester, Gladstone and Greene----------6975.00
Total------------------$18475.00

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this resolution was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. J. S. Dohen for permission to erect a private garage on the S. W. corner of Windsor and Prince Albert Avenues, at a distance less than 50 feet from the street line, be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this resolution was unanimously adopted.
Your Committee recommends that the application of Messrs. L. B. McFarlane and Paul A. McFarlane for permission to re-subdivide Lots 239-a67 and 239-a58 bounded by The Boulevard and Sydenham Avenue, and lots 239-a56 and 282, in accordance with blueprint plan submitted therewith, be granted.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott, this resolution was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that, upon the undertaking of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, in the letter of its Chief Engineer, dated June 16th, 1919, the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be authorized to approve, on behalf of the City, the plan submitted by the Railway Company for the replacing of the bridge over Atwater Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. Herbert Brown, this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

The Sec. Treasurer presented a revised and amended Building By-law #339 of which the first and second reading had already been passed by the Council.

It was moved by Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott and resolved that the clause in paragraph 429 providing for concrete floors on temporary garages be deleted and substituted by the words "and the floor of earth or cinders." It was then moved by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott and unanimously resolved that the By-law, as amended be given its third reading.

By-law #339 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a Building Lines By-law #340 and on the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford, the by-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott, the by-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, the by-law was read a third time.

By-law #340 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Early Closing By-law #341.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. R. B. Common, this by-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott, this by-law was read a third time.

By-law #341 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Sec. Treasurer read a letter from Mrs. Annie Millen expressing thanks for the Council's message of sympathy on the recent loss of her husband, Mr. John Millen.

There was also submitted a letter from Lieut. Col. G. M. Strange Commanding the 58th. Westmount Rifles, thanking the Council for their recent grant of $500.00 towards the expenses of the weekly concerts in the Park by the regimental band, during the summer season.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 2nd, 1919, AT 9.30 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Ald. R. B. Common
Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau
Ald. S. F. Rutherford
Ald. R. L. Scott

The minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. J. A. C. Poole to erect a garage on his property at the corner of Cote St. Antoine Road and Prince Albert Avenue, by the alteration of his premises.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Chas. Moncel for permission to convert the existing stable at the rear of #235 Clarke Avenue (a third class building) into a private garage be granted, conditionally on the walls and ceiling being lined with cement plaster on metal lath, the whole being subject to the approval of the City Engineer.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that several Westmount citizens have recently been decorated for their services overseas:

Lieutenant William T. May
Royal Engineers
95 The Boulevard
Awarded the Military Cross.

Colonel James W. Bridges
Canadian Army Medical Corps
662 Belmont Avenue
Appointed a Commander of the Order of the British Empire

Major Thomas R. Ker
5th. Canadian Mounted Rifles
440 Mt. Stephen Avenue
Appointed an Officer of the Order of the British Empire

Lieutenant John Clifford Seybold
Canadian Army Pay Corps
3 Foran Avenue
Appointed a member of the Order of the British Empire

Lieutenant William W. S. Lighthall
Royal Air Force
14 Murray Av.
Distinguished Flying Cross.
On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I regret to have to report that among recent casualties the name of one Westmount citizen appears:

Lieutenant Farival Howard Goodhugh,
Royal Air Forces,
Son of Mrs. W. G. Goodhugh,
377 Clarke Avenue,
Died whilst a prisoner of war.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. E. Scott it was resolved that this name be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted and read a letter from Mr. David Ross McCord, R. C. of date 26th. June, dealing with the proposal of the Arena Company to erect a garage on its property on St. Catherine St. Wood Avenue and Western Avenue.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau it was resolved and the Sec. Treasurer was directed to send copy of this communication to the Arena Company for their consideration.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted and read the following letters:

From Major P. L. Hall, D. S.O; M. C. expressing thanks for the congratulatory letter of the Council in connection with his active service decorations.

From Miss May Perry, Secretary of the Victorian Order of Nurses appreciating the refund of $30.00 recently made to them by the City, being rent previously collected for room used by the Order at Victoria Hall.

It was moved by Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford and unanimously resolved that Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau be and is hereby appointed Acting Mayor for the three months beginning 1st. August next.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING AUGUST THE 5th, 1919 AT 11.40 O’CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Alderman E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do C. W. H. Rondeau
do R. L. Scott
do S. F. Rutherford

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and payrolls for the months of June and July 1919:—

- Finance Accounts - 13894.59
- Victoria Hall Accounts - 420.20
- Roads Accounts - 29691.01
- Police Accounts - 2147.15
- Parks Accounts - 1619.11
- Library Accounts - 633.78
- Light Accounts - 9998.28
- Roads & Scavenging Pay Rolls - 30190.37
- Parks Pay Rolls - 4156.50
- Police Pay Rolls - 7196.85
- Light Pay Rolls - 6173.10

$10,020.72

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that bonds, being part of the bonds authorized to be issued under By-law #285, of the face value of $50,000, payable in 14 years from their date, bear the date of May 1st, 1919 and that $50,000 payable in 14 years from their date, bear the date of November 1st, 1919 the said bonds of a total face value of $100,000 to be numbered and issued as authorized by the said By-law #285 adopted at an adjourned session of the Council of the City of Westmount the 24th. February 1914.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Police submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the granting of an additional appropriation of $2,000.00 for repairs to #2 Fire Station to be taken from General Reserve.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the work of paving the following lanes be authorized, the cost, as indicated, to be taken from funds available under By-law #283, viz; lanes bounded by:—
Greene, Olivier, Western & St. Catherine  $3,475.00
Dorchester, Waredale Park, C. P. & Clandeboys  $4,150.00
Brookes, Selby, Greene & St. Antoine  $7,675.00
Selby, Selby Park, Greene and St. Antoine  $2,000.00
$17,300.00

Your Committee recommends that the paving of the lane in rear of Dent Harrison's bakery (Victoria & Somerville Lane) be authorized at an estimated cost of $3,675.00 to be taken from funds available under By-law #283. This lane to be paved at a width of twenty feet instead of the usual thirteen feet.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the construction of the following sidewalks be authorized, the cost, as indicated, to be taken from funds available under By-law #285:

**SUMMIT CIRCLE (sidewalk and channel)**
A. From south side of Summit Road southwards to wall at south end of Mr. Byers house  $650.00
B. From north side of Summit Road northwards to end of Mr. Rutherford's hedge.  $425.00

**SUMMIT ROAD**
A. Sidewalk and block channel on north side from Belvedere Road to Summit Circle  $975.00
B. Concrete curb and block channel on north side from Summit Circle to gully on Belvedere Road  $750.00

**GREENE AVENUE**
Sidewalk on west side from south side of Selby Street southwards to north sidewalk of St. Antoine Street.  $625.00

**SELBY STREET**
A. Sidewalk and block channel on north side from end of existing walk westwards to Massey-Harris building, then across Selby Street to join the proposed walk on west side of Hallowell Street  $460.00
B. Curb and channel on south side from end of existing curb and channel and westwards to join proposed walk on east side of Hallowell St.  $550.00  $4435.00

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. B.B. Fairman for permission to erect a garage in the rear of #28 Rosemount Av. at a distance of ten feet from Mountain Avenue street line be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. William Currie for permission to erect a garage on the north west corner of Dorchester Street and Atwater Avenue, at a distance of less than fifty feet from the street line on Dorchester Street, be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the construction conforming to the requirements of the Building by-law.
Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. L. Cherry for permission to install a garage in the basement of the dwelling at the north-west corner of Chesterfield and Prince Albert Avenues be granted provided the plan is approved by the Architectural Commission and that it conforms to the requirements of the Building By-law.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. R. N. King, #2 Belvedere Road for the erection of a garage on his property located as per plans submitted the same to be otherwise subject to the requirements of the by-laws.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee submits herewith a draft of an agreement to be entered into with the P. Lyall & Sons Construction Co. Ltd. with reference to the paving of Claremont and Burton Avenues and it recommends that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the same.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee submits herewith the tenders of the Sicily Asphaltum Paving Co. Ltd. as per their letter of the 10th. and 15th. of July 1919 for the re-surfacing of Burton Avenue and the paving in concrete and asphalt etc. of Claremont Ave. from Yorke Ave. to Western Ave. and it recommends that the tenders be accepted and the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign a contract with the Company upon approval of the same by the City Solicitor. The whole is subject to the completion of the agreement with the P. Lyall & Sons Construction Co. Ltd. regarding the paving of the said streets.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to proceed with the following work—viz:—

A. To grade Claremont Avenue from Western Avenue to Yorke Avenue at an estimated cost of $950.00. Construct concrete curbs on both sides of Claremont Ave. from Western Ave. to Yorke Ave. at an estimated cost of $700.00. The whole cost of this work to be borne by the P. Lyall & Sons Construction Co. Ltd. as per agreement with the City presently in preparation.

B. To grade old macadam foundation on Burton Avenue from Claremont Ave. to Fr. Albert Ave. at an estimated cost of $379.50 to be taken from the Road Renewal Fund.

Your Committee also recommends that a contract be entered into with the Sicily Asphaltum Paving Co. to lay a 6" concrete foundation between the curbs on Claremont Avenue from Western Ave. to Yorke Ave. and a 1" "Clean" block gutter on both sides of this street and a surface of 1" binder and 2" sheet asphalt at an estimated cost of $3,600.00 to be borne by the P. Lyall & Sons Construction Co. Ltd. as per agreement presently in preparation.

Your Committee further recommends that a contract be entered into with the Sicily Asphaltum Paving Co. Ltd. to lay a 2" asphalt macadam surface on Burton Ave. from Claremont Ave. to Fr. Albert Ave. at an estimated cost of $1,550.00, one half of which will be borne by the P. Lyall & Sons Construction Co. Ltd. as per agreement presently in preparation, and the
other half of the cost to be taken from the Road Renewal Fund.

The whole of the above subject to the completion of the agreement referred to above with the P. Lyall & Sons Construction Co. Ltd.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the application of the Montreal Arena Co. Ltd. for a permit to erect a garage on the property on St. Catherine St. be granted, according to the plans submitted, on the understanding that the suggestion of the Architectural Commission with regard to the decoration of the coping on the Wood Ave. Wall be complied with if possible and that gray or buff brick be used on the St. Catherine St. and Wood Ave. fronts.

Commissioner Common in presenting the recommendation of the Committee reported that the Arena Co. claimed that they must accept or reject the tenders of the Contractors for their proposed building on or before the 6th. August 1919 and he therefore moved that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted and the Engineer be and is hereby instructed to issue the required permit. The motion being seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford was unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads also submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given for the purchase of a "White Co. Ltd." 1 X 5 ton "White" Chassis equipped with Studebaker Flush and Sprinkler System complete as per the latter of the Company of date 24th. July 1919 at a cost not to exceed $10275.00 the funds to be taken from the Depreciation Reserve of the Roads Dept.

D8yor Lagan explained that a sub-committee consisting of the Commissioner of Roads, the General Manager and the City Engineer had very carefully gone into the question of procuring a suitable truck and flusher and had examined and witnessed test trials of five different types of machines before coming to the decision that the "White" Truck, as now recommended for purchase, would best serve the interests of the City.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. S. F. Rutherford, Commissioner of the Light & Power Dept. submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that authority be given for the installation of a forced draft blower system at the incinerator at a cost of $1300.00 the expenditure to be taken from funds available under the Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Incinerator Department.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the rate for electric light to consumers in the City be five cents per kilowatt hour, with a discount for cash payment of 5% this rate to apply on accounts for September lighting and thereafter.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
Al. R. L. Scott, Commissioner of Parks submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given to erect a Bubbler Fountain at Victoria Ave. and Sherbrooke St. corner - the estimated cost of $100.00 to be taken from funds available under By-law #221.

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given to erect a Wire and Metal Backstop at the Baseball Diamond in the Park, the estimated cost of $350.00 to be taken from funds under By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. R. L. Scott seconded by Ald. C.W.H.Rondeau these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following Westmount citizens have recently been decorated for services overseas:-

Lieut. Col. M. J. R. Henri DesRosiers
521 Victoria Avenue,
22nd. Battalion
Distinguished Service Order.

Major James Colin Kemp, M. C.
430 Wood Avenue,
5th. Canadian Mounted Rifles
Distinguished Service Order.

Nursing Sister Mary Evelyn Engelke
4925 Western Avenue,
Canadian Army Medical Corps
Royal Red Cross; second class.

Battery Quartermaster Sergt. F. E. Gillett
7 Waredale Park
1st. Brigade Canadian Garrison Artillery
Meritorious Service Medal.

Regimental Quartermaster Sergt. W. K. Graveley
1112 Greene Avenue
Canadian Forestry Corps
Meritorious Service Medal
(present address Somerville, Mass)

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a By-law #342 amending By-law #341 entitled By-law Concerning the Hours for closing Public Business and on the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford the by-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown the by-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. C.W.H.Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott the by-law was read a third time.

By-law #342 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.
A communication from the Director of Housing, addressed to the Mayor and submitted by the Sec. Treasurer was referred to the General Committee.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following correspondence:

Letter from Sergt. S. H. McLaren of #651 Belmont Ave. appreciating the congratulations of the Council on his recent Military Decoration.

Letter from Lieut. Col. Strange, thanking the Council for their donation of $500.00 for the Band Fund of the 58th Westmount Rifles.

Letter from the Charity Organization Society expressing thanks for recent donation of $100.00.

There was also submitted a letter from Mr. D. Norman MacVicar resigning from the membership of the Architectural Commission of the City after serving for a period of three years.

Ald. E. H. Brown in moving the acceptance of this resignation intimated that every effort had been made to induce Mr. MacVicar to alter his decision. Ald. Brown expressed appreciation of the whole Council of the faithful and excellent services rendered by Mr. MacVicar while a member of the Commission and suggested that a letter to this effect be forwarded to Mr. MacVicar by the Sec. Treasurer. The motion being seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford, was adopted.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 3rd, 1919 AT 8:30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan,
Comm. E. H. Brown
Comm. R. B. Common
Comm. S. F. Rutherford
Comm. C. W. H. Rondeau

The minutes of the last meeting of the Council were confirmed.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that the Valuation Rolls deposited in accordance with the resolution of the Council, by the Assessors, on the 31st. July 1919 were submitted now for homologation and also reported having received the following complaints:

Mr. H. A. Matley with reference to the valuation of his property #4364 to 4364 St. Catherine St. part of Cad. 1414 and part of 1415. After hearing the complaint and having heard Mr. Matley in support thereof and the report of the Chairman of the Board of Assessors it was moved by Comm. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Comm. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the valuation of the assessors be sustained and the complaint dismissed.

Mr. W. R. Miller complained of the valuation of his house #46 Surrey Gardens. The Chairman of the Board of Assessors reported that an increase in the buildings of West Crescent Heights and other parts of the City and an increase in cost of construction had been made and that a reduction in the value of the land had also been made making a net reduced value on Mr. Miller's property including house and land, of $2000.00. It was thereupon moved by Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. C. W. H. Rondeau and unanimously resolved that the valuation of the assessors be sustained and the complaint dismissed.

Mrs. C. C. Charlebois complained of the valuation of the house and grounds #18 Arlington Avenue and having heard the Chairman of the Board of Assessors it was moved by Comm. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Comm. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the valuation be sustained and the complaint dismissed.

Leon A. Hurtubise Executor for Est. Isaie Hurtubise complained of the amount of the assessment placed on the property situated on Cote St. Antoine Road being part of Cad 217 and the Chairman of the Board of Assessors was heard in respect thereof and it was moved by Comm. E. H. Brown seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford and unanimously resolved that the valuation of the Assessors be sustained and the complaint dismissed.

Complaint of the Montreal Water & Power Co. respecting the rental values was read. The Chairman of the Board of Assessors reported that there was no deviation this year from the method of establishing rental values since that method had been approved of by the courts and the Montreal Water & Power Co. not being represented to support their claim it was unanimously resolved that the valuation of the assessors be sustained and the complaint dismissed.

A LETTER FROM ST. GEORGE SNOW SHOE CLUB asking for a reduction to a fixed sum annually of the taxes and drawing attention to the Act Cap 60 Statutes of Quebec 1912 Section 16 was read and it was referred for consideration to the General Committee.
The Chairman of the Board of Assessors recommended that the Roll be amended to read as follows:

- Roll #4775 - #4776: Tenant Rebecca W. Cross and Janet Cross.
- Roll #6855: Proprietor, Estate of Roch Samson.
- Roll #3571: Tenant, widow of the late Hy. J. Jenkins.
- Roll #7201 - #7202: Proprietor, Estate of Mrs. Margaret McArthur.
- Roll #2701: Tenant, Vacant.
- Roll #5117: Proprietor, Widow of the late John T. Gilmour.
- Roll #15117: Tenant, widow of the late Sydney Pitt.

It was thereupon moved by Comm. E. R. Brown seconded by Comm. C. W. H. Rondeau that the valuation rolls, as amended, be and are hereby homologated.

Comm. E. H. Brown submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee and it was unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted:

Your Committee recommends that the resolution of the City Council of September 7th, 1915 having reference to charges for copies of or extracts from documents and books to be made by the Sec. Treasurer be and is hereby rescinded.

Your Committee further recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to make the following charges:

For a copy of any document or an extract from any book, not otherwise specified in the resolution of the City Council of July 7th, 1913, and of not more than 100 words, a minimum charge of 10¢ for each document copied or for each extract made or if more than 100 words in each, at the rate of 10¢ per 100 words or fraction thereof.

Comm. C. W. H. Rondeau submitted the following resolution of the General Committee and moved, seconded by Comm. R. B. Common, and it was unanimously resolved that the resolution of the Committee be adopted:

Your Committee recommends that the work of overhauling and repairing the Police Signal System be authorized and that the necessary expenditure of funds, not to exceed $1000.00, in connection therewith be taken from the depreciation reserve set aside for such purposes.

Comm. R. B. Common submitted the following resolutions of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted Mrs. H. B. Thomson to construct a private garage in the rear of #427 Belmont Avenue.

Your Committee further recommends that a permit be issued to Mr. W. Maughan to construct a garage on the north west corner of Grosvenor and Westmount Avenues.

It was moved by Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford and unanimously resolved that the above resolutions of the General Committee be adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application to establish a shop for the repairs of automobile tires at #239 Victoria Avenue, be granted.

It was moved by Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.
Your Committee reports having received an application from Messrs. Munn & Shea, Contractors for the Montreal Arena Company for permission to construct a siding leading from the Montreal Tramway Co.'s track on St. Catherine Street into the premises of the Montreal Arena Company Ltd. The City Solicitor having prepared a draft agreement between the City and the Contractors and the General Manager having recommended it, your Committee therefore recommends that the City Council approve of the agreement and that the Mayor and the Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the said agreement.

It was moved by Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford and unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. R. W. MacDonnell for permission to construct a garage on the south west corner of Sunnyside and Lansdowne Avenues, be granted.

It was moved by Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. C. W. H. Rondeau and unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of the Trustees of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church for a permit to construct an extension to its Sunday School room, be granted.

It was moved by Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that this recommendation be adopted.

A letter from the Air Board, Ottawa, was received with an extract from the Canada Gazette, Vol. LII, No. 3, July 19th, 1919, including regulations respecting air-craft flying over cities and towns. The letter was ordered to be filed after the attention of the Police Department had been called to the same.

A letter from Mr. John B. Dawson, Secretary of the Charity Organization Society of Montreal, thanking the City Council for its assistance in the Campaign to raise the thirty thousand dollar emergency fund, was read.

Letters of acknowledgment were read from the following:

- Kenneth G. Rea
- Colonel Jas. W. Bridges
- Lieut. Clifford Seybold
- Major Jas. Colin Kemp
- Lieut. Col. M. J. R. Henri Desroisiers
- A letter from the Secretary of the Montreal Tramways Commission was read concerning the establishing of operating allowance per car mile and the maintenance allowance per car mile for the year ending 30th. June 1920 and the tariffs fixed by the Montreal Tramway Co.

The Commissioner of Police, Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau drew attention to the fact that some of the Conductors did not permit the Police Officers when not in uniform and the Detectives of the Police Force, to travel without paying a fare on the cars of the Montreal Tramway Co. and considered that in view of the increased charges made by the Company that the contract of the City of Westmount with the Montreal Street Railway should be carried out. The Council were of the opinion that the Commissioner in conjunction with the City Attorney should take the matter up with the Montreal Tramway Commission or the Montreal Tramway Co.

Mayor P. W. McLagan in referring to the visit of His Royal Highness, Edward, the Prince of Wales on Tuesday the 2nd. day of September 1919 expressed his gratification with the manner in which the citizens of Westmount had co-operated with the authorities in decorating their premises.
He had noted particularly that Selby Street, St. Antoine Street and that section of the City had done extremely well. The loyalty of all was very much appreciated and enabled the management to make the very creditable showing it had effected.

Commissioner E. H. Brown reported the death of Mr. Justice A. G. Cross and thereupon moved seconded by Comm. R. B. Common that this Council of the City of Westmount learns with deep sorrow of the decease of Mr. Justice Cross and desires to place on record its recognition of the able public services that he rendered. Judge Cross served Westmount both as Councillor and Mayor and constantly manifested his continued interest in the affairs of the City.

It is therefore resolved that a copy of the above resolution be forwarded with the profound sympathy of the Council, to the family of the late Mr. Justice A. G. Cross.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
WESTMOUNT HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER
9th. 1919 AT 9 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:–

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau, Presiding
Commissioner E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott

The following reports of Committees were submitted:–

Your Committee recommends that whereas according to
Section 13 Article 2 of the agreement of the City of Westmount with the
Montreal Water & Power Company executed on the 15th. day of October in the
year 1908– The City is bound to exercise one of two options and to notify
the said Company in writing two years before the expiry of the contract
or of the extension thereof of its choice between these two alternatives.
its option to renew the present contract according to the terms thereof
for a further period of nine years; and that the Secretary Treasurer be
and is hereby directed to forthwith notify the Montreal Water & Power Co.
of the City's exercise of this option.

It was moved by Comm. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Comm.
R. L. Scott and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the
Committee be adopted.

Your Committee recommends that payments of accounts
be made by cheque and that the said cheques shall be signed by the Mayor
or the Commissioner of Finance, and by the Secretary Treasurer and the
Accountant or in the absence of either but not of both, by the General
Manager. That any resolution previously adopted by the Council inconsis-
tent herewith be and is hereby rescinded.

It was moved by Comm. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Comm.
R. L. Scott and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the
Committee be adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City of Westmount
appeal to the Quebec Public Utilities Committee from the decision of the
Montreal Tramways Commission rendered the 29th. day of August 1919 estab-
lishing for the Montreal Tramways Company the operating allowance for car
miles and the maintenance allowance for car miles for the transportation of
passengers during the year of operation ending on June 30th. 1920 and from
the decision of the Montreal Tramways Commission rendered the same date
establishing the tariffs for the passengers carried by the Montreal Tram-
ways Company and that the City Solicitor take the necessary proceedings to
insert and prosecute such appeal in co-operation with the City of Montreal
and other Municipal Corporations interested.

It was moved by Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm.
S. F. Rutherford and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the
Committee be approved and that a Committee to be composed of the Mayor,
General Manager, City Solicitor and Sec. Treasurer, be appointed to ef-
cfectively co-operate with the representatives of the City of Montreal and
other Municipal Corporations interested.

Your Committee recommends that Messrs Blaiklock & Ross
of Montreal be our Attorneys and our Agents, for us and in our name, to
transact business that we may have with the Collector of the Port of
Montreal or relating to the Department of the Customs of the said Port and
that the Sec. Treasurer be authorized, on behalf of the City, to sign the
form of the Dominion of Canada as submitted herewith.

An amendment to By-law #339 concerning Buildings and Building Constructions was submitted and it was moved by Comm. R. P. Common and seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford and unanimously agreed that the By-law be read a first time.

It was thereupon moved by Comm. R. B. Common and unanimously agreed that the second reading of the By-law be deferred until the next meeting of Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a reply from Mr. Robt. H. Macdonald in which he stated that he would consider it a privilege and pleasure to render service on the Architectural Commission of the City if appointed.

It was thereupon moved by Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford and unanimously resolved that Mr. Robt. H. Macdonald be appointed a member of the Architectural Commission of the City of Westmount.

Mayor P. W. McLagan intimated the death of Mrs. William Rutherford, widow of Ex-Mayor William Rutherford and mother of Ex-Mayor Wm. Rutherford and also of the present Commissioner of Roads, Mr. S. F. Rutherford.

After expressing sympathy with the family in their bereavement the Mayor moved that, as a mark of respect the Council immediately adjourn. This motion was seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott and by a standing vote, unanimously adopted.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL AT A SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON
TUESDAY EVENING; SEPTEMBER, 30th. 1919
AT 10.45 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:--

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau
Commissioner E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance
submitted a recommendation of the General Committee as follows:--

Your Committee recommends that the proposed By-law
to repeal Section #3 of By-law #341 concerning the hours for closing
places of business in the City be considered.

On the motion of Comm. E. H. Brown seconded by
Comm. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer then presented By-law #343
entitled By-law to amend By-law #341 concerning the hours for closing
places of business.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by
Ald. R. B. Common the By-law was read a first time.
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by
Ald. R. L. Scott the By-law was read a second time.
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by
Ald. S. F. Rutherford the By-law was given a third reading.
By-law #343 having been read a first, second and
third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according
to law.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted
the following recommendations:--

Your Committee recommends that the application of
Mrs. C. J. Brown for permission to erect two private Garages on the South
East corner of Kensington and Western Avenues, one to be 19 feet from
the Kensington Ave. street line and the other, 42 feet from the Kensington
Ave. street line, be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural
Commission and City Engineer.

Your Committee recommends that the application of
Mr. Charles Gurd for permission to erect a private Garage on his property
on the North West corner of Bronte Place and the Boulevard, at a dis­
tance of 44 feet from the street line, be granted, subject to the approval
of the Architectural Commission and City Engineer.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by
E. H. Brown these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Ald. R. L. Scott, Commissioner of Parks submitted
the following recommendation of the General Committee:--

Your Committee recommends that the proposed Tennis
Courts and Baseball Diamond, as per plan submitted, be erected in the
Park at an estimated cost of $2100.00, to be taken from funds available
under By-law #321.

On the motion of Ald. R. L. Scott seconded by
Ald. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
Item #3 of the agenda concerning By-law to amend the Building By-law was deferred for further consideration until next meeting of Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter from Mrs. J. S. Leo, #437 Argyle Avenue requesting that the fallen leaves and all garden rubbish be carted away and not burnt. This was referred to the Commissioner of Parks for attention.

The Sec. Treasurer also presented a letter from Mr. George E. Cross, #369 Metcalfe Avenue expressing appreciation of the recent sympathetic resolution of the Council on the occasion of the death of his father, the late Mr. Justice Cross.

The Sec. Treasurer read a notice from the Canada Gazette drawing attention to the tremendous annual loss of property through fire over the whole Dominion and appointing Thursday the 9th. October to be observed as a "Fire Prevention Day" on which day all citizens are enjoined to examine their houses or other property and to arrange for any safeguard against fire which suggests itself to them.

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau intimated that it would certainly receive the unanimous support of the Council.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A REGULAR SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 7th, OCTOBER 1919, AT 11 O’CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor P. W. McLaughan,
Comm. R. B. Common
Comm. S. F. Rutherford
Comm. R. L. Scott
Comm. C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Alderman R. B. Common on behalf of the Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the months of August and September, 1919:—

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On the motion of Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the application of the Massey-Harris Co. for permission to erect a Private Garage on the north side of Selby Street opposite Hallowell Street, be granted—subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

On the motion of Comm. R. B. Common seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Police submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the following tenders for supply of Police and Fire Equipment for the ensuing year be accepted, namely:—

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<td>Rubber coats</td>
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On the motion of Comm. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
Comm. R. L. Scott reported having received an offer from Mr. Lorne C. Webster of some beavers for the Park and while appreciating Mr. Webster's very kind offer and after considering the whole matter together with the General Manager he regretted that they were unable, in the meantime, to accept the gift.

The Sec. Treasurer was thereupon instructed to write to Mr. Webster the decision of the Council at the same time expressing their appreciation of his offer.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a report setting forth the estimated requirements of the City for the year ending 31st October 1920 to meet the current administration expenses and part of the interest and sinking fund as follows:

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Less estimated Revenue from licences etc. etc. 22,000.00

Total amount to be provided: 553,492.00

To be provided as follows:

- For depreciation and replacement included in the above $16,515.00
- For Sundry Contingencies 17,358.50
- For Discount 9,000.00
- For Pension Fund 10,000.01
- For Victoria Hall 1000.00

An assessment of One Mill in the dollar on the total assessed value of taxable property, viz.: $44,873,500 at 1% 44,873.50

And for the remainder required for general administration & maintenance 51,508.50

Less a sum estimated as receipts from other sources of 22,000.00

An assessment of 11 mills in the dollar on the total assessed value of taxable property, viz.: $44,873,500.00 at 11 mills 493,608.50

Alderman R. B. Common for the Commissioner of Finance then presented By-law #544 entitled By-law to Levy an Assessment to meet the current expenses of the City for the fiscal year 1919-1920 and for other purposes and on the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford the By-law was given its first reading.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau the By-law was given its second reading.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the By-law was given its third reading.

By-law #544 having been read a first, second and third time was
unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

It was moved by Ald. R. L. Scott seconded by Ald. R. E. Common and resolved that Ald. S. F. Rutherford be and is hereby appointed Acting Mayor for the three months from 1st. November 1919 to the 31st. January 1920.

A letter from Mr. Duncan Ferguson complaining of the use of certain parts of the Park for auto traffic was referred to the Commissioner of Parks.

Mayor F. W. McLagen in referring to the forth-coming visit of the Prince of Wales intimated that the Public Buildings of the City would be suitably decorated during his stay and called upon the citizens to display bunting and flags wherever it was suitable and convenient.

He also intimated that an illuminated address would be prepared and presented to the Prince at the public reception to be given in Montreal.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, 28th. OCTOBER 1919 AT 10.50 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:--

Acting Mayor C. W. H. Rondeau
Commissioner E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendations of the Finance Committee:--

Your Committee recommends WHEREAS it has been found impracticable to construct all the lanes within the date as estimated and that therefore it was not necessary to finance for the cost of such construction within the estimated period, therefore it is hereby recommended that the resolution adopted by the City Council under date of the 5th. August 1919 respecting the issue of bonds authorized under By-law #283 be and is hereby rescinded.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that bonds being part of the bonds authorized to be issued under By-law #283 of the face value of $50,000 payable in 14 years from their date, with 28 coupons attached, bear the date of November 1st,1919 and that $50,000 payable in 14 years from their date with 28 coupons attached bear the date of May 1st. 1920, the said bonds to be numbered from L51 to L100 and L101 to L150 inclusive and issued as authorized by the said By-law #283 adopted at an adjourned session of the Council of the City of Westmount the 24th. February 1914.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that WHEREAS the property known as #27 Rosemount Avenue being Cad. Part 369 has since the 1st. of November 1918 been used as an educational institution and therefore not subject to taxation according to the Charter of the City of Westmount, that the taxes upon the said property be remitted and charged off to Contingent account.

Your Committee further recommends that under article #515 of the Charter, that the taxes imposed upon property #4160 St. Catherine Street being Cad. #379, Sub. part #15 and #14 for the amounts and arrears as hereunder, be remitted and charged off to Contingent Fund;--

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One half of above $298.56

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Your Committee further recommends that WHEREAS it is estimated that it will be necessary to meet the increased cost of books, magazines, book repairs etc. to have the appropriation for the Library for the year ending 31st. October 1919 increased, it is therefore recommended that an additional appropriation of $400.00 or a total appropriation of $8,700 be granted to the Library Committee for the said year ending 31st. October 1919.
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Council make the following appropriations as per statement submitted herewith and the Council hereby authorize the General Committee to make expenditures to the extent of the said appropriations, viz:–

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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer presented By-law #345 to amend By-law 339 concerning Buildings and Building Construction.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau the By-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott the By-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the By-law was read a third time.

By-law Number 345 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a letter from Ald. S. F. Rutherford acknowledging the Council's expression of sympathy and appreciating the resolution of adjournment made on the recent passing of his mother, Mrs. William Rutherford, Sr.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 4TH, 1919, AT 9:30 AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:–

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Ald. R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee;–

Your Committee recommends that the application of Dr. W. H. Riley for permission to erect a garage at the north west corner of Chesterfield and Claremont Avenues be granted subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and City Engineer.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report;–

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the undermentioned Westmount citizens have been decorated for services overseas;

Sergeant André C. Bieler,
P. P. C. L. I.
93 Columbia Avenue,
Meritorious Service Medal

B. Q. M. S– B. Brooke Claxton,
McGill Battery Reinforcements
4167 Dorchester Street.
Distinguished Conduct Medal

Signaller Ralph Hamilton
38th. Battery, C. F. A.
639 Roslyn Avenue,
Meritorious Service Medal
Military Medal

Lieutenant John R. Kearney
79th. Battery, C. F. A.
499 Elm Avenue,
Military Medal

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

The Sec. Treasurer presented the supplementary Grand and Petit Jurors list for the year 1919-1920 and intimated that no exceptions or objections had been taken to same.
On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. B. Common the list was approved.

The following correspondence was then submitted:-

Letter from the Superior and the Religious of St. Paul's Academy, Westmount, acknowledging the invitation from the Mayor and Aldermen to be present at Westmount Park on the occasion of the visit of His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales.

Letter from the Hon. Secretary of the Westmount Cricket Club thanking the Council for the privilege of the use of the Park during the past season.

Letter from Mr. Stanley B. Coristine, Commissioner of Canadian Board of Pensions intimating that as the result of the further examination of Sergeant A. C. Siegler, #10963, P. P. C. L. I., it had been possible to increase the award of pension, in his case, to $45.00 per month.

The Sec. Treasurer was instructed to acknowledge Major Stanley B. Coristine's letter and to express the appreciation of the Council at the prompt action taken in the matter.

VISIT OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS, THE PRINCE OF WALES.

The Sec. Treasurer then read the following letter received by the Mayor from the private Secretary to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales:-

ROYAL TRAIN
at Montreal,
31st. October, 1919.

Mr. Mayor,

I am desired by the Prince of Wales to express through you to the Council and to the citizens of Westmount His Royal Highness' sincere thanks for the beautiful Address which you presented to Him on the occasion of His first visit to Westmount, and of His deep appreciation of the good wishes contained therein.

His Royal Highness will not fail, on His return to England, to convey to His Majesty the King their message of loyalty and devotion.

I am,

Mr. Mayor,
Your obedient Servant,

Godfrey Thomas,
Private Secretary.

His Worship The Mayor of Westmount.

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance, in moving that a copy of the illuminated address which had been presented to His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, on the occasion of his first visit to Westmount on Thursday, the 30th October, 1919, be inscribed in the minutes, referred to the presentation of the address which had been pleasingly carried out by Miss Kathleen Donoghue—Queens School, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Donoghue of 4023 Dorchester Street, Westmount, and also the presentation of a bouquet of flowers by Miss Marcelle Demers—St. Paul's Academy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Demers of 531 Grosvenor Avenue, Westmount. These young ladies being representative of the Protestant School Board and the Catholic School Board of the City respectively.

Alderman Brown also commented on the very satisfactory arrangement of the school children of the City who had mustered in the Park to
the number of over two thousand boys and girls and had tendered to the
Prince a most loyal and hearty welcome.

Ald. Brown also moved that letters of appreciation and thanks
for assistance in carrying out the whole arrangements be forwarded to -

1. Canadian Pacific Railway Police, through Major R. G. Chamberlin, who had
kindly sent Sergeant Jolicoeur and fifteen men in charge of Inspector
Logan to assist in keeping the streets clear.

2. The Chairman of the Protestant School Board and the Chairman of
the Catholic School Board for their co-operation in bringing the children
together and the two young ladies who had made the presentations, and also
to Commander C. S. Allan of the Boy Scouts who had formed a guard of honor
on Sherbrooke Street immediately opposite the Park.

3. The Police force of Westmount, per Chief Thomas Moffitt.

Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded the foregoing motions and at
the same time also referred to the efficient manner in which the arrange­
ment for the afternoon had been carried out by the General Manager and
other officials of the City.

These resolutions were then unanimously adopted.

The following is a copy of the illuminated address:­

TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS EDWARD ALBERT CHRISTIAN GEORGE ANDREW PATRICK DAVID,
PRINCE OF WALES AND EARL OF CHESTER in the Peerage of the United
Kingdom, DUKE OF CORNWALL in the Peerage of England, DUKE OF
ROTHSAY, EARL OF CARRICK, and BARON RENFREW, in the Peerage of
SCOTLAND R. G.; G. M. M. G.; etc. etc.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESS

The people of Westmount and their Council take the occasion of
your presence here today to bid you welcome to the City. They recall with
grateful appreciation your valiant and devoted service throughout the
war, the risk and strain to which, in common with all ranks of the fight­
ing forces of the Empire, you were constantly subjected, and your loyal
comradeship with their own fighting men. This service and devotion
cannot be forgotten or lightly remembered by the people of this suburban
City who, from a population of some eighteen thousand souls, sent from
their homes to the battle fields of Europe no less than sixteen hundred
men. Of these one hundred and seventy-three offered up their lives for
the Empire and their King.

Westmount citizens have followed with keen interest the reports
of your eastward and westward journey across the Dominion, of the con­
tinual enthusiasm of your receptions, and of the invariably cordial and
spontaneous welcome extended you by the Canadians at home. Will your
Royal Highness accept from the citizens of this City also the assurance
of their deep loyalty and devotion to the Crown and Person of His
Majesty the King; their profound and chivalrous respect for Her Majesty
the Queen; and for yourself their generous and affectionate good-will.

We have the honour to be, Sir your Royal Highness' most obedient
servants.

P. W. McLagan, Mayor
Arthur F. Bell, Secretary-Treasurer.

Mayor P. W. McLagan expressed the appreciation of the Council for
the decorations shown on the houses of many residents on the route fol­
lowed by the Prince and at the same time intimated his regret that owing
to the necessity of keeping a clear space in front of the children must­
tered in the Park so that their view of the Prince might not be inter-
rupted the available space for the School Commissioners and others with their ladies viewing the proceedings was somewhat limited. If it had been known that the Prince would have departed from the programme arranged for him more satisfactory arrangements could have been made. He hoped however, that this explanation would tend to assuage the disappointment, if any, felt by the citizens in this connection.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]

Mayor

[Signature]

Secretary Treasurer.
Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Alderman E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of October 1919:

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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that authority be given for the purchase of a new horse for the Roads Department at a cost not to exceed $350.00, to be taken from Depreciation Reserve.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. H. C. Hatch for permission to erect two private garages on the north side of The Boulevard between Roslyn and Lansdowne Avenues, at a distance of 25 feet from the street line, be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Council grant a permit to Mr. E. Lamire to erect a private garage at the rear of #582 Cote St. Antoine Road on the side line of the property about 70 feet from the rear line as per plans submitted and approved by the Architectural Commission.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. D. S. Whittal to erect a garage on the north east corner of Sunnyside and Victoria Avenues at a distance of 45 feet from the Sunnyside Avenue street line as per plans approved by the Architectural Commission.
On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. L. Scott, Commissioner of Parks submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that By-law #59 Concerning Parks be amended and I move that the proposed amending By-law be now read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. R. L. Scott seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown the By-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott the By-law was given its second reading.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau the By-law was read a third time.

By-law # 546 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following correspondence:

Letter from Signaller Ralph Hamilton appreciating the congratulatory letter of Council on his war decoration.

Letter from the Western Hospital tendering thanks to the Council for their recent special contribution of $500.00 made to the institution building fund.

Letter from the Sec. Treasurer of the Catholic School Commissioners thanking the Council for their letter of appreciation of their co-operation in the reception tendered by the City to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales on the 30th. October 1919.

Letter from Mr. A. Leduc regretting his inability to accept the gracious invitation of the Council to the recent Royal Reception.

Letter from the Westmount Soldiers' Wives' League conveying their thanks to the Mayor and Council and General Manager of the City for assistance given in many ways to the work of the League during the last year.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD
ON TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 9th, 1919, at
10.40 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Ald. E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the follow-
ing recommendation of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be authorized
to purchase and hold for the Sinking Fund Commission, to be delivered on
the Ist. May next, in lieu of interest and sinking funds the following
bonds;-

$25,000.00 City of Westmount 4% Bonds, maturing 1st. May
1954 at 73.67.
$25,000.00 Toronto Harbour Commissioners 4% bonds guaranteed
as to both principal and interest by the City of Toronto, maturing 1st.
September 1953 at 81.42 and also to be held until the 1st. November.
$25,000.00 City of Westmount 4% bonds maturing 1st. November
1947 at 82.71.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B.
Common this resolution was unanimously adopted.

Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Police submitted the
following recommendation of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that authority be given for the pur-
chase of a horse for the use of the Police and Fire Department- the es-
timated cost of $250.00 to be taken from the Depreciation Reserve Fund
of the Department.

On the motion of Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R. L.
Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. E. H. Brown submitted the following recommendation of the
General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that property being Cad. 215, Sub.
162-163 owned by the Westmount Baptist Church and the property being
Cad. 219, part of 65 and part of 66 owned by the Westmount Methodist
Church be exempted from taxation and the Sec. Treasurer instructed to
deduct the assessment from the Collection Roll.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B.
Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer presented the following reports:-

I regret to have to report to the Council some additional
casualties which have only recently come to my notice;-

Lieut. Stephen Arthur Dawson,
9th. Field Ambulance & Royal Air Forces.
Son of Rev. Geo. F. Dawson;
70 Exmouth Street, St. John N.B.
Resided with A. C. Dawson, 21 Bellevue Avenue
Killed over German lines. August 10th, 1918.
Flight Lieut. Howard L. Fennal  
Royal Air Forces  
Son of Mr. & Mrs. F. G. Fennal  
790 Lyrile Avenue, Albany, N. Y.  
Formerly of 478 Lansdowne Avenue  
Killed in action.

Sergeant Willie St. Louis  
22nd. Battalion  
Son of Mr. Clovis St. Louis  
4611 Sherbrooke St.  
Killed in action.

Private Reginald Hubert Hamilton Daniel  
24th. Battalion  
Next of kin Mrs. R. H. H. Daniel, wife.  
49 Lincoln Avenue  
Formerly of 363 Grosvenor Ave.  
Killed in action.

Private Henry Charles Collins  
60th. Battalion transferred to 24th. Battalion  
Son of Mrs. Collins,  
515 Clarke Avenue.  
Killed in action.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. L. Scott it was resolved that these names be inscribed in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to their next of kin.

I have much pleasure in reporting to the Council that the following Westmount citizens have been decorated, (particulars of same having only recently come to my notice).

Lieut. John W. Jenkins, M. M.  
Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry,  
503 Lansdowne Avenue.  
Croix de Guerre (France)

Hon. Lieut. William Hill  
Canadian Army Medical Corps  
Y. M. C. A. Westmount  
Meritorious Service Medal

Lieut. C. Allan Johnson  
11th. Field Co. Canadian Engineers  
4103 Sherbrooke Street  
Military Cross

Captain Denny B. M. Jackson  
4th. Seaforth Highlanders Imperial Army  
7 Thornhill Avenue  
Distinguished Service Order.

Major James Robert Goddell  
Canadian Army Medical Corps  
96 The Boulevard  
Order of the British Empire.
Private George Mackay Kelly
13th. Battalion R. H. C.
323 Selby Street.
Military Medal

Nursing Sister Mildred H. Forbes
#2 Canadian Casualty Clearing Station
475 Grosvenor Avenue
Royal Red Cross 1st. Class
Medaille Epidemie des Francaise

Private Frederick Albert Higgins
#6 Field Ambulance
29 Winchester Avenue
Military Medal

Captain Barclay Shaw
Royal Air Forces
29 Holton Avenue
Distinguished Flying Cross

Garnet Wolsley Wicksen
Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve
472 Victoria Avenue
Belgian Croix de Guerre

Lieut. Arthur Fredrick Shaw
1st. Divisional Signal Company, Canadian
11 Melbourne Avenue
Military Cross

Serjeant Major Robert Ralston White
60th. Battalion
659 Belmont Avenue
Military Medal

Serjeant Percy S. Christmas
35th. Howitzer Battery
63 Columbia Avenue,
Military Medal

Private Ernest A MaNown
Canadian Machine Gun Corps
23 Staynor Avenue
Military Medal

Major Bruce Ross
3rd. Battalion Canadian Engineers
393 Kensington Avenue
Military Cross and Bar

Colonel Arthur Stewart Eve
490 Mountain Avenue
148th. Battalion
Commander of the Order of the British Empire.
Captain James Gordon Nicholson
P. E. C. L. I.
276 Eliza Avenue West, formerly 36 Church Hill
Military Cross

Regimental Sergeant Major Kenneth Matheson
42nd Battalion, R. H. C.
35 Brooke Avenue;
Military Medal
Meritorious Service Medal

Captain Joseph C. H. Pratt
22nd Howitzer Battery
101 St. Luke Street formerly 109 Selby St
Croix de Guerre.

Nursing Sister Alexandra Helen Nelson
434 Westmount Avenue
Canadian Army Medical Corps
Royal Red Cross

Sergeant William George Reid
1st Canadian Siege Battery
181 Metcalfe Avenue
Military Medal

Colonel James Whiteside Bridges
Canadian Army Medical Corps
662 Belmont Avenue
Commander of the Order of the British Empire

Captain John Kenneth Nesbitt
14th. Battalion
38 Belvedere Road
Military Cross
Order of St. Stanislaus (Russian)

On the motion of Ald. E.H. Brown seconded by Ald. R.L. Scott it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to the
Council the congratulations of the officers the congratulation of the Council.

"Your communication of the 5th. instant from the City Council has been laid before the Board of School Commissioners requesting the withdrawal of conditions upon which permission was given to put skat­ing rinks in the Roslyn School Grounds;

After considering the matter the Board of School Com­missioners concluded that the conditions as stated must remain."

Commissioner C.W.H. Rondeau in referring to the matter stated that the city authorities were perfectly willing to construct a rink on the school grounds but the position taken up by the Board of School Com­missioners regarding the city's liability for damages for flooding or other causes made this quite impossible and he further stated that the rink would be erected on the grounds of the Dominion Methodist Church provided the necessary permission be obtained.

The motion thereupon adjourned.

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The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that the Merchants Bank of Canada had requested the approval of the City Council of Westmount to the Bank's application to the Legislature for the passing of an Act to amend Article 15 of the Act 2 George V Chapter 60 in such a manner as to enable the City Council of Westmount to authorize the establishment of banking premises in the territory in which places of businesses are prohibited by that Article. A draft of the Private Bill as filed with the Clerk of the Private Bills Committee of the House of Assembly on behalf of the Bank was submitted to the meeting.

It was moved by Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford and unanimously resolved that the application of the Merchants Bank of Canada, for the passing of an Act for the foregoing purposes and in the form submitted, be and is hereby approved.

The Sec. Treasurer then stated that he regretted to have to report that information had been received that the father of Commissioner R. L. Scott had died early this morning.

It was thereupon moved by Commissioner E.H. Brown, seconded by Commissioner C.W.H. Rondeau and unanimously resolved that this Council having heard with deep sympathy of the death of Mr. J. H. Scott, father of Mr. R. L. Scott, as a mark of respect, forthwith adjourn this session of Council to 9.30 o'clock, Tuesday evening the 13th January 1920, and that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey an expression of sympathy to Commissioner Scott.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
Acting Mayor S. F. Rutherford  
Commissioner E. H. Brown  
do R. B. Common  
do C. W. H. Rondeau

Alderman E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of December 1919:—

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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

(A) Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be authorized to sign a lease from Mr. D. J. M. Darling to the City, of the lane situated in rear of Nos. 4916 to 4928 Sherbrooke Street and also the lane between Nos. 4928 to 4930 Sherbrooke Street for 14 years from 1st. January 1920 at an annual rental of $1.00 as per draft of said lease submitted herewith.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

(B) Your Committee recommends the adoption of a By-law to authorize the closing and sale to the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. of the certain portion of Prospect Street at the southeast corner of Greens Av. and Prospect Street adjoining the Company’s right of way.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown the By-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H Rondeau the By-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown the By-law was read a third time.

By-law number #247 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

(C) Your Committee recommends that $1292.76 to cover the cost of creosoted blocks ordered for corporation stables be charged.
against the appropriation to the Road Department for the year ending 31st October 1919.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

(D) Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. N. J. Holden for permission to remodel and use a third class building as a garage on his property at the corner of Lansdowne and Western Avenues be granted.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

(E) Your Committee recommends that the Council approve the increase in the charge for special removals from 75¢ to $1.00; and that the charge for the construction of ramps be increased from $2.00 to $2.50 per linear foot.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E.H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

(F) Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. H. C. Hatch for permission to erect a pair of garages on his property on the Boulevard at the head of Lansdowne Avenue, be granted, as per plans submitted and approved by the Architectural Commission.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted a By-law to amend Building By-law #339.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. C.W.H. Rondeau this by-law was read a first time; Alderman Common giving notice that the second reading would be called at the next meeting of Council.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:-

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following citizens have been decorated for their services overseas, details of which have only recently come to my notice:-

Lieut. Harold G. Lawton
73rd. Battalion
433 Mount Pleasant Avenue
Military Medal

Sergeant Holder Lilburn Moir
5th. Canadian Divisional Ammunition Column
7 Burton Avenue.
Meritorious Service Medal

Private Richard Stanley Bassett
6th. Canadian Field Ambulance
38 York Avenue
Military Medal

Nursing Sister Ethel Marie Holmes
Canadian Army Medical Corps
566 Lansdowne Avenue
Royal Red Cross
Company Sergt. Major Joseph Riddoch,
Canadian Engineers,
101 Belvedere Road
Military Medal

Lieut. Norman Root,
Royal Navy Volunteer Reserve,
6 Rosemount Avenue
Royal Humane Society Medal.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

Acting Mayor S. F. Rutherford having intimated the retiral of Mr. E. A. Wright from the Trustee Board of the Library of which he was presently Chairman, after five years service, it was moved by Ald. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. E. H. Brown and unanimously resolved that the Council send a letter to Mr. Wright appreciative of his untiring and persistent efforts on behalf of the Library and at the same time expressing regret at the withdrawal of his services.

The Sec. Treasurer in his capacity as Returning Officer reported that in accordance with the procedure laid down in the City Charter Public Notice was given on the Thirtieth day of December 1919 of the nomination of candidates to be held on the Twelfth January 1920 for the office of Public Library Trustee.

On the said date last mentioned and upon the expiration of the delay fixed therefor, there had been filed with him papers in due form nominating

JOHN ANDERSON, Merchant, #464 Roslyn Avenue.

Only one nomination having been made for this office, the candidate named above was declared elected to the office for which he was nominated.

All papers in connection with the election of Mr. Anderson are submitted herewith.

This report was received and ordered to be filed.

It was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that Ald. R. L. Scott be and is hereby appointed Acting Mayor for the three months from 1st. February to 30th. April prox.

Letters of thanks for the congratulations of the Council on recent war service decorations were submitted from:-

Colonel A. S. Eve of #490 Mountain Avenue
Lieut. J. W. Jeakins of #508 Lansdowne Avenue.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE CITY COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON
THE 27th. JANUARY 1920, AT 6 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH
WERE PRESENT;

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Commissioner E. Herbert Brown
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott

The Commissioner of Finance submitted the following re­
commendations:­

Your Committee recommends that the following Board of As­
sessors be appointed for the ensuing year;
Mr. H. H. Ransom, Chairman,
Mr. R. E. Hutchesson
Mr. W. Godbee Brown

Your Committee further recommends that the Assessors be in­
structed to prepare the Valuation Roll for the year 1920-21 according to
Articles 437 et seq of the Charter giving the following particulars and
deposit the roll in the office of the Council on or before the 31st.
July 1920:­

2. The number of each entry or item.
3. Names of owners in full.
4. Names of tenants or occupants.
5. Names of proprietors' sons of voting age.
6. Names of persons qualified to vote on income as provided in the Quebec
Election Act.
7. Cadastral and subdivision numbers of each lot or part of lot.
8. Street number of each building.
9. Superficial area of each lot.
10. Annual value and annual rental paid by tenants.
11. Occupation of all persons entered in the roll.
12. Domicile of all persons entered in the roll.
13. Salary of all sons of proprietors or sons of tenants entered in the roll.
14. Salary of all entered on the roll under #5.

In the occupation column specify if;

15. Aliens.
16. Officers of His Majesty's Courts.
17. Registrars.
18. Managers and clerks of incorporated banks.
19. Officers of the Army and Navy on active service.
20. Officers, Non-commissioned officers and men of the active militia.
21. Persons over 65 years of age.

the recommendation of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that whereas in the assessment of
November 1st. $12,583.20 was provided for Contingencies and whereas $11,000
was provided as a Special Contingency Reserve Fund, your Committee re­
commends that the General Committee be authorized to make expenditures to
the extent of the said amounts as the contingencies arise or may have arisen,
payments to be confirmed by the Council in the usual manner.
On motion of Comm. E. H. Brown seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford the recommendation of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the following schedule of charges for use of Victoria Hall be made for the ensuing year:

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<td>Large Hall for Church, Charitable &amp; Educational Purposes</td>
<td>$15.00 per evening, $10.00 per afternoon</td>
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<td>For Other Purposes with gymnasium</td>
<td>$40.00 per evening, $50.00 per evening</td>
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<td>Christian Science Church</td>
<td>$75.00 per month</td>
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<td>Room &quot;D&quot; for Church, Charitable &amp; Educational Purposes</td>
<td>$5.00 per evening, $15.00 per evening</td>
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<td>Two evenings per month</td>
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<td>Married People's Club</td>
<td>$125.00 per year</td>
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<td>1 night &amp; 1 afternoon per week</td>
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<td>W. A. A. A.</td>
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<td>4 nights &amp; 2 afternoons per week</td>
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<td>Other purposes</td>
<td>$15.00 per evening</td>
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<td>Boy Scouts one night per week</td>
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<th>Club Room W. A. A. A.</th>
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<td>Shooting gallery- one night a week</td>
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<th>Chequers Room</th>
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<td>Single night</td>
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<th>Room &quot;F&quot; Christian Science Reading Room</th>
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On motion of Comm. E. H. Brown seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott the report of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City of Westmount make application for membership in the Union of Municipalities of the Province of Quebec and that in accordance with the constitution a membership fee of $250.00 be paid and that the Mayor and Sec. Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the said application on behalf of the City of Westmount.
On motion of Comm. E. H. Brown seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford the report of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

Comm. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau submitted the following recommendation:

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager and City Engineer be authorized to purchase 8 horses at a cost not to exceed $350.00 each, the funds to be taken from Depreciation Fund and 3 sets of harness, not to exceed $100.00 each, funds to be taken from the Special Reserve of the Depreciation Fund and that a Buggy be authorized to be purchased at a cost not to exceed $150.00, funds to be taken from Depreciation Fund.

On motion of Comm. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott the recommendation of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Thos. Jones, to convert the dwelling at #156 Metcalfe Avenue into a two storey apartment building as per plan submitted herewith, be granted.

On motion of Comm. Dr. Rondeau seconded by Comm. Scott the recommendation of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to sell the Chevrolet Run-about of the Police Department and the automobile presently used by the General Management and in exchange purchase two suitable automobiles for these departments and that the following funds be used for the said purposes:

- $1200.00 from the Depreciation Reserve of the Police Department
- $1450.00 from the Electric Light Department Depreciation Funds
- $1925.00 from the Electric Light Department capital funds

On motion of Comm. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott the recommendation of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

Comm. S. F. Rutherford moved, seconded by Comm. E. H. Brown and it was unanimously resolved that Bylaw #348, to amend Bylaw 339 of the City of Westmount be read a second time.

It was thereupon moved by Comm. S. F. Rutherford and seconded by Co. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau and unanimously resolved that Bylaw #348 be read a third time. Bylaw #348 having been read a first, second and third time the Mayor declared the same duly approved and adopted and ordered it to be promulgated according to law.

The Sec. Treasurer submitted the following report:

I have much pleasure in reporting that the following citizens have been decorated for their services overseas, details of which have only recently come to my notice:

Staff Sergeant Benjamin Heap
9th. Canadian Field Ambulance
349 Victoria Avenue
Meritorious Service Medal

Sergeant Major Arthur H. Mingy
126th. Battalion
4916 Sherbrooke Street
Meritorious Service Medal
Lieutenant Warren D. Nelson  
Linton Apartments.

Military Cross.

On the motion of Comm. E. H. Brown seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford it was unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer be directed to convey to these officers the congratulations of the Council.

An invitation from the President, Officers and Members of the Committee of Management of the Mechanics Institute was extended to the Mayor and members of the Council to be present at the opening of the new Institute Building on Friday evening, January 30th, 1920.

Letters of acknowledgment of the copies of the resolution adopted by the Citizens, were received from:

Mr. Paul Singer  
54 South Oxford St. Brooklyn, N.Y.

Mr. R.E. Bliss  
220 Bishop Street.

Lt. Col. T. Sydney Morrissey  
482 Roslyn Avenue.

G. Vibert Douglas  
4195 Sherbrooke St

Norman Root  
8 Rosemount Ave.

R. H. M. Bremner  
225 The Boulevard

Dr. E. Dube  
Western Ave.

D. M. Murphy  
4540 St Catherine St

Henry Hadley  
53 Windsor Ave.

Dr. A. Mackenzie Forbes  
615 University St

Mrs. John Scott  
149 Grey Ave.

Letter of acknowledgment was received from Commissioner R. L. Scott expressing his appreciation of the sympathy of the members of the Council in connection with his bereavement.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT HELD ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3RD, 1920, AT 9 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan,
Comm. E. Herbert Brown
do R. B. Common
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott

The minutes of the three preceding meetings of the Council were approved.

Commissioner R. B. Common reported that the General Committee recommended that this Council adopt a resolution respecting complaints of increased rentals and moved, seconded by Commissioner Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau and unanimously resolved that WHEREAS—many complaints have been made to this Council of the intention of certain landlords to increase as from the 1st. May 1920 the rentals of their houses to an excessive extent, amounting in cases to 100% and over and WHEREAS—-the powers of this City do not enable it to take action in such matters, it is hereby resolved that the Legislature of the Province of Quebec be petitioned to extend the powers of the Public Utilities Commission so that it may be empowered to hear and adjudicate upon complaints of alleged excessive and unjustified increases of rentals and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. the Prime Minister, Sir Lomer Gouin.

Commissioner R. L. Scott reported that the slides and the skating rinks were in full operation and in fine condition.

Commissioner S. F. Rutherford reported that he had, as Acting Mayor, attended the opening of the Mechanics Institute and stated that Westmount is to be congratulated upon having this very beautiful building so handsomely furnished within its limits and suggested that every member of the Council take an opportunity of examining the comfortable quarters that have been provided for the reading public.

Commissioner R. B. Common made a request and it was moved by Comm. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Comm. E. Herbert Brown and unanimously resolved that leave of absence be granted to the Commissioner of Roads for a period of three months.

The Mayor and Commissioners expressed the hope that Commissioner Common would enjoy his holiday trip to the south west.

Letters of acknowledgment were received from the following:

Mrs. Charlotte M. N. Lester and H. McLaren

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A REGULAR
MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 2nd, 1920
AT 9.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. Herbert Brown
" Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
" S. F. Rutherford
" R. L. Scott

The minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed.

The following reports were submitted from the General
Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm
the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of Feb-
uary, 1920:

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<td>Victoria Hall Accounts</td>
<td>1,235.91</td>
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<td>Road Accounts</td>
<td>16,967.35</td>
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<td>Police Accounts</td>
<td>5,255.63</td>
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<td>Parks Accounts</td>
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<td>Library Accounts</td>
<td>315.61</td>
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<td>Light Accounts</td>
<td>6,709.75</td>
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<td>Roads &amp; Scavenging Pay Rolls</td>
<td>13,585.26</td>
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<td>Parks Pay Rolls</td>
<td>1,224.65</td>
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<td>Police Pay Rolls</td>
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<td>Light Pay Rolls</td>
<td>4,354.23</td>
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<td>$58,272.72</td>
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Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm
the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of Jan-
uary, 1920:

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<td>Light Pay Rolls</td>
<td>4,352.71</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>$49,469.87</td>
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It was moved by Comm. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Comm. R. L.
Scott and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the Committee be
approved and adopted.

Your Committee, owing to the configuration of the ground recom-
mends, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission, that the
application of Mr. Thos. Harling to erect a garage on his lot 237/39
situated on the Boulevard, on conditions as follows:--
1. That the building be 25 feet back from the Street Line
2. That it be 7 feet from side line
3. That the garage be heated with electricity only.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mrs. J.
Herbert B. Christie to erect four, two storey apartment buildings on
Cad. 333, Subdivisions Nos. 47, 49, 49 and 50, subject to approval of the
Architectural Commission.
Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Dr. John S. Ibbotson to erect a private garage on the south east corner of Roslyn Avenue and the Boulevard. It was moved by Comm. E. H. Brown seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott and resolved that the reports be approved and adopted.

Your Committee recommends that $75,000 additional bonds authorized under By-law No. 284 be set aside in lieu of funds of the Depreciation Reserve used and to be used for extension of the Electric Light and Destructor Plant.

It was moved by Comm. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Comm. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau that the reports be approved and adopted.

Commissioner R. L. Scott reported that the rinks and toboggan slides were still in fine condition and were being much used.

He also reported that the exhibition of the Superintendent of Parks in the Green House was well worth a visit from any of our citizens and the members of the Council and others would be welcome to visit this exhibit at any time.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that he had been called upon to record that on Sunday, February 15th, the death had occurred of Mr. E. F. Slack, Library Trustee, and that under By-law it was necessary that the Mayor appoint a day for nomination and that he had appointed the 9th day of March 1920 from noon until two of the clock in the afternoon as nomination day and that, if required, a poll should be held on the 16th March from 8 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the evening, at the City Hall and that public notice to that effect had been given, as required by law.

Commissioner E. Herbert Brown expressed great regret at the loss that had been sustained by the City in the removal by death of this citizen. Mr. E. F. Slack had taken an unusually deep interest in the affairs of the City, was serving a president of the Municipal Association and had at the last meeting of the Committee of the Westmount Public Library, been elected Chairman of the Library Committee for the ensuing year.

It was thereupon moved by Comm. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott and unanimously resolved that the Sec. Treasurer send a letter of condolence to the members of the family of the late E. F. Slack.

Mayor E. W. McLagan in submitting the resolution expressed concurrence in everything that had been said respecting the work of the late Mr. Slack and the loss that was sustained by the City as a whole in his removal by death.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance, presented the following recommendation of the General Committee:

"The General Committee submits herewith the following recommendations respecting the Special Assessments which it is hereby proposed to levy and assess for the cost of the construction of Roads and Lanes built in the year 1919 or prior thereto and respecting the statements of the costs certified by and plans prepared by the City Engineer, also submitted herewith:-

Your Committee recommends:-

1. That the statement of the City Engineer submitted herewith of the cost of paving Claremont and Burton Avenues and the paving of lanes be and is hereby approved.

2. That the cost of paving Claremont Avenue from Western Avenue to Yorkie Avenue, be assessed one-third of the cost upon the fronting proprietors on the east side of the Avenue, according to the frontage and two-thirds upon the City as provided hereafter in Section 4.

3. That the proportion of the cost of renewing Burton Avenue from Claremont Avenue to Prince Albert Avenue be assessed upon the fronting proprietors on each side of the Avenue, be 10 cents (20%) per lineal
foot and the remainder of the cost upon the whole City as provided hereunder in Section 4.

4. That the difference between the total amount to be assessed upon the fronting proprietors as above provided for the paving of Claremont and Burton Avenues and the total cost of the said improvement shall be assessed as the City's share upon the lands only of the whole city, irrespective of the buildings thereon erected, according to the Valuation Roll now in force and by means of the Special General Assessment Roll hereunder mentioned.

5. That the whole cost of the paving of the lanes as shown upon the plans of the City Engineer submitted herewith be assessed on each proprietor in the lanes, described hereunder, according to the frontage assessment roll prepared by the Secretary Treasurer and submitted herewith:

- North from Sherbrooke Street between Kensington and Metcalfe Ave.
- North from Sherbrooke west of Claremont Avenue.
- Behind High School, Melville Avenue to Park Place.
- Bounded by Olivier, Western, Clarke and St. Catherine.
- Bounded by Gladstone, Greene, Dorchester and St. Catherine.
- South of Western Avenue east from Olivier.
- Bounded by Staynor, Prospect and Greene.
- Bounded by Atwater, Tupper, Gladstone and St. Catherine.
- Bounded by Dorchester, Greene, Staynor and Clarendon.
- Bounded by Selby, Greene, St. Antoine and Selby Park.
- Victoria to Somerville, behind Harrison's Bakery.
- Bounded by Brooks, Selby, Greene and St. Antoine.

6. That notices be given according to the Charter to the fronting proprietors of the proportion of the cost of the said improvements to be assessed upon their respective properties and that the Special Assessment Rolls of the proportion of the cost of the said Roads and Lanes payable as above provided by fronting proprietors be prepared by the Secretary Treasurer on or before the 9th. March, 1920.

7. That the Secretary Treasurer be further instructed to prepare a Special General Assessment Roll against the lands of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected, to levy, according to the Valuation Roll now in force, at the rate of 3 mills in the dollar, the amount required to meet the annual interest and the amount required for the Sinking Fund on the loans or portions of loans effected under By-laws 5, 16, 46, 109, 149, 175, 222, 223, 235 and expended for the Glen Bridge, trunk sewers, drains, the making of roads and sidewalks, the paving of lanes and other improvements assessable in whole or in part against the lands only of the whole City irrespective of the buildings thereon erected and deposit same in his office on or before the 9th. March, 1920 and thereafter to give public notice that same will be presented for homologation on the 6th. April, 1920 at 8 p.m.

8. That the above mentioned rolls be submitted to the Council for homologation on the 6th. April, 1920, the Secretary Treasurer being instructed to give notices required by law accordingly."

On motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman S.F. Rutherford the foregoing recommendation was unanimously approved and adopted.

Letters were received from the following:-


The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]

Mayor
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT HELD ON TUESDAY THE 23rd, 1920, AT 11.45 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor P. W. McLagan,
Comm. E. H. Brown
" S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau

Commissioner E. H. Brown, Chairman of the Finance Committee submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

WHEREAS a request has been received from the Executive of the Union of the Municipalities of the Province of Quebec that a Representative for the District Committee of the Union be appointed, your Committee recommends that Commissioner, Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau be and is hereby elected to represent the City of Westmount.

On the motion of Comm. E. H. Brown seconded by Comm. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Comm. S. F. Rutherford for the Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends the authorization of the purchase of a concrete mixer for the use of the Roads Department at a price not exceeding $3500.00 to be taken from funds available under the Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Department.

On the motion of Comm. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Comm. R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported that in accordance with the procedure laid down in the City Charter, Public Notice was given on the Twenty-seventh day of February 1920 of the nomination of candidates to be held on the Ninth March 1920 for the office of Public Library Trustee. On the said date last mentioned and upon the expiration of the delay fixed therefor, there had been filed with me papers in due form nominating

WILLIAM DOUW LIGHTHALL, Advocate, 14 Murray Avenue

Only one nomination having been made for this office, the candidate named above was declared elected to the office for which he was nominated. All papers in connection with the election of Mr. Lighthall are submitted herewith.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]
Minutes of Proceedings at a General Meeting Held on Thursday, the 25th. March, 1920, at 12:30, Noon, at the Canada Club at which were present:

Commissioner R. L. Scott, Chairman
Do E. H. Brown
Do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
Do S. F. Rutherford
Mayor F. W. McLagan

The Treasurer reported that he had not yet received reply from the Minister of Municipal Affairs respecting the question submitted to him in connection with the proposed loans. Further consideration of the matter was deferred until his reply had been received.

The City Engineer submitted a draft of a proposed by-law respecting Building Lines and after considerable discussion he was instructed to provide building lines on all streets where no building lines presently existed where it was desirable to protect the owners of built upon property where the said properties were now standing back.

cancelled
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 6th, 1920, AT 11.05 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. Herbert Brown
do S. F. Rutherford,
do R. L. Scott,
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meetings were confirmed.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council of the City of Westmount does hereby record its gratitude to and admiration of, those brave Women, members of its citizenship, who with heroic courage, contempt of danger and patient endurance so nobly devoted themselves to the nursing and caring for sick and wounded soldiers and sailors, during the Great War of 1914-1918.

That a copy of this resolution be sent to each Red Cross Nurse and to each member of the Voluntary Aid detachments from Westmount, whose names are inscribed in the records of the City as having served the Empire overseas.

On the motion of Alderman E. H. Brown seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman S. F. Rutherford, Commissioner of the Light and Power Department submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Sec. Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to put forward all Municipal clocks one hour as from two o'clock a.m. on Sunday the 2nd. May, and to insert a notice in the newspapers to this effect, inviting all the Citizens of Westmount to cooperate with the Civic Authorities and to advance their clocks one hour at that date.

On the motion of Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman E. H. Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer reported in connection with the Special Assessment Roll to be submitted for homologation that an objection to the assessment for the paving of lane on St. Catherine Street and Western Ave. near Green Avenue, from Mr. H. F. Jackson, had been received.

After discussion of the question the assessment was deemed to be quite in order.

HOMOLOGATION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL
On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

RE IT RESOLVED that the Special Assessment Rolls levying upon fronting proprietors the proportion of the cost of paving Burton Avenue and Claremont Avenue and the whole cost of the paving of lanes as prepared and deposited in the office of the City of Westmount in accordance with the resolution of this Council adopted at a meeting held on Tuesday the second day of March 1920, be and are hereby homologated.

THAT THE Special General Assessment Roll, levying, according to the Valuation Roll in force against lands only of the whole City
irrespective of the buildings thereon erected, the amount required to
meet the annual interest and instalment of sinking fund on the loans or
portions of loans affected, at the rate of 3 mills in the dollar and
prepared in accordance with the resolution of this Council, at a meeting
held on the second day of March 1920, be and is hereby homologated.

THAT THE proprietors assessed for the cost of the paving of
lanes according to the aforementioned assessment rolls may at the option
of the assessed proprietor, pay the assessment in 14 equal annual instal-
ments each of 5½% of the amount of the assessment for sinking fund and 6% of
the amount of the assessment for interest. In the event of this option
being exercised an instalment of sinking fund and interest shall become
due and exigible on the 1st. day of May 1920 and the 1st. day of May of
each and every year thereafter to and including the 1st. day of May 1933.

BUILDING LINE BY-LAW;
The Sec. Treasurer submitted By-law #352 concerning Building
Lines in the City and on the motion of Ald. Dr. C.W.H.Rondeau seconded
by Ald. S. F. Rutherford the By-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. E. H.
Brown the By-law was read a second time.

the By-law was given its third reading.

By-law #352 having been read a first, second and third time,
was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

AMENDMENT TO BUILDING BY-LAW
The Sec. Treasurer submitted By-law #353 embodying certain
amendments to the existing Building By-law and on the motion of Ald. E.H.
Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this By-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Ald. Dr.C.W.H.Rondeau seconded by Ald. R.L.
Scott the By-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Ald. S. F. Rutherford seconded by Ald. E.H.
Brown the By-law was read a third time.

By-law #353 having been read a first, second and third time,
was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

Alderman E. H. Brown, acting for the Commissioner of Roads,
submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to the Rev.
Abbott Smith for the construction of a private garage on the south side of
Bellevue Avenue near Aberdeen Avenue, at a distance less than 50 feet
from the street line and subject to the approval of the Architectural
Commission.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. Geo.
H. Carter, #53 Belvedere Road to erect a garage on his property at a dis-
tance less than 50 feet from the street line as per plan submitted, and
subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission.

Your Committee recommends that a permit be granted to Mr. Thos.
Hart of #759 St. Antoine Street to convert a third class building in the
rear, into a garage, the said garage building to be lined with terra cotta
or concrete blocks and the ceiling to be metal lathed and cement plastered.

these recommendations were unanimously agreed to.
On the motion of Ald. Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Ald. R.L. Scott, Commissioner E. Herbert Brown was unanimously elected Acting Mayor for the three months commencing 1st. May next.

Commissioner, Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau enquired if the Council were encouraging the cultivation of vacant lots in the same way as last year and the General Manager reported that the ploughing of the lots cultivated under the auspices of the Khaki Club and by returned soldiers or by soldiers' wives, would be done this year but that the City did not propose to do more than this.

Thereupon Dr. Rondeau moved, seconded by Ald. S.F. Rutherford and it was unanimously resolved that in the opinion of this Council the High Cost of Living could only be reduced by increased production and that therefore the citizens of Westmount are hereby urged to continue to exert every effort by garden lot cultivation and otherwise to increase the amount of general production.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Tuesday evening the 13th. inst. at 9 p. m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
GENERAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
AT A MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING,
APRIL 13TH, 1920, AT 10.15 O’CLOCK, AT
WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor P. W. McLagan,
Comm. E. Herbert Brown
Comm. S. F. Rutherford
Comm. R. L. Scott
Comm. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau

Alderman E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of March, 1920;-

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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau, Commissioner of Police, submitted a proposed By-law entitled By-law concerning Taxicabs and Automobiles for Hire.

On the motion of Ald. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau, seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford the By-law was read a first time, Alderman Rondeau giving notice that the second reading would be called at next meeting of Council.

Alderman R. L. Scott, Commissioner of Parks drew public attention to the fine showing of spring flowers presently on view in the Parks Green-house and invited any interested citizens to pay a visit to the conservatories which were daily open to the public.

Alderman Scott also intimated that arrangements were being made for having shrubs and plants in the Parks tagged with both the botanical and common names.

A letter from the Montreal Tramways Commission regarding the proposed elimination of certain car stops in the City was referred to the General Committee.

The question of Loan By-laws was deferred for further consideration until next meeting.
Mayor P. W. McLagan intimated that the Soldiers' Memorial Committee would hold a public meeting on Saturday the 17th instant at 8 o'clock in Victoria Hall where a model of the proposed monument, by Mr. George W. Hill, Sculptor, would be on view.

On the motion of Commissioner E. H. Brown seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford the Secretary Treasurer was instructed to advertise this meeting in the press inviting as many interested citizens as possible to attend.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL AT A REGULAR SESSION HELD ON
FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 30TH, 1920 AT 10.50
O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. Herbert Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
do R. L. Scott

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance
submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that Messrs. MacIntosh, Cole
& Robertson be and are hereby appointed Auditors to the City for the
current fiscal year.

Your Committee submits herewith a statement of Interest
and Sinking Fund payable May 1st, 1920 and recommends that the Secretary
Treasurer be authorized to pay the amounts set forth as follows:-

To the Bank of Montreal for Interest Coupons

To the Sinking Fund Commission:

For Interest 16,641.25
For Sinking Funds 31,833.33
$48,474.58

$120,427.08

S. F. Rutherford these recommendations were unanimously agreed to.

Commissioner E. H. Brown referring to negotiations
presently underway in connection with a charge being made by the Montreal
Water & Power Company for the use of Lawn Sprinklers in the City, expressed
the view that there should be no additional charge and at the same time
intimated that the matter would in all probability be settled at an early
date by arbitration.

Mayor P. W. McLagan intimated the receipt of a letter
from Mr. W. G. Hanson, Hon. Secretary of the Westmount Soldiers' Memorial
Committee drawing attention to the fact that at a public meeting held in
Victoria Hall on the 17th. April, it had been unanimously resolved to
request the City Council to raise the necessary funds for the Memorial, as
a corporate body, in the manner provided by law and in addition, that the
citizens generally be given an opportunity of subscribing voluntarily so
that non-property owners might have the opportunity of contributing.

Commissioner E. H. Brown then gave notice that a Bylaw
authorizing assessment for this purpose would be presented at the General
Session of Council to be held on Tuesday evening the 4th. May at 9 o'clock.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted
the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr.
A. J. Wood for permission to erect a Garage between the Building Line and
the Street Line on the lot bearing Cadastral #237, Subdivision #35 on
Westmount Boulevard, be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural
Commission and the City Engineer.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr.
A. M. Bilsky for permission to erect a Garage on his property situated on
Cadastral #218, Subdivision part #170, at the corner of Roslyn and Westmount Avenues be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. C. F. Notman for permission to erect a Garage on his property situated at the South West corner of Mount Pleasant Avenue and Avenue Road be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

Your Committee recommends that authority be given for the purchase of a new automobile for the use of the City Engineer, at a cost not exceeding $2450.00 to be taken from funds available under the Depreciation Reserve of the Roads Department.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. L. Scott, Commissioner of Parks submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be authorized to purchase 50 benches for use in Westmount Park at an estimated cost of $750.00 to be taken from Funds available under By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. R. L. Scott seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

It was moved by Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau and resolved (Alderman Scott dissenting) that the first reading be given to the new Loan By-laws for:

- Roads----------------- $350,000
- Sidewalks------------- 200,000
- Park Property-------- 75,000

$625,000

Alderman E.H. Brown then intimated that the second reading would be called at the next meeting of the Council.

A letter from Mr. W. A. Craig, Secretary of the Great War Veterans Association, was submitted and referred to the Secretary Treasurer for acknowledgment.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 4th, 1920, AT 10.40 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Alderman E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance, moved the first reading of a bylaw providing for an assessment not exceeding one half mill for the year ending the 31st. December 1921 and an assessment not exceeding one half mill for the year ending 31st. December 1922 to provide funds for the raising of a soldiers memorial in the City. This being seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford the said bylaw was read for the first time.

Alderman Brown gave notice that the second reading of this bylaw would be called at the next session of Council. Alderman Brown also intimated that arrangements would be made for opening public subscription lists in the City Hall, Victoria Hall, Mr. C. E. Scarff's Drug Store at the corner of Victoria Avenue and Sherbrooke Street and Mr. W. S. Stone's Drug Store at the corner of Greene Avenue and St Catherine Street in order to facilitate the opportunity to the public to subscribe to this undertaking.

He further intimated that in cooperation with the School Commissioners, subscription lists would be open in the public schools to provide easy and convenient way for any of the scholars wishing to subscribe.

It was moved by Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford and resolved that the second reading of the proposed loan bylaws be deferred until the next meeting of Council.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Tuesday evening the 11th. inst. at 9 p. m.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT AN ADJOURNED
SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT HELD ON TUESDAY
EVENING, MAY 11TH, 1920, AT 11:10 O'CLOCK
AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. R. Brown
" R. B. Common
" S. P. Rutherford
" R. L. Scott
" Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance,
submitted the under-noted Process Verbal and moved that the same be read and
in the minutes. This being seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott, was unanimously
agreed to.

PROCES VERBAL

On this sixth day of May 1920, we the undersigned, P. W.
McLagan, Mayor of the City of Westmount; E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of
Finance of the Municipal Council of the City of Westmount and John Kifton,
of the Montreal Trust Company, forming the sinking Fund Commission estab-
lished by By-law #195 of the Council of the said City and Arthur F. Bell,
Sec. Treasurer, proceeded to the incinerator of the City of Westmount and
did there and then completely destroy by fire the undermentioned bonds
heretofore issued by the said Corporation and also certain attached interest
coupons as hereinafter specified, namely:—

BONDS AND COUPONS DESTROYED.

Bonds of issue authorized by By-law #5 of the Town of Cote
St. Antoine Nos. 501 to 700 inclusive, being two hundred (200) bonds in all
of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each with coupons No. 59 (May
1st. 1920) to 94 inclusive attached, said bonds being for a term of 42 years,
dated 1st. October 1930 and maturing the 1st. November 1932 with interest at
4% per annum.

Bonds of issue authorized by By-law #16 of the Town of Cote
St. Antoine Nos. 701 to 732 inclusive; 743 to 762 inclusive; 772 to 786 in-
clusive; 809; 810 and 900 being seventy (70) bonds in all of the denomination
of Five Hundred Dollars each with coupons 57 (May 1920) to 85 inclusive on
38 of the said bonds and 58 (November 1920) to 85 on 23 of the said bonds
inclusive attached, said bonds being for a term of 42 years dated 2nd. January
1922 and maturing 1st. May 1934, with interest at 4% per annum.

Bonds of issue authorized by By-law #75 of the Town of
Cote St. Antoine Nos. 22; 49; 50 to 72 inclusive; being twenty-five (25) bonds
in all of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars each with coupons Nos. 26
(1st. November 1920) to 80 inclusive, attached said bonds being for a term of
40 years, dated 4th. November 1907 and maturing 1st. November 1947 with in-
terest at 4% per annum.

Bonds of issue authorized by By-law #213 of the City of
Westmount Nos. 597 to 606 inclusive; 692 to 731 inclusive; being fifty (50)
bonds in all of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each with coupons
No. 21 (1st. November 1920) to 88 inclusive attached, said bonds being for a
term of 44 years, dated 3rd. December 1910, and maturing 1st. May 1954 with
interest at 4% per annum.

Bonds of issue authorized by By-law #285 of the City of
Westmount Nos. R371 to R2947 being seventy-seven (77) bonds in all of the
denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each with coupons Nos. 9 (1st. May 1920)
to 88 on 53 of the said bonds and coupons #1 to 88 on 24 of the said bonds,
attached said bonds being for a term of 44 years from the 1st. November 1915 to the 1st. November 1959 with interest at 4½ per annum.

(Signed) P. W. McLagan
"   E. Herbert Brown
"   J. Knifton
"   Arthur F. Bell

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given to the City Engineer to proceed with the construction of the walk on the Boulevard from Lansdowne Avenue to Grosvenor Avenue and the steps leading from this walk to the Edgehill Road walk at Roslyn Avenue.
Estimated cost of walk from Lansdowne Avenue to Roslyn Avenue (with steps) - $1,575.00
Estimated cost of walk from Roslyn to Grosvenor Avenue - $650.00
$2,225.00

to be taken from funds available under By-law #282.

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given to the City Engineer to proceed with the construction of sidewalks, curbs and park space in Wardale Park at an estimated cost of $4,350.00 to be taken from funds available under By-law #285.

On the motion of Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

It was moved by Commissioner Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Commissioner R. B. Common and resolved that the second reading of the Taxi Cab By-law be deferred until next session of Council.

On the motion of Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott the second reading of the Joanes By-law was deferred until next session of the Council.

On the motion of Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford the By-law re Soldiers' Memorial was read a second time.

On the motion of Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner R. B. Common the by-law was read a third time.

By-law #354 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Tuesday the 13th. inst. at 9 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY, MAY THE EIGHTEENTH, 1920 at 8 p.m.

Present:- Mayor P. W. McLagan, presiding
Commissioner E. Herbert Brown,
" " R. B. Common,
" " Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau,
" " S. F. Rutherford,
" " R. L. Scott.

Commissioner E. Herbert Brown stated that he desired to move a resolution respecting the loss the community had sustained in the death of ex-Mayor John McKergow, who, throughout his six years of office, had proved himself to be every inch a gentleman and had always exercised an influence for good throughout the city. (16 May 1920)

He thereupon moved, seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford, the following resolution:-

BE IT RESOLVED - That the City Council has learned of the death of ex-Mayor McKergow with very great sorrow and as a mark of esteem and high appreciation of the devotion with which he served the City throughout the six years of his three terms of office as chief magistrate of this City, it does hereby and now stand adjourned.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED - That the Secretary-Treasurer be directed to convey to Mrs McKergow and family, the very sincere sympathy of all the members of Council and of the officials of this City.

Every member of the Council expressed his personal admiration and esteem for the late ex-Mayor.

Mayor McLagan referred to his thirty years of intimacy in private and public life and said he had ever found the late Mr McKergow to be a true gentleman, one who had served with efficiency, sound judgment and unfailing patience and whose devotion to public and private duties inspired all with admiration and affection.

Commissioner Dr Rondeau declared that he had served as the junior member in the Council with the late ex-Mayor for a period of two years and had learned to respect and confide in his judgments and could not find words to adequately express the feelings of sorrow he now felt in his loss.

Commissioner Common concurred in what had been said and believed the community would take some time to realize its great loss.

Commissioner Rutherford said that the late John McKergow had been an exceedingly close friend of his family and he regarded him as responsible for his acceptance of the obligation of serving the City in his capacity as Commissioner, as he now had in his possession a letter from ex-Mayor McKergow which forcibly laid it upon the Commissioner as a solemn duty to accept the said office unless he had a real reason preventing him from doing so. The Commissioner considered that the advice, always freely given by the late ex-Mayor, has had a great influence upon the young men of Westmount and his loss to private, business and public life will be a very serious one.
Commissioner Scott expressed a personal loss as very keenly felt for one who had been his father's life-long friend.

The Mayor extended the privilege of addressing the Council to the officials present and then declared the resolution adopted unanimously and the Council as standing adjourned.

[Signatures]
M. W. MacGregor
Mayor

[Signature]
Secretary-Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 20th, 1920 AT 10.30 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Acting Mayor E. Herbert Brown, presiding
Commissioner S. F. Rutherford
do R. E. Common
do R. L. Scott

Alderman R. L. Scott for the Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of April 1920.

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This being seconded by Alderman R. B. Common was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted letters from Mr. J. C. Simpson and Mr. Jas. Baillie undertaking to cede to the city a street 33 feet wide running from Lansdowne to Roslyn Avenue and comprising Subdivision 218 of lot 218 and part of lot 221 as per plan also submitted on the terms stated in the City's letter to these gentlemen, under date of 3rd November 1919.

It was moved by Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott and unanimously resolved that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be authorized to sign the deed ceding this street to the City.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. A. R. Martin for permission to erect a garage at rear of No. 29 Rosemount Ave. be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. M. J. Michaud for permission to erect a garage on the south west corner of Somerville and Prince Albert Avenues be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

The Sec. Treasurer again submitted By-law #349 entitled By-law to provide for a loan for the construction of local improvements including roads, sidewalks, sewers, buildings etc. and on the motion of
Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this bylaw was read a second time.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford it was resolved that the third reading of this bylaw would be called at next session of Council.

The Secretary Treasurer having again submitted Bylaw #350 entitled "By-law to provide for a loan for the purchase of additional Park Property" On the motion of Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman R. B. Common this bylaw was given its second reading.

It was moved by Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman R. B. Common and resolved that the third reading of this by-law would be called at the next session of Council.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]
Acting Mayor

[Signature]
Secretary Treasurer
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A SPECIAL SESSION
OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
WESTMOUNT, HELD AT THE CITY HALL, AT 10:05 O'CLOCK ON THE
28th. DAY OF MAY 1920, AT WHICH WE'RE PRESENT:

Acting Mayor E. Herbert Brown, presiding.
Commissioner, R. B. Common
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott

forming a quorum of the Council.

Alderman R. B. Common moved the third reading of By-law
#349 entitled "By-law to provide for a loan for the construction of local
improvements including roads, sidewalks, sewers, buildings etc."
This being seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott the by-law
was read a third time.
By-law #349 having been read a first, second and
third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according
to law.

On the motion of Alderman, Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford, By-law #350 entitled "By-law to
provide for a loan for the purchase of additional Park property" was read
a third time.

By-law #350 having been read a first, second and
third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated ac-
cording to law.

Acting Mayor E. Herbert Brown intimated that he did
hereby fix Thursday the 17th. day of June 1920 between the hours of eight
o'clock in the forenoon and eight o'clock in the afternoon at the Council
Chamber in the City Hall, as the day for the poll to ascertain whether
the By-law #349 to authorize a loan of $373,000.00 for roads and gutters,
and $197,000.00 for sidewalks, curbs and sewers, Municipal Buildings and
Park Improvements, and $180,000.00 for Extensions to Electric Light, Fire
& Police Signal System and whether the by-law #350 to authorize a loan
of Eighty thousand dollars for additional park property is approved or
not, and that he did hereby direct that public notice be given as above,
according to law.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted a petition by Mr.
Howard H. Ransom, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, requesting certain
deletions and inscriptions in the Valuation Roll now in force as per list
also presented.

On the motion of Alderman, Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by
Alderman R. L. Scott, this was unanimously agreed to.

LOYOLA HOME. A letter from Mrs. Olive Gandle of #4250 Dorchester St.
was submitted and referred to the General Committee.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor.
[Signature]
Secretary Treasurer.
Upper Bellevue Ave. from Sunnyside Ave. to Summit Circle

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<td>Block Gutter, both sides</td>
<td>1900.00</td>
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Bellevue Ave. (now Sunnyside)

From Bellevue to West Crescent Heights property

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<td>Concrete curb, North side</td>
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<td>Block Gutter, both sides</td>
<td>2080.00</td>
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<tr>
<td>Asphalt macadam roadway</td>
<td>1425.00</td>
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<td>Retaining wall at Upper Bellevue</td>
<td>12,348.00</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>$13,793.00</strong></td>
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Woredale Park

2" sheet asphalt pavement on 6" concrete base with 1" Clean block gutters

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<td>10,343.00</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>$27,391.00</strong></td>
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By-law #283

Lanes bounded by:

Brooke, St. Antoine, Atwater & Selby
Gladstone, St. Catherine, Tupper
Hallowell, St Catherine, M.A.A.A. & Hillside
Kensington, Metcalfe, St Catherine & Western
McLorne, Metcalfe, Ingleside & St. Catherine
St Catherine, Metcalfe, Hillside & Abbott
Park Place, Academy Road, St Catherine & Lansdowne
St Catherine, Grosvenor, Glen Road & Western
Victoria, Fr. Albert, Western & Yorke
Fr. Albert, Claremont, Western & Yorke
Yorke, C.P.R. Fr. Albert & West City Limits
Burton, Western, Claremont & Fr. Albert
Burton, Somerville, Claremont & Fr. Albert
Metcalfe, Kensington, Cote St. Antoine Rd. Sherbrooke (Extension)

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**Total** | **$21,025.00** |
CITY OF WESTMOUNT
VOLUME 12
COUNCIL MINUTES

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 1st, 1920 AT 10.25 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan, presiding
Comm. R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott
do E. H. Brown
do Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the work of widening Melville Avenue between Sherbrooke Street and Melburne Avenue at an estimated cost of $5,237.95 be authorized from funds available under Old Loans, By-law 235 and General Reserve Fund.

Your Committee recommends that authority be given to dispose of the horse presently used by the Building Inspector and to purchase a new horse charging the net amount to the Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Roads Department.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to finish the sidewalk and roadway on Grosvenor Avenue, north of Sunnyside Avenue, up to Dr. Elder's property. The total cost, estimated at $975.00 to be taken from funds available under By-law #282.

On the motion of Alderman R.B. Common seconded by Alderman E.H. Brown these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that authority be given to proceed with the following works of improvement as set forth in his report of this date, at a total estimated cost of $27,391.00 to be taken from funds available under By-law #285.

On the motion of Alderman R.B. Common seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford, this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to proceed with the Paving of the following Lanes at a total estimated cost of $21,025.00 to be taken from funds available under By-law #293.

Your Committee further recommends that the Secretary Treasurer be authorized to set aside bonds of said By-law #293 sufficient to cover the cost of this work.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R.L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On the motion of Alderman Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Alderman E. Herbert Brown it was unanimously resolved that Dr. Herbert Ross of #4178 St. Catherine Street be and is hereby appointed interim Medical Health Officer of the City, to act during the absence of Dr. J.A. Hutchinson.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted cards of acknowledgment from Mrs. John McKergow and family.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Tuesday the 8th inst. at 9 p.m.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 8th, 1920, AT 10.20 p.m. AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:-

Mayor P. W. McLagan, presiding.
Commissioner E. Herbert Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott
do Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following:-

Your Committee recommends that payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of May, be confirmed.

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<th>8,447.24</th>
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<td>Roads Department</td>
<td>18,104.10</td>
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<td>Police</td>
<td>1,266.94</td>
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<td>237.15</td>
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<td>Library</td>
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<td>Electric Light</td>
<td>6,659.86</td>
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<tr>
<td>Roads Pay Rolls</td>
<td>11,743.80</td>
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<td>Parks Pay Rolls</td>
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<td>Police Pay Rolls</td>
<td>4,195.96</td>
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<tr>
<td>Light Department Pay Rolls</td>
<td>4,475.47</td>
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$57,406.09

On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Preble MacIntosh for permission to erect a garage on his property on Belvedere Road, Cad. #374, subdivision #77, be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. L. Scott intimated that the Band Concerts in the Park, the first of which had been given on Monday evening the 7th. inst. promised to be very successful and were evidently going to be appreciated as much as ever.

Further consideration of the Taxi-cab By-law was deferred until next meeting.

LOYOLA CONVALESCENT HOME
The General Committee were not prepared meantime to report on this matter.

The meeting therupon adjourned.

Mayor
Sec. Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A
SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING
JUNE 15th, 1920, AT 8 O'CLOCK AT WHICH
WERE PRESENT;-

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. Herbert Brown
do R. B. Common
do Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau
do R. L. Scott
do S. P. Rutherford

Mayor P. W. McLagan intimated that the meeting had been
covenied particularly to consider the proposed new Loan By-laws and
to give any and all of the electors proprietors of the City an oppor-
tunity of questioning the members of the Council thereon.

Interested proprietors to the number of seventeen were
present and the Mayor having made an explanatory statement in regard
to the new loans a number of questions were asked and full replies
given.

Proceeding at this point with the regular business of
the Council, Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance
submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee;-

Your Committee recommends that the Petition of H. H.
Ransom, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, of this date, requesting
 certain deletions and inscriptions in the Valuation Roll presently
in force, be granted, and that the Secretary Treasurer be authorized
accordingly.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald.
R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee begs to report that the Montreal Light,
Heat & Power Consolidated are making application to the Montreal Public
Service Commission for approval of a proposed increase in the price of
gas and that the City Attorney under instructions from the Mayor was
attending before the Commission on behalf of the City.

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor's instructions
to the City Attorney be approved and confirmed and that the City do
appear and intervene in the matter for the purpose of watching and if
deemed necessary of opposing the application.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald.
S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Thursday evening
the 17th. inst. at 10 p. m.

[Signatures]
Mayor
Secretary Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT AN ADJOURNED SESSION HELD ON THURSDAY EVENING THE 17th, JUNE, 1920, AT 10:00 CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan, presiding
Comm. E. Herbert Brown
Comm. R. E. Common
Comm. Dr. C. W. H. Rondreau
Comm. S. F. Rutherford
Comm. R. L. Scott

forming the whole Council.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following report which was ordered to be filed:

"WHEREAS at a meeting of the City Council held on the 28th. day of May 1920, By-laws #349 and #350 were, after three readings of each, unanimously adopted by the Council and that Acting Mayor E. Herbert Brown thereupon in accordance with Article 357 of the City Charter, (8 Edw. VII, Chap. 89, Art. 25) did fix a day for a poll to ascertain if the said By-laws were approved or not and did direct that public notice thereof be given according to law.

Therefore and in accordance with the resolution of the City Council at a meeting held the 3rd. day of August 1908 public notices containing the text of the By-laws were published on the first and second day of June 1920 in one French and one English newspaper, namely, Le Canada and the Gazette (copies of the said notices are attached hereto) allowing fifteen days notice before the seventeenth day of June 1920, the day fixed for the poll."

Mayor P. W. McLagan called upon the Secretary Treasurer to submit and file a report respecting the polling which was as follows:

"On the 17th. day of June 1920 at 3 o'clock in the morning legal time, the Council Chamber at the City Hall was opened for polling and remained open until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, legal time, of the same day, in accordance with the notice given by Acting Mayor E. Herbert Brown and the poll was duly held to establish the approval or disapproval of By-laws Nos. 349 and 350.

At the close of the poll the vote stood as follows:

In respect to By-law #349:

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<tr>
<td>YEAS</td>
<td>(approval)</td>
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<tr>
<td>292</td>
<td>$7,234,534.00</td>
</tr>
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<td>NAYS</td>
<td>(disapproval)</td>
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<tr>
<td>109</td>
<td>2,015,332.00</td>
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<td>Majority approving</td>
<td>183</td>
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In respect to By-law #350:

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<td>YEAS</td>
<td>(approval)</td>
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<tr>
<td>273</td>
<td>$6,058,825.00</td>
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<tr>
<td>NAYS</td>
<td>(disapproval)</td>
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<tr>
<td>122</td>
<td>2,200,316.80</td>
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<tr>
<td>Majority approving</td>
<td>156</td>
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We therefore report that the said By-laws #349 and #350 have been approved by the majority of the electors, who voted, in number and in value.
We submit herewith the poll book showing the value of the taxable immovable property of each voter according to the Valuation Roll in force.  

Arthur F. Bell  
Secretary Treasurer.  

The Mayor thereupon declared By-laws #349 and #350 to have been approved and ordered the same to be promulgated according to law and directed the Secretary Treasurer to submit the same to the Minister of Municipal Affairs and ask for his approval.

It was moved by Commissioner E. Herbert Brown and seconded by Commissioner R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the Council stand adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Secretary Treasurer
Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that Alderman R. B. Common be and is hereby appointed Acting Mayor for the period from the 1st. August to 31st. October 1920.

On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderma R. L. Scott this was unanimously agreed to.

Alderman R. B. Common submitted the following recommendations:

Your Committee recommends that the Council grant permission to the City Engineer to issue permits for garages as follows:

To J. H. Sherrard at the corner of Cote Road and Forden Ave.
To G. G. Underhill on West Crescent Heights property.
To E. J. Coyle on Roslyn Avenue.

Your Committee recommends that the city accept cession of the lane situated between Western, Redfern, Kensington and St. Catherine Lot #277-6 and 277-7 from the Gray Nuns and that the Mayor and Secy. Treasurer be authorized to sign the relative deed, on behalf of the City.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. Herbert Brown these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Alderman Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given to make the necessary alterations and repairs at #2 Fire Station as per the General Manager's estimate, the cost not to exceed $600.00, to be taken from General Reserve Fund.

On the motion of Alderman Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this was unanimously agreed to.

Alderman R. L. Scott submitted a further recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given for the completion of the Band Stand in the Park and that the tender of T. S. Hudson & Co., of $3,185.00 be accepted and that the work be proceeded with at once. The cost to be taken from the General Reserve Fund.

On the motion of Alderman R.L. Scott seconded by Alderman Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

Alderman Common Commissioners of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends the authorization of the following improvement works, at a total estimated cost of $19,325.00 to be taken from funds available under By-law #349:

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<tr>
<th>Street</th>
<th>Kind of work</th>
<th>Dimensions</th>
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<th>Estimated Cost</th>
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<tr>
<td>Baillie's Street</td>
<td>Sidewalk</td>
<td>Lansdowne</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>Roslyn</td>
<td>$1125.00</td>
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<td>do</td>
<td>Channel</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>725.00</td>
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<td>do</td>
<td>Grading</td>
<td>916 cubic yards</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>1475.00</td>
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<td>do</td>
<td>Roadway</td>
<td>2&quot; asphalt on 6&quot; concrete, 665 sq.yds</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>3600.00</td>
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<td>do</td>
<td>Sewer</td>
<td>170 lin.ft of sewer with gullies &amp;c.</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>1050.00</td>
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<td>Western Avenue</td>
<td>Sidewalk</td>
<td>Clarke</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>Redfern</td>
<td>$1375.00</td>
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<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>Kensington</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>Metcalfe</td>
<td>650.00</td>
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<td>Holt &amp; Gordon</td>
<td>Park space</td>
<td>2965 sq.yds at</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>1.00</td>
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<td>Parks</td>
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<td>2 plots one at north end and one at south end of Surrey Gardens (middle plot not to be done now)</td>
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<td>3750.00</td>
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<td>Belgium Avenue</td>
<td>Sidewalk</td>
<td>Including returns Westmount Boulevard</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
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<td>do</td>
<td>4'6&quot; wide</td>
<td>on Liege and Louvain Avenues</td>
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<td>Sherbrooke St.</td>
<td>Sidewalk</td>
<td>(601' x 7')</td>
<td>Wood</td>
<td>Eastern city limits</td>
<td>2400.00</td>
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<td>do</td>
<td>do</td>
<td>Additional walk</td>
<td>Victoria</td>
<td>Half way at ear stop to Grosvenor</td>
<td>425.00</td>
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On motion of Alderman Common, Seconded by Alderman Scott the foregoing recommendation was adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized to proceed with the paving of the following lanes, at a total estimated expenditure of $10,225.00 to be taken from funds available under
By-law #283:-

Lanes bounded by St Catherine, Kensington, Western and Redfern, at an estimated cost of $4600.
Lane bounded by Melville, Melbourne, Metcalfe and Western, at an estimated cost of $2325.
Lane bounded by Kitchener, Western, Redfern and Sherbrooke, at an estimated cost of $1925.
Lane bounded by Metcalfe, Springfield, Mount Stephen and Cote St Antoine Road, at an estimated cost of $1475.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr C. V. Lindsay for a renewal of his temporary garage permit on Grosvenor Avenue, Cadastre 218, sub-division part 101 for a further period of three years be granted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr P. T. Danford for the renewal of his temporary garage permit on Sherbrooke Street, Cadastre 207, sub-division 595 for a further period of one year, be granted.

On the motion of Alderman Common, seconded by Alderman Brown the foregoing recommendations of the Road Committee were adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr A. Anrich for permission to erect steps to his two-family dwelling on the south side of Dorchester Street near Clandeboye Avenue, at a distance of one foot from the street line, be granted.

On the motion of Alderman Common, seconded by Alderman Scott this recommendation was adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr Alfred S. Pollock for permission to erect a garage at the rear of #565 Argyle Avenue at a distance of less than seven feet from the side line, viz., 2'6" from the side line and 102' from the street line, as per plan submitted, be granted.

Your Committee recommends that authority be given to install a sewer on the south side of Cote St Antoine Road from Claremont Avenue to the westerly city limits, at an estimated cost of $800.00, to be taken from funds available under By-law #285.

Your Committee recommends that a water main be laid on Cote St Antoine Road, west of Claremont Avenue.

Your Committee recommends that the applications of Messrs W. A. Kennedy at Tupper Street and Rufus Filer, Bruce Avenue for an extension of their garage permits for a further period of three years be granted, conditionally as regards Mr Filer's garage, that it be re-painted.

On the motion of Alderman Common, seconded by Alderman Rondeau, the foregoing recommendations were adopted.

Alderman Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following report of the General Committee.-

Your Committee recommends that an additional appropriation of $1500 for hospital accounts be authorized, funds to be taken from Special Contingent Reserve.

On the motion of Alderman Brown, seconded by Alderman Common the foregoing recommendation was adopted.
Alderman Rutherford, Commissioner of Light & Power submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends the purchase of cable as follows:

Northern Electric Company 3500 feet, two-conductor cable made up of two-conductors #12 B & S rubber insulated, braided and covered with 1/16 lead sheath at $30 per 1000 feet $315.00

Eugene F. Phillips Electrical Works, 12000 feet eight conductor cable as per their quotation of August 3rd, 1920 at $31 40. 3780.00

the expenditure to be taken from the Depreciation Fund of the Electric Light Department under authorization of By-law #349.

On the motion of Alderman Rutherford, seconded by Alderman Brown, the foregoing recommendation was adopted.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 24th, 1920, AT 9:50 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. E. H. Brown
Comm. R. B. Common
Comm. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
Comm. S. F. Rutherford
Comm. R. L. Scott

Alderman E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the months of June and July 1920:

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<td>337.12</td>
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<td>18,483.45</td>
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<td>661.37</td>
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<td>Light Accounts</td>
<td>14,816.21</td>
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<td>Roads &amp; Seavenging Pay Rolls</td>
<td>32,799.93</td>
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<td>Parks Pay Rolls</td>
<td>5,057.50</td>
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<td>Police Pay Rolls</td>
<td>9,536.73</td>
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<td>Light Pay Rolls</td>
<td>11,727.42</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td>$108,537.23</td>
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On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and the Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign on behalf of the City, after approval by the City Solicitor, the contract between the city and Mr. George W. Hill, Sculptor, for a bronze statue group with two marble panels carved in relief, as detailed in said contract in connection with the proposed Soldiers' Memorial and also the contract with Mr. John Wighton, Contractor, for the masonry to be constructed of pink Argenteuil granite including the steps, platform, parapet and pedestal of the monument and also the two side panels in the pedestal in Tennessee marble to match the granite used, as detailed in the contract, the amount agreed upon in Mr. Hill's contract being $20,000.00 and in Mr. Wighton's contract $19,311.00.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the request of the Montreal Water & Power Co. to exchange $10,000, 4½% prior lien Gold Bonds for the Bonds of the same amount now held on behalf of the City, be granted, and that the Royal Trust Co. be and is hereby authorized to accept the said Bonds in trust for the City, in exchange for these now held.

On the motion of Ald. E. H. Brown seconded by Ald. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted and read a letter from Mr. W. A. Mayor of #374 Grosvenor Avenue strongly advocating the establishment of a "commodious and beautiful public market as much in the heart of the City of Westmount as possible" which could undoubtedly be made an exceptional attraction to the city and a very great convenience to the citizens.
The letter meantime was referred to the management for enquiry and report.

Letters of acknowledgment of the Council's message of appreciation were read from: - Alice M. S. Lighthall, London, Ontario. and from W. Fred Lister of Sunny Mount, Keighley, Yorkshire, England, on behalf of Private Robert W. Lister of the 1st Canadian Contingent.

Consideration of the Bell Telephone Company's application for power to increase their charges for telephone service was deferred until next meeting.

The meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Secretary Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AT A GENERAL
SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING
SEPTEMBER 7th, 1920, AT 8 O'CLOCK
AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan,
Commissioner R. B. Common,
do Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau
do S. F. Rutherford

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the Valuation
Rolls deposited by the Assessors on the 31st. July 1920 in accordance
with the instructions, by resolution of the Council, and reported that
notice to that effect had been published in the Gazette, the Star,
Le Presse, La Patrie, Le Canada on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th. days of Au­
gust and also in the Westmount News on the 6th. August.
The said notice informed those concerned that the
rolls would remain open for examination for the thirty days following
the 31st. July, and that complaints filed would be considered at a
General Session of the Council to be held on this date at 8 o'clock
in the evening. That four complaints had been filed as follows:

Miss J. C. Henderson, 631 Belmont Avenue.
Mrs. W. K. Marshall, 629 Belmont Avenue.
Mr. J. R. Terrill, 4687 Westmount Avenue.
David Ross McCord, Temple Grove.

It was resolved that consideration of these com­
plaints and of the Valuation Rolls be deferred until an Adjourned
Meeting of the Council to be held on the 14th. inst.

Report of the General Committee was received
recommending that the action of the Committee be confirmed in naming
the members of the Council as delegates to the Convention of the
Municipalities of the Province of Quebec.

It was moved by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford,
seconded by Commissioner R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that
the recommendation of the Committee be approved and adopted.

Commissioner, Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau reported that
he had been informed of the death of Mr. John Macfarlane, a former
Mayor of the City of Westmount and an Ex-Chairman of the Board of
School Commissioners of this City, and he moved, seconded by Commis­sioner R. B. Common and it was unanimously resolved that the Secretary
Treasurer be directed to convey to the bereaved family the deep
sympathy of the members of the Council.

On motion of Commissioner R. B. Common seconded
by Commissioner, Dr. C.W.H.Rondeau, it was resolved that the Council
stand adjourned, to meet at 8 o'clock on Tuesday the 14th. inst.

[Signatures]
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 14TH, 1920, AT 8.45 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. R. L. Scott
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. B. Common
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau

The Valuation Rolls for the year 1920/21 as prepared by the Assessors were submitted for homologation.

Objections to the values placed on their properties were submitted from the following proprietors and dealt with as indicated:

Emilien Mayer, Cad. #350, Sub. 1. Western Avenue. Increase of $1000.00.

Mr. Mayer appeared before the Council in support of his request for a reduction of the current valuation.

After hearing his statement and the explanations made by the Chairman of the Board of Assessors it was moved by Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman R. B. Common and resolved that the valuation of the Assessors be sustained.

David Ross McCord, objecting conditionally to a total increase of $16,000.00 on his various holdings.

After an explanatory statement of the Chairman of the Board of Assessors it was moved by Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau and unanimously resolved that the valuation of the Assessors be upheld.

J. R. Terrell, #4687 Westmount Avenue. Increase of $1800.

After consideration it was moved by Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott, that the valuation as made by the Assessors be sustained, and unanimously resolved.

W. K. Marshall, #629 Belmont Avenue, increase of $1,050.00.

After consideration it was moved by Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau and unanimously resolved that this claim for a reduction be rejected.

Miss J. C. Henderson, #631 Belmont Avenue, Increase of $500.

After a verbal explanation by the Chairman of the Board of Assessors it was resolved, on the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford that the valuation stand as fixed by the Assessors.

The Council considered certain objections made to the valuation of Cadastre known as #221 and Subdivision 16 and 17 of Cadastre #222 and delayed their finding until next meeting of Council.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau the homologation of the roll was deferred until Tuesday the 21st. inst.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott it was unanimously resolved that the request of the Board of Assessors to make the under-noted changes in the Valuation Roll be granted, viz:-

Dr. J. J. Ross, #501 Grosvenor Avenue now deceased, to be the Estate of- and also to enter Mrs. Widow J. J. Ross as tenant.
Angus McCallum #324 Grosvenor Avenue now deceased to be the Estate of- and also to enter Mrs. Widow Angus McCallum as tenant.

Fred Abraham #4470 Western Avenue now deceased to the the Estate of- and also to enter Mrs. Widow Fred Abraham as tenant.

A. P. Tippett #463 Strathcona Avenue now deceased to be the Estate of- and also to enter Mrs. Widow A. P. Tippett as tenant.

#4114 St. Catherine Street and 19 Gladstone Avenue entered in the Valuation Rolls as vacant with a rental of $540.00 to be changed to Ryans Dry Cleaning with a rental value of $900.00.

Alderman R. B. Common submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. E. C. Pratt for a permit to construct an extension to the kitchen of existing building at #399 Clarke Avenue be approved subject to approval of the Architectural Commission.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Paul B. Earle to erect a garage on Cad. 237, Sub. 40 and Cad. 237, Sub. 41 on Edgehill Road as a part of the dwelling, be approved, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted a letter from the Union of Municipalities of the Province of Quebec acknowledging thanks for the entertainment offered to their delegates on their recent visit to Westmount.

A letter was presented from Lieut. Col. C. B. Price, of the 1st. (Westmount) Battalion, Royal Montreal Regiment, intimating that a German 77mm Field Gun had been allotted to his Battalion and requesting the City, in the meantime, to take charge of the gun until such time as the Regiment had an Armoury or other suitable location for displaying it themselves.

This letter was referred to the General Manager with instructions to make the necessary arrangements.

A letter from Mr. Guy D. C. Dobbin suggesting the advisibility of establishing a temporary open air vegetable and fruit market in Westmount for two or three months every year was referred to the management.

The Secretary Treasurer presented the following resolution recommended by the General Committee for adoption by the Council, viz:-

WHEREAS this Council has been advised that the Bell Telephone Company of Canada has made application to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada for drastic increase in telephone tolls, and very radical changes in the proposed system of collection-

WHEREAS in the reply to the application made by the Company on the 15th. October 1918 experts engaged by interested parties reported to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada as follows:-

"In order to advise you definitely and in the fullest confidence regarding regarding the Company's financial condition and the extent to which it is in justice entitled to relief and the form of such relief we should have had access to a detailed inventory and appraisal of the
Company's property, an audit of its accounts over a period of years as well as a traffic analysis covering both the exchange service and the toll service, data of this comprehensive nature are not in the possession of the Company etc. etc. and the Company was then advised that such data was necessary before permanent rates would be fixed.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that until the Company furnish sufficient proof of a comprehensive character that a necessity exists for an increase in Telephone Tolls this Council of the City of Westmount opposes the granting of the increases asked for.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Council supports the action being taken in this matter by the Union of Canadian Municipalities.

On the motion of Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman R. B. Common this resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Council thereupon adjourned until Tuesday evening the 21st. inst. at 9 p. m.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Secretary Treasurer.
The Secretary Treasurer submitted a letter from Mr. Harry K. Martin requesting a reduction of the valuation placed on his property at #78 Bruce Avenue.

After explanations by Mr. H. H. Ransom, Chairman of the Board of Assessors it was moved by Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford that the valuation be upheld and unanimously resolved.

Mr. H. H. Ransom having reported on the valuation placed by the Assessors on part of lot 221 owned by Mr. Thos. Lamb, it was moved by Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford that the valuation as fixed by the Assessors stand.

The valuation of the Royal Bank property on part of 221 coming next under consideration and being reported on by Mr. H. H. Ransom who pointed out that no allowance had been made for the proposed street running through the property, it was moved by Commissioner Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford and unanimously resolved that the valuation be reduced a total reduction of $8,750.00.

It was thereupon moved by Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioners R. L. Scott and unanimously resolved that the valuation rolls for the year 1920-21 be and are hereby homologated as amended.

Commissioner R. B. Common acting for the Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of August 1920:

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<td><strong>$54,922.80</strong></td>
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On the motion of Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman S. F. Rutherford, Commissioner of Light & Power Department submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given for the purchase of a "Weir" Boiler Feed Water Pump and Base Plate, for the use of the Light and Power Department, at a cost of $1380.00, from Messrs Francis Peacock & Co.
to be taken from the Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Department.

On the motion of Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman R. B. Common it was unanimously agreed to.

Alderman R. L. Scott submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the request of the Congregation Shaar Hashomayin of Montreal asking for exemption from Ordinary Municipal Tax on the land purchased by them at the corner of Kensington Avenue and Cote St. Antoine Road for the purpose of erecting a Synagogue thereon, be granted, upon the agreement that if the property for any reason whatsoever be disposed of by the said Congregation for other than the purpose for which it was purchased by the Congregation, these property taxes shall become payable to the City.

On the motion of Alderman R. L. Scott seconded by Alderman R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted from Mr. D. D. MacFarlane an appreciation of the sympathy of the Council extended in his recent bereavement.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 28TH, 1920 AT 10.45 O'CLOCK AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLagan,
Comm. R. B. Common
Do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
Do S. F. Rutherford
Do R. L. Scott

Alderman S. F. Rutherford, for the Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:

WHEREAS

under authority of By-law #350 adopted at a Special Meeting of the Municipal Council of the City of Westmount held on the 28th. day of May 1920 and confirmed by the rate-payers, at a poll taken on the 17th. day of June 1920, the Mayor and General Manager were authorized by the General Committee to and they did buy for the City the immovable property in the City comprising Subdivisions 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 and part of 8 of Cadastre Lot #278 of the Parish of Montreal and bounded by Sherbrooke Street, Kensington Avenue and Cote St. Antoine Road and by immovable property now owned and occupied by the city, the whole for the price of $74,221.50 of which $24,740.50 is to be paid by the City as of July 17th. 1920 and the balance to remain on mortgage for three years, with interest at not exceeding 6% half yearly and with the right to pay the balance at any time during the said term upon giving three months written notice.

BE IT RESOLVED

that the purchase of the said property be confirmed and that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the deed of Sale on behalf of the City of Westmount.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED

that the Secretary Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of $24,740.50 and pay the said sum on account of the purchase price of the property hereinabove referred to and to pledge the bonds to be issued under authority of By-law #350 or a part of them with the bank for the said loan.

On the motion of Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this resolution was unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. B. Common submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that the tender of the Quinlan Robertson Co. for placing a two inch asphalt surface on a portion of Malvill Avenue and Waredale Park at a total cost of approximately $6000 be accepted and that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the relative contract on behalf of the City.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given for the purchase of three Dump Wagons for the use of the Roads Department, at a total cost of $600.00- one hundred dollars of which to be charged to Roads Department Depreciation and $500.00 to the Roads Department Revenue Account of 1920-1921.
On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted a letter from the Charity Organization Society, addressed to the Mayor and requesting a special contribution from the City to the funds of their organization. This letter was in the meantime referred to the management.

It was moved by Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott and unanimously resolved that the recommendation of the General Committee be adopted and it is hereby ordered that the surplus of revenues over the estimates submitted with the budget of 1919 be added to the Contingent Fund and may be expended for such purposes as are approved by the General Committee.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
CITY OF WESTMOUNT

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A
GENERAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING
OCTOBER 5th, 1920, AT 10.30 O’CLOCK, AT
WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McIsaac,
Comm. E. H. Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau

Minutes of previous meetings were confirmed.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the
following recommendations of the General Committee:

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given
to proceed with the following work authorized under By-law #349:

- New roof on Stables at Bethune Street Yards = $7100.00
- Summitt Road Fence = $400.00

On the motion of Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner
Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. A. J. Hart
for permission to erect a Garage at #600 Argyle Avenue at a distance of
less than 7 feet from the side line, be granted, subject to the approval
of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

On the motion of Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner
R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman E. H. Brown, Commissioner of Finance presented By-law
#355 entitled By-law to Levy an assessment to meet the current expenses
of the City for the fiscal year 1920-1921 and for other purposes, as
follows; to wit:

SECTION ONE
That for the purpose of meeting the current expenses of the City
from the 1st November 1920 to 31st October 1921, an assessment or
tax at the rate of 11-11/32 mills in the dollar on the assessed value
is hereby imposed and shall be levied on the taxable real estate situated
within the limits of the City, the total amount of which for the year is
$48,122,625, as appears by the Valuation Roll now in force.

SECTION TWO
That for the purpose of meeting certain liabilities of the City
as mentioned in the statement which has been duly submitted to and
approved by the Council, to wit:

A. As reserve for sundry emergent expenses, Discount = $11,633.60
Victoria Hall, and Police Pension Fund

B. As reserve for depreciation of Plant and Equipment
and replacement thereof = $19,590.00

it is necessary that special taxes be levied which special
taxes added together form an amount to levy which as assessment
at the rate of 21/32 of a mill is required and it is accordingly hereby
ordered that a special tax at the rate of 21/32 of a mill in the dollar
on the assessed value, be and is hereby imposed and levied on the taxable real estate situated within the limits of the City for the purposes herein stated.

SECTION THREE

That for the purpose provided for in by-law #354 adopted at a meeting of the City Council held on the 11th. day of May 1920; namely to provide for a monument to the Soldiers of Westmount who gave their lives in the Great War the special assessment therein named, of one half mill on the dollar for the fiscal year beginning November 1st. 1920 is hereby made and levied on the taxable real estate of the city according to the valuation roll presently in force.

SECTION FOUR

The said taxes or assessments and special taxes and assessments shall be levied at the total rate of 11½ mills in the dollar and are due and hereby made payable on the 1st. January 1921, but a discount of two and one half per cent shall be allowed to rate payers of the city who shall pay the amount of their municipal and special assessments imposed by the present by-law on or before the 30th. day of November 1920.

On the motion of Commissioner E. H. Brown seconded by Commissioner E. N. Rutherford the by-law was read a first time.

On the motion of Commissioner E. H. Brown seconded by Commissioner R. B. Common the by-law was read a second time.

On the motion of Commissioner E. H. Brown seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott the by-law was given a third reading.

By-law #355 having been read a first, second and third time was unanimously adopted and ordered to be promulgated according to law.

The Secretary Treasurer then presented a report setting forth in detail the estimated requirements of the City for the year ending 31st. October 1921 to meet the current administration expenses and part of the Interest and Sinking Fund all as authorized by said By-law #355, namely:

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<td>Finance &amp; Municipal Bldgs.:</td>
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<td>Salaries retaining fee, remuneration for sundry services, sundry supplies, lights, fuel, books, stationary, telephones, postage, printing, advertising, repairs etc.</td>
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<td>Alarm Systems, Repairs, Horse shoeing, Gas, Oil</td>
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<td>Fuel, Light, Water, Laundry</td>
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Forward  
31,580.48  

General  
Maintenance contingencies  447,200.00  
Required for possible losses in collection and other contingencies  18,874.15  
Required for Interest and Installments on Bonds and for Sinking Funds  
116,316.87  582,891.02  
Total  614,471.50  

Less amount chargeable to work done on Capital account  15,000.00  

Special Assessment of 21/32 of a mill on $49,122,625  31,580.48  
General assessment of 11 & 11/32 mills on $49,122,625  545,891.02  
Estimated receipts from licenses, business taxes etc.  22,000.00  

On the motion of Commissioner E. H. Brown seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford it was unanimously resolved that this report be adopted and further that the General Committee be and are hereby authorized to make the expenditures as indicated in the report, if, and when required.  

The Secretary-Treasurer submitted a letter from the Union of Canadian Municipalities in connection with the proposed Bell Telephone Rates increase and requesting that count of the in coming and out going phone calls be kept for a specified period.  
It was unanimously resolved that this be arranged as desired.  

A letter from the Mayor of Osaka City, Japan, requesting certain information in connection with the collection and disposal of garbage was referred on the motion of Commissioner E. H. Brown seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford, to the General Manager with instructions to answer the questionnaire provided as fully as possible.  

The Council thereupon adjourned.  


Mayor  

Secretary-Treasurer.
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A SPECIAL SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING OCTOBER 19th, 1920, AT 10.50 O’CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Comm. R. B. Common
  do E. Herbert Brown
  do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
  do S. F. Rutherford
  do R. L. Scott

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of September 1920:—

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On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS THE GENERAL COMMITTEE have been advised that the Montreal Water & Power Company desire to obtain the consent of its bond holders to the following changes of the various bond issues of the Company, as follows:—

1. That the Royal Trust Company of Montreal be appointed as Trustee for the Bond Holders in place of the Law, Guarantee Trust and Accident Society Ltd., of London, now in liquidation.

2. That the Trustee be permitted on the request of the Company to use any moneys liable to be invested under the Trusts in purchasing bonds of the Company for cancellation at any price not exceeding 105%.

3. That the said Society as Trustee be authorized to execute any further deeds and do all things necessary or proper to enable the Company to carry out the foregoing resolutions.

The Committee therefore recommends that the application of the Montreal Water & Power Company be approved and that the Royal Trust Company as holder in trust of the £10,300 of bonds deposited with the Trust Company in the interests of the City of Westmount be and is hereby authorized to vote in favor of the resolutions above referred to.

On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.
Your Committee recommends that Alderman, Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau be and is hereby appointed Acting Mayor for the three months commencing 1st. November, prox.

On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Geo. Dionne for permission to erect two, one storey garages on his property on Sherbrooke St., facing Prince Albert Avenue, be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and conditionally on the plan being in accordance with the existing Building By-law.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be and is hereby authorized to make the necessary arrangements for taking over by the City the land required for completion of the new street at the North West end of Upper Belmont Avenue to connect with Lansdowne Avenue and the land required for the laying of a sewer to drain the neighboring district within the City of Westmount—to wit;—from Mr. James Baillie 6069.85 square feet being part of Cadastre number 221 and 221 subdivision 99, and from Mr. Thomas Lamb, 4380 square feet being Cadastre number 222 parts of subdivision numbers 15 and 16 and from Mr. W. J. Thompson, 1100 square feet being part of Cadastre number 156 parts of subdivisions 55-2 and 56-2 as per plans prepared by P. E. Jarman, City Engineer, dated October 12th, 1920. The whole of the property to be acquired from Mr. James Baillie to be ceded of charge except 461 square feet for which the City agrees to pay the sum of $230.50;—the whole of the property to be acquired from Mr. Thomas Lamb to be ceded to the City for the sum of $35.62 and other considerations as per letter of the City Engineer under date of March 27th, 1920; the whole of the property to be acquired from Mr. W. J. Thompson to be ceded to the City for the sum of $750.00.

And further that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign the deed of sale in connection therewith.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

The Council thereupon adjourned.

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Mayor

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Secretary Treasurer.
CITY OF WESTMOUNT
VOLUME 12
COUNCIL MINUTES

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMOUNT AT A
REGULAR SESSION HELD ON TUESDAY EVENING,
NOVEMBER 2nd, 1920, AT 9:30 O'CLOCK, AT
WHICH WERE PRESENT:

Mayor P. W. McLegan
Comm. E. Herbert Brown
do R. B. Common
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
do S. F. Rutherford
do R. L. Scott

Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed.

The Secretary Treasurer reported that the Crown Trust Company had complained of the registration against property of Mr. W. W. Hutchison (subdivision 16 of cadastral lot 277, Parish of Montreal) of the Deed of Emission of Kitchener and Redfern Avenues from the Weir, Day & Black Syndicate to the City of Westmount, passed before G. R. Lighthall, M. P. on April 21st, 1911. This deed purported to create a servitude on certain lots then belonging to the said Syndicate but the subdivision No. 16 above mentioned was not then the property of the Syndicate. Mr. Lighthall under instructions from the Syndicate had prepared a deed of discharge of the servitude in so far as it affected subdivision No. 16 and they had signed it and the Mayor and the Secretary Treasurer of the City, at Mr. Lighthall's request, had also signed the deed to give expression to the City's consent to such discharge.

It was moved by Commissioner R. B. Common seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott and resolved that the Council do now ratify and approve the acts of the Mayor and the Secretary Treasurer in signing this deed of discharge on behalf of the City.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads, submitted the following recommendations:

It is recommended that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be authorized and instructed to sign and seal on behalf of the City a petition to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council requesting authority to open a street less than sixty-six feet in width to connect the northwest end of Lansdowne Avenue with Belmont Avenue near its northwest end and that the Secretary Treasurer and the City solicitor be instructed to take all necessary proceedings for that purpose.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman E. Herbert Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Bremner Norris & Co., for permission to erect five, one storey garages on the west side of Roslyn Avenue from Sunnyside to North City Limits, at a distance of less than fifty feet from the street line, be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that the application of Mr. Frank Faden on behalf of the Trustees of the Westmount Methodist Church for permission to erect a Sunday School Building adjacent to their church property at the corner of Western and Lansdowne Avenues be granted, subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.
On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Your Committee recommends that authority be and is hereby given for the purchase of two horses for the Police and Fire Department, at a cost not exceeding $286.00 to be taken from the Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Department.

On the motion of Alderman D. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously agreed to.

Alderman S. F. Rutherford, Commissioner of Light & Power Department submitted the following recommendations:

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be and is hereby authorized to purchase a Ford Runabout Car for the Light Department at a cost of $840.58 to be taken from the Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Light Department, under authorization of By-law #349. This fund to be credited with the sum realized from the sale of the old car.

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be and is hereby authorized to purchase approximately 5000 feet of lead covered cable at a cost not exceeding $4200.00 to be taken from the Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Electric Light Department under authorization of By-law #349.

Your Committee recommends that the General Manager be and is hereby authorized to purchase for the Light and Power Department, from the Westinghouse Co. a switch-board panel complete with switches and instruments, at a cost of $370.00 to be taken from the Depreciation Reserve Fund of the Department, under authority of By-law #349.

On the motion of Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman R. B. Common these recommendations were unanimously adopted.

Commissioner S. F. Rutherford having referred to the fine show of chrysanthemums and other flowers presently in bloom in the Green House in the Park and Alderman R. L. Scott, as Commissioner of Parks having issued a general invitation to view them it was suggested that a sign be put up on Sherbrooke Street east of Lansdowne Avenues indicating the location of the Green House and the matter was thereafter referred to the management for attention.

Mayor McInerny intimated that the Soldiers' Memorial would very shortly be ready for the laying of the Corner Stone, and it was thereupon decided that this Ceremony take place on the afternoon of Saturday the 20th inst.

On the motion of Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner R. L. Scott the following Committee of Arrangement of the afternoon's programme was nominated and appointed:

Mayor P. W. McInerny; Alderman R. B. Common; Ex-Mayor Wm. Rutherford and Major W. G. Hanson (Chairman and Secretary respectively of the Soldiers' Memorial Committee) the General Manager and the Secretary Treasurer.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown then stated that it was the desire of the Council that the actual laying of the Corner Stone be performed by Mayor McInerny, and he therefore very cordially invited the Mayor to undertake the duty. This being seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford and heartily endorsed by the other members of the Council, Mayor McInerny accepted the invitation.

The Council thereupon adjourned.
CITY OF WESTMOUNT

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL AT A SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON
TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 16th, 1920,
AT 11:05 O'CLOCK, AT WHICH WERE PRESENT:—

Mayor P. W. McLagan
Alderman E. Herbert Brown
do R. B. Common
do S. F. Rutherford
do Robert L. Scott
do Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau

Commissioner E. Herbert Brown reported that Mr. Charles W. Houston the Assistant Secretary Treasurer who had left the city to serve with the Canadian Expeditionary Forces overseas and who was taken prisoner by the Germans during the attack on Cambria in October 1918 had returned to re-enter the service of the city.

The Council had retained this position for Mr. Houston during his absence and the Commissioner stated that it was with pleasure that he now reported Mr. Houston's safe return.

These duties had been very satisfactorily performed by the City Accountant and he desired to move that the City Council record its appreciation of the efficient manner in which Mr. Ernest C. Barr had acted as Assistant Secretary Treasurer during Mr. Houston's absence.

On the motion of Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner S. F. Rutherford the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of October 1920:—

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On the motion of Commissioner E. Herbert Brown seconded by Commissioner R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation:—

Your Committee recommends that the application of the Hall Tire & Repair Co. to establish and operate a Gasoline Supply Station on Cad. 364, the south west side of Greene Avenue and Sherbrooke St. be granted subject to the approval of the Architectural Commission and the City Engineer.
On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

B. The General Committee has received a draft of a deed of Submission to Arbitration between the Montreal Water and Power Company and the City of Westmount the same having been prepared before Mr. John Alexander Cameron and having been examined by the City Solicitor. After due consideration thereof this General Committee recommends that the City Council approve of the said draft herewith submitted and in accordance with its provisions appoint Mr. James Brierley as the City's arbitrator and authorize the application to be made to the Superior Court for the District of Montreal for the appointment of the third Arbitrator.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman E. Herbert Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau drawing attention to the recent finding in the city of two stray children on Sunday morning, November 14th, one of whom had died on the same day, and to the report that the children had spoken to a policeman who had gone away without rendering them any assistance, intimated that, after careful enquiry it had been established that no member of the Westmount Police or Fire force had seen or heard anything of the children prior to a phone message having been received at the Police Office that they had been discovered lying under the steps of a house on St. Catherine Street.

Alderman S. F. Rutherford, Commissioner of the Light Department submitted a draft contract passed on to the Council by the General Committee to be entered into between the Montreal Light Heat & Power Co. and the Westmount Light & Power Department with the recommendation of the Committee that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to sign said contract on behalf of the City.

On the motion of Alderman S. F. Rutherford seconded by Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman Robert L Scott, Commissioner of Parks again drew further attention to the Parks Green Houses presently in bloom with seasonable flowers and plants and on behalf of the Council invited the citizens generally to pay a visit to the Green Houses as he was quite certain that this would be well worth while.

The following report was submitted by the Secretary Treasurer:

I regret to have to report that the information has been recently received that

Lieutenant John R. Hubbard
42nd. Highlanders
Nephew of Geo, B. Fraser
formerly living with the Misses Morrison
4154 St. Catherine Street,
was killed in action at Cambria in October 1918.

On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman R. B. Common it was resolved that this name be inserted in the minutes of Council and that a letter of condolence together with a copy of resolution previously adopted be forwarded to his next of kin.

Mayor P. W. McLagan expressed the hope that all citizens who could possibly do so would attend at the ceremony of laying the cornerstone of the Soldiers' Memorial to be held on Saturday afternoon the 20th. inst. at 3 o'clock and in this way honor the memory of the fallen. The Council thereupon adjourned.

Secretary Treasurer. Mayor
Minutes of Proceedings of The Municipal Council at a Regular Session Held on Tuesday Evening, December 7th, 1920.

At 11.40 o'clock, at which were present:-

Mayor P. W. McLagan,
Comm. E. Herbert Brown,
do R. E. Common
ndo Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau
ndo Robt. L. Scott.

Minutes of November 2nd. and 16th. were confirmed.

Alderman R. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendations:-

Your Committee recommends that the purchase of a Holt Caterpillar Tractor at $6,500, f. o. b. Peoria, Ill., duty paid, $4,400 of the purchase price payable in New York Funds be approved, and that it also confirm the purchase of a Straight-Blade Snow Plow to be attached to the Tractor at $453.00, f. o. b. Peoria, Ill., duty paid, $345.00 of the same payable in New York Funds and that the whole of the cost of the Tractor and Plow be taken from the General Funds.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. Herbert Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be authorized to purchase sixteen horses at best price available, the amount to be charged to Depreciation.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that the City Engineer be instructed to proceed with the construction of the sewer in the passageway to connect into Cedar Crescent at an estimated cost of $2,350.00 and also to proceed with the construction of the sewer in the new street connecting Upper Lansdowne and Upper Belmont Avenues, at an estimated cost of $2,150.00, both amounts to be charged to funds available under By-law #349.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. Robt. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Your Committee recommends that an appropriation of $500.00 be made towards the cost of improvements to carpenter shop, and charged to By-law #349.

On the motion of Ald. R. B. Common seconded by Ald. E. Herbert Brown this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. Robt. L. Scott, Commissioner of Parks submitted a recommendation as follows:-

Your Committee recommends a further appropriation of $975.00 to complete the work of construction of the Tennis Courts to be charged to By-law #221.

On the motion of Ald. Robt. L. Scott seconded by Ald. R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Ald. Robt L. Scott intimated that the Skating Rinks were now ready and that tickets would be issued free of charge, arrangements having been made to have the tickets for the school children issued at the Argyle and other schools.
The inscription on the trowel was as follows:

City crest
Presented to
His Worship
P. W. McLagan
Mayor of Westmount
November the 20th, 1920
On the occasion of his laying the corner stone of the Monument being erected To the men of Westmount Who gave their lives in the great War 1914-1918.
A letter of date December 2nd. was submitted from the Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs intimating that the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council has been pleased, by Order-in-Council, to authorize the Council of the City of Westmount to open a certain street, 66 feet in width comprising part of Subdivision 99 of Cad. Lot 221 and parts of Subdivision 15 and 16 of Cad. Lot 222 of the Parish of Montreal as petitioned for by the said City under date of November 2nd. 1920.

Letters were submitted from the following, thanking the Mayor and Aldermen for the invitation to be present at the Laying of the Corner Stone of the Soldiers' Memorial:

Mr. E. Goff Penny; Mr. & Mrs. J. R. F. Fisher; Mr. E. R. Decary;
Mr. Alfred Leduc, M. P.

The Sec. Treasurer was directed to prepare a report of the proceedings in connection with the laying of the corner stone, to be submitted at next meeting, suitable for incorporation in the Council Minutes.

Before proceeding with further business, Alderman E. Herbert Brown said he had a very pleasant duty to perform and that was to ask the Mayor to accept from the Council the mallet and silver trowel as souvenirs of the impressive and historic event at which he had officiated in such an able manner and expressed the wish that the Mayor would accept these articles as a token of the Council's appreciation and thanks.

Alderman Brown was supported by Ald. Rondeau, Ald. Common and Ald. Scott.

The Mayor replying, stated that he greatly appreciated the kind words spoken by Ald. E. Herbert Brown and others and recognized fully the honour and responsibility placed upon him when he was chosen to lay the Corner Stone of the Soldiers' Memorial.

The ceremony had been carried through with solemnity and success and the relatives of those whom the City wished to commemorate appreciated the way in which the proceedings had been conducted. He accepted the gifts with pleasure and satisfaction and stated that they would be prized as evidence of the honour conferred upon him.

On the motion of Ald. E. Herbert Brown seconded by Ald. Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau it was resolved that Council adjourn until Tuesday the 14th. of December at 9 p. m.

[Signatures]

Mayor

Sec. Treasurer.
In accordance with the instructions of the City Council I submit the following report respecting the proceedings, Saturday afternoon, November 20th, 1920, at 3 o'clock, in connection with the laying of the Corner Stone of the Monument designed by Mr. George W. Hill, Sculptor, the masonry being now in course of erection under Mr. Percy E. Nobbs, Architect, and Mr. John Wighton, Contractor, in memory of THE MEN OF WESTMOUNT WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE GREAT WAR OF 1914-1918.

The following is the programme of the proceedings:-

"O Canada" by the Band of the 58th. Westmount Rifles.

Invocation

Remarks

Address

Address

Reading of the Contents of the copper box being deposited in the Corner Stone.

Lowering of the Flag to half mast

Address and laying of the Corner Stone

Last Post

Benediction

God Save the King

The Committee appointed by the City Council to make the arrangements was composed of:-

Peter William McLagan, Mayor
Robert Barker,
William Rutherford
Major Gordon Hanson
Geo. W. Hanson
Arthur F. Bell, Secretary Treasurer

At the conclusion of the address by the Mayor the general salute was given and the National Anthem played as the Corner Stone was laid in its place.

The trowel used on this occasion was presented by the Contractor, Mr. John Wighton and bore the following inscription:-

Presented to His Worship P. W. McLagan, Mayor of Westmount, November 20th, 1920 on the occasion of his laying the Corner Stone of the Monument being erected to the men of Westmount who gave their lives in the Great War 1914-1918.

The band of the 58th. Rifles, through the kind permission of the Commanding Officer, Lieut. Col. C.B. Price, attended at 2.30 and rendered appropriate selections during the assembling of the guests.

The Soldiers' relatives were invited to attend and a special enclosed place was provided for them.

A number of special guests were invited to places on the platform. These invitations included the following:-
Relatives of the dead.
The Hon. Arthur Meighen, Prime Minister of Canada.
Hon. Lewis Alex. Taschereau, Prime Minister of the Province of Quebec.
Hon. Walter G. Mitchell, Minister of Municipal Affairs of the Province of Quebec.
Hon. F. B. MacCurdy, Minister of Militia
Mr. Alfred Leduc, M. P.
Brig. Gen. Chas. A. Smart, M. P. P.
The Ex-Mayors of Westmount
The Library Trustees.
The Commissioners of the School Boards and their ladies.
Colonel J. M. Elder, M. D. and Lady
Mrs. A.H. Thompson, President of the Soldiers' Wives' League
Nurse Vivien Tremaine, R.C.; V.O.
Mrs. W. V. Henderson, O.B.E.
Mayors of Montreal, Outremont, Verdun, and Montreal West.
Chairman of the Commissioners of Montreal
Lieut. Col. W. W. Fisher
Lieut. Col. C. B. Price, D.S.O.
Lieut. Col. C. M. Strange.
Major Gordon Hanson
Lieut. Col. E. G. Hanson
Mrs. John McKergow
Colonel Gerald Birks
Mr. Percy E. Nobbs
Mr. Geo. W. Hill
E. W. T. Raddon and Lady
W. Chalk and Lady
L. R. Desilets and Lady
Hon. Mr. Justice P. S. Mac Lauren
Major Gen. E. W. Wilson
Brig. Gen. W. C. H. Dodds
Lieut. Col. J. R. Speir, M. D.
Lieut. Col. A. D. Basin, M. D.
Captain Alex. Cowan, D. S.
Horace J. Gagne
Alderman John P. Dixon
Mr. Justice L. E. Panneton
Mr. Justice Wilfrid Mercier
Mr. Justice L. Lavergne
Mr. Justice J. E. Martin
Mr. Justice L. J. Loranger
Mr. Justice Calixte Leboeuf
Chief officials of the City

Invitations to the general public were published in
the Gazette, Le Canada, La Patrie, the Star, The Herald.

The principals of the public schools were requested to
announce to the pupils the City's invitation for all the scholars of
Westmount to attend.

There is attached to this report copies of the documents
which were placed in the copper box deposited in the Corner Stone.
The following is a list of what is enclosed in the sealed copper box now being deposited under the Corner Stone of the Soldiers' Memorial this 20th November 1919:

1. An outline of the present system of the Government of the City prepared by His Worship Mayor W. W. McLagan with a memorandum of the members of the Council and the principal officials of the City.

2. A miniature history of the Westmount Public Library prepared by the chief Librarian, Miss Mary S. Baxe, and a memorandum of the members of the Committee and staff.

3. A list of the members of the Citizen's Committee appointed to select a suitable memorial to the men of Westmount, who gave their lives in the Great War.

4. An historical sketch of the City of Westmount prepared by Mr. W. D. Lighthall, K.C., a former Mayor of the City.

5. A sketch of the origin and development of the Westmount Public Schools prepared by Mr. W. F. Biddon, the Treasurer.

6. A statement of the Commissioners of St. Leon de Westmount signed by M. A. Phelan, Chairman, and L. H. Eades, Secretary-Treasurer.

7. Photographs of the City's public and principal buildings and other scenes of general interest.

8. A map of the City as it is at present.

9. The annual reports of the City for the year 1918/1919.

10. A copy of the programme of this ceremony.

11. Samples of current coin and Government notes (a one cent, five cents, ten cents, twenty-five cents and fifty cent piece and a five dollar gold coin and a one dollar Dominion of Canada note.)

12. Samples of the Gazette, Le Canada, La Patrie, the Star, La Presse, the Herald, the Standard and the Westmount News.
TO WHOMEVER of the citizens of Westmount, of some future generation the opportunity may be given to read these lines,

GREETINGS

from the citizens of Westmount who live in the year of Our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-

The monument within which lye enshrined this and other documents and articles typifying our time has been erected by the people of this city in loving and reverent memory of their sons, brothers and neighbours who gave up their lives in defence of civil liberty and the democratic principle in human government during the Great War which was waged in Europe from August nineteen hundred and fourteen to November nineteen hundred and eighteen.

We are a small people of twenty thousand souls, yet from our homes there enlisted for active service in the war one thousand, two hundred and thirty seven (1,237) men, and for war nursing service thirty-one (31) women. Of this number One hundred and eighty-eight (188) men made the supreme sacrifice of life itself in the great cause to which they had willingly dedicated themselves. This is a record equalled by few communities in Canada and we are proud in the midst of our sorrow accordingly.

We cannot guess to what perfection of municipal government civilized society may have attained are this statement again sees the light of day but Doubtless you will be interested in being told of the system of administration which is in operation in this city at this time. We are of opinion that it is the best that has been so far evolved.

A City Council consisting of a Mayor and five Aldermen are elected every two years by the votes of the citizens of the whole city. The citizens entitled to vote are males over twenty-one (21) years of age who are British subjects and widows and spinster who own or occupy real estate. The City Council functions similarly to a board of directors of a commercial corporation; i.e. they control policies and principles of civic administration and appoint the principal officials. They are not paid for their services. At the head of the practical administration is a General Manager, a paid permanent official, appointed by and responsible to the Council. Under him operates the heads of departments. There are five departments; viz: that of Finance; that of Roads; including drains and scavenging; that of Police, Sanitation and Fire; that of Light, the providing and distribution of public and domestic electric light and power and that of the care of Public Parks. Each Alderman is appointed Commissioner of one of these departments and it is his duty to consult with and advise the General Manager with regard to the details of its administration. The names of the present permanent officials are attached hereto.

The City of Westmount as it at present exists is a city within a city being entirely surrounded by the territory of the great city of Montreal. Its area consists of nine hundred and seventy-six (976) acres and its population about twenty thousand (20,000) souls of all ages. It is almost entirely a city of homes, there being scarcely any business enterprises within it save those which cater to the domestic needs of the residents. A sketch of its history accompanies this document; as well as a statement of its finances.

Public education is provided for through two agencies. One is called the school Commissioners of Westmount, elected periodically by the Protestants and other non Roman Catholic citizens; the other is called the Catholic School Commissioners of St. Leon as Westmount, elected by citizens of the Roman Catholic faith. The Protestant Schools are entirely free of school fees.

There is a free public Library wherein all citizens can without charge read and borrow magazines and books. It is much appreciated and used.

This monument was arranged for by a large committee of citizens appointed at a public meeting.
Nov. 20th, 1920

This is not a day of rejoicing with us. But neither is it a day of unalloyed mourning. We do mourn the untimely taking off of those grand young lives whose memory we are here to honour and our hearts go out in the veriest intensity of sympathy with those of our fellow citizens who have suffered personal loss. But in the midst of their and our grief does there not loom up, ever great and more luminous as the perspective lengthens, the story of the valour and courage and selfless devotion of these men, softening and sweetening the sense of loss increasing and making more and more absorbing the feeling of triumph and pride in their achievements. And well may we acclaim their courage and valour. Literally they marched into the "Valley of the Shadow of Death"—They marched in with smile and jest and high hearted courage undismayed by the lurid and horrid setting of modern war. They went willingly, voluntarily, at their Country's call—They had no personal material gain to hope for. They willingly staked their all, life itself, that they might help to make their country and the democratic principles of government their country stood for triumphant. The glory of their story makes me think of a brilliant sunset after a dark and stormy day—presaging the dawn of a brighter and a better tomorrow, better for themselves and the humanity for which they made so great a sacrifice.

I believe the immortal part of the boys who "went west" from the midst of the war have realized the better day—

"Greater Love hath no man etc."

It is for us to see to it that our country and our people realize the better day—The boys fought to ensure us the opportunity to make this country greater and freer, in which justice and good will flourish without interruption and in which the bounties of nature the fruits of the earth and the results of man's toil are fairly and justly divided. That is by far the best monument we can raise to the lads who fought and died for us. But we yearn to do for them something that we can see and feel. In the hearts of us who live their memory will ever flourish sweet and green but we are determined that all future generations of our citizenship shall have demonstrated to them in unmistakable form the reverence and gratitude and admiration we cherish.
We therefore resolved to express our sentiments in
enduring granite and imperishable bronze, and this is the work
we are commencing today by the laying of the corner stone of the
granite pedestal on which will be erected the bronze figure of
a soldier in service kit, accompanied by an angel of victory,
the whole symbolizing the triumphant sacrifice made by the men
of Westmount in the Great War of
1914-1918.

P. W. McLagan

PROGRAMME

1. R. M. R. Band
2. Invocation
   Rev. Father Oscar P. Gauthier
3. Chairman's Remarks
   William Rutherford, Chairman of the
   Citizen's Committee
4. Address
   Brig. Gen. C.J. Armstrong, C.B.; C.M.G.
5. Address
   Rev. W. J. Clark, D.D.
6. Reading
   Contents of Box deposited
   Arthur F. Bell, Secretary Treasurer.
7. Lowering of Flag to half mast
   Alf. Robinson, President
   Westmount W.W.V.A.
8. Laying of Corner Stone, His Worship
   Mayor P. W. McLagan
9. Last Post
10. Benediction
    Rev. Ed. Bushell
11. God Save the King.

The Band of the Royal Montreal Regiment
has been secured through the
kindness of Lt. Co. C.B. Price; D.S.O.
MINUTES OF MEETING

City of Westmount

Citizens Committee

Meeting held January 16th, 1919

Hon. Chairman

Vesire Mayor R. W. McLagan,
429 Argyle Avenue.

Chairman

Vesire W. H. Rutherford, 109 Cote St. Antoine Road.

Vesire E. Herbert Brown, 26 Melbourne Avenue.

Hon. Secretary

Vesire Major W. G. Manson, M.C.

Vesire Miss E. C. Stewart.

Vesire E. C. Pratt, Molsons' Bank.

Committee

John McInernon dead.

Rev. W. J. Clark.

Rev. A. F. Grice.

Rev. Richard Whiting.

Rev. C. C. S. Wallace.

Rev. R. E. Ennebin.

Rev. T. W. Davidson.

Rabbi Samuel Schwartz.

Hon. Mr. Justice Martin.

Hon. Mr. Justice Maclean.

Hon. Mr. Justice Mercier.


Brig. Gen. C. A. Smart, C.M.G.

Dr. A. Mackenzie Forbes.

W. D. Lightbourn.

W. E. Black dead.

658 Grosvenor Avenue.

348 Kensington Avenue.

517 Clarke Avenue.

616 Sydneyham Avenue.

662 Belmont Avenue.

4931 Eastern Avenue.

150 Cote St. Antoine Road.

4810 Dorchester Street.

6729 Eastern Avenue.

376 Wood Avenue.

4299 Eastern Avenue.

653 Grosvenor Avenue.

Engineer's Club.

447 Mount Stephen Avenue.

530 Roslyn Avenue.

532 Cote St. Antoine Road.

14 Murray Avenue.

4020 Dorchester Street.

501 Lanedown Avenue.

484 Mount Pleasant Avenue.

465 Clarke Avenue.

4350 Eastern Avenue.

4883 Sherbrooke Street.

497 Metcalfe Avenue.

577 Grosvenor Avenue.

465 Mount Pleasant Avenue.

340 Wood Avenue.

584 Roslyn Avenue.

46 Arlington Avenue.

109 Cote St. Antoine Road.

40 Lincoln Avenue, Montreal.

Prof. J. Architecture,

Sir William College.

Engineering School.

signature.
HISTORICAL PEBBLES OF WESTMOUNT
(prepared by W. D. Lightbail, at the request of the City Council)

The City of Westmount occupies a territory of about nine hundred and seventy-six (976) acres comprising the top and southern slopes of the Western Mountain of Mount Royal, bounded on the north at the top of the Mountain by that part of Montreal formerly Cote des Neiges, on the South by St. Henri Ward, on the west by Cramond Avenue by Notre Dame de Grace Ward, and on the East by St. Antoine Ward.

Westmount is now entirely surrounded by the City of Montreal, of which it is the chief residential suburb. In language and ideas it is predominantly English. It has a wide reputation for the high character of its municipal improvements and for the beauty of its site and of its residences along the slopes of its Mountain. Its present population is about twenty-thousand (20,000).

INDIAN PERIOD

In one respect Westmount has the longest history of any locality in America, north of Mexico. An ancient Indian burying ground discovered in eighteen hundred and ninety-eight (1898) on and adjoining the grounds of St. George's Club on the Upper Level (not the Summit), near the corner of Abercromie Avenue and the Boulevard, apparently belonged to a period previous to the fifteenth century. The type of burial (each body being covered in its grave by large flat stones placed in the shape of an A), appears to be related to the stone-lined graves of the Illinois and other ancient Algonquin tribes of the Mississippi Valley, and was different from that of the Hochelagaseans who occupied the Island of Montreal from about the year fourteen hundred (1400). The Westmount Indian graves also do not contain any pottery or other objects resembling those of the Hochelagaseans. They, therefore, evidently belong to a time earlier than the fifteenth century. The Hochelagaseans following the People of the Stone-lined Graves were the second known possessors of the site of Westmount.

FRENCH PERIOD

The first occupation on the site during this period, was the establishment by the Seminary of St. Sulpice in sixteen hundred and eighty-four (1684), of the Fort des Messieurs, the extensive establishment of which the two early towers and stone walls at the College de Montreal are the remnant. It was built so as to remove the mission Indians of Montreal from the influence of absolute traders of the town. And while the buildings are not within the actual limits of Westmount, the lands of the establishment occupy a considerable part of this City, and these Indians are known to have made habitual use of a number of neighbourhoods within it, such as the present site of Argyle School, at the spot where there was a very large elm tree, and the "Indian Walls" of the Baynes and Murray property. During the earlier years of the eighteenth century, concessions of farm land running in strips up to and across the top of Westmount Mountain were made to various French settlers by the Seminary, as Seigneurs of the Island. Such was the origin of the old farms now divided into lots and covered with houses. The first house was the quaint stone cottage of the St. Germain family, overlooking Lansdowne Avenue from above the Cote St. Antoine Road, and having its great wooden cross before it. The Murray farm on the east, between Belmont and Murray Avenues, contained a similar cottage belonging to the Ledoux, who owned the farm up to eighteen hundred and forty-seven (1847). Tracks of their dwelling can still be seen. In those days two roads partly traversed the locality from east to west - the earliest of which was "the Road through the Woods" to Lachine, or Upper Lachine Road, the other the Cote St. Antoine Road. A number of interesting local traditions exist concerning the French period - burying of silver and valuables by the Martuties and Ledous when part of General Amherst's Army, arriving to capture Montreal in seventeenth hundred and sixty (1760), occupied the heights along the Cote des Neiges Road; the killing of the first St. Germain by an ambushed Iroquois in the Ravine of the present Westmount Park.
The ceremony of exorcism of an insane daughter of the St. Germain by being "passed through fire" in front of the house; Indian photographs on trees in the Ravine; and so forth. The little Ville of Montreal at this period seemed far away.

BRITISH PERIOD

For two generations after the Conquest there was very little change in the rural countryside of old Cote St. Antoine. Several of the old North "est fur Merchants established country seats here, such as William Hallowell, John Clarke.

In later times others such as William Bowron, William Murray; Hon. John Young and Dr. Selby bought old farms and built country seats, some of which their descendants still enjoy. In time "The Cote" became part of the Parish of St. Henri, a subdivision of the original Parish of Montreal, and under the Municipal Act of eighteen hundred and forty-nine (1849), was in due course governed by parish municipal law. In eighteen hundred and seventy-four (1874) it and Notre Dame de Grace were detached from St. Henri and Cote St. Antoine became an incorporated Village. The late Honorable James Hewley Ward was mayor for nine years. In eighteen hundred and ninety (1890) the Village having made some progress as a residential suburb and attained the vast population of Eighteen hundred and fifty (1850) was incorporated as a Town under the name of Cote St. Antoine. In Eighteen hundred and ninety-three (1893) Sherbrooke Street was opened across the place and became at once the principal thoroughfare. In eighteen hundred and ninety-four (1894) the Town was reached by electric railway, which brought about striking changes in its outlook and general spirit.

An interesting era of town planning was now inaugurated, the general result being the transformation of a rural village into a beautiful modern city. By nineteen hundred and two (1902) the population had reached ten thousand (10,000), all the principal streets were opened and controlled by building restriction lines and provided with the best of obtainable pavements and sidewalks, a successful lighting plant was erected, a large public meeting hall, attractive parks, a filtered water system and the first civic public library in the Province of Quebec.

In eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895) the name "Cote St. Antoine" was changed to "Westmount" the former name being considered less adapted to an urban locality. The derivation of the name from the Western Mountain was obvious. It had previously been adopted by the Murray family for their residence "Westmount House".

Since nineteen hundred and two (1902) the work achieved by the planners of Westmount has been faithfully carried on by competent councils, the population has doubled, new districts have become opened and built up, splendid churches and schools erected. In nineteen hundred and fourteen (1914) it took on the name and rank of a City.

The people take great pride in its progress and good government.

Following is a list of its Mayors:-

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TOWN OF WESTMOUNT

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C. A. Dupuis
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James E. Knox
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THE GREAT WAR

The record of Westmount during the Great War is in brief as follows:

Number who served in the Canadian Expeditionary or other
British Force—1237 men.
31 Nursing sisters—16 of the Voluntary
Aid Department.

Number who received honours
Number of honours received
Number who gave their lives in the Great War

187
194
188
Situated on beautifully wooded land that rises in terraces so as to give extensive views over the river and valley of the St. Lawrence, the City of Westmount is the most favored residential municipality on the island of Montreal. Ever since its inception, it has been governed by public spirited men determined to develop its natural beauties and the policy that has been adopted in the laying out of the site of the municipality and in enforcing wise building regulations, has resulted in a city of fine avenues and lovely homes of which any citizen may well be proud.

The area now comprised in the City of Westmount was originally a part of the municipality of St. Henry, and it was with a view to giving the English-speaking people a district where they could have the management of their own schools, that the municipality of Notre Dame de Grace was created, this municipality being subdivided later on, and a large district of it formed into the municipality of Côte St. Antoine, now Westmount. These changes were brought about very largely through the instrumentality of the Honorable James K. Ward, the late Judge Sandborn and Mr. John Macfarlane.

It was in the year 1873 that the first Protestant School in Westmount was started, the room of an old house that stood on the south east corner of Côte St. Antoine Road and Clarke Avenue being utilized for the purpose. The first teacher was Miss Turnbull. The attendance rapidly increased, and another teacher Miss Greenhields soon had to be engaged. The accommodation naturally became insufficient, and in 1876 the Commissioners purchased a house on Stanton Street, now used as the Fire and Police Station. This was, for the time being, turned into a school, and an additional teacher, Miss A. Y. Ramsay was secured.

By 1876 the English-speaking population had grown to such an extent that it was again found necessary to extend the school accommodation, and a parcel of land was purchased from the Westmount Homestead Company, and a fine building, now used as the City Hall, was erected thereon. Here, there was ample room for 200 pupils, while the teaching staff was further strengthened by the appointment of Mr. John Proctor as the first principal of the Côte St. Antoine Academy.

The increase in the population of the Village of Côte St. Antoine- mostly English-speaking Protestants- was very rapid, resulting in the raising of the municipality to a Town.

By 1895, the Academy in its turn proved too small to accommodate the influx of pupils, so the building was sold to the Municipal Council, and the present Academy, now Argyle School, was erected by the express wish of a largely attended meeting of the rate-payers, to accommodate 600 pupils at a cost of $75,000.00. This building was opened in April 1894, and its first principal was Mr. J. A. Nicholson, M. A., now Registrar of McGill University.

Only two years later it was found necessary to provide further accommodation for educational purposes, especially for the needs of the west end of the City, for the Academy was over-crowded. The King’s School was therefore built to hold 560 pupils at a cost of $50,000.00.

Three years later there were again more pupils seeking admission to the Academy than could be accommodated, and the Commissioners secured land on Olivier Avenue, and erected thereon the Queen’s School at a cost of $50,000.00, which provided for about 560 pupils. The first Principal of this school was Miss Agnes S. James, B. A. (now of the High School) with a staff of about twelve teachers.
During the thirty-three years, from 1873-1906 the population of the City grew from about 500 to 10,500—a city and in 1906 the Commissioners were again faced with the old problem, insufficient accommodation. They, therefore, bought the beautiful site at the corner of Roslyn and Westmount Avenues, and erected one of the most modern and up-to-date fire-proof buildings in the Dominion, and called it "The Roslyn Avenue School" to accommodate the population of the north-western portion of the city; the land and building costing about $150,000.00.

Although the Roslyn School was erected to give the Academy more accommodation, nevertheless, a large increase in the Academy Grades began, and the Board found that the present building would by no means provide for the increasing numbers in the higher grades. Again, the Commissioners were obliged to look around for a suitable site to erect a new building. They decided to put up a building to accommodate about 800 pupils for the use of higher education, or the last four years of Academy work only. In May 1912, the Commissioners purchased a piece of land, then facing Western Avenue, from the Westmount Corporation, and in May 1913 tenders were given for the erection of what now is the fine Westmount High School. The Corner Stone of the building was laid on Saturday, Nov. 22nd. 1913.

The Commissioners were:

Messrs John Macfarlane, Chairman
W. D. Lighthall, K. C.
J. M. Elder, M. D.
John Nicholson
Wm. Rutherford
E. W. T. Reddon, Secretary Treasurer

The cost of the land, building and equipment was $450,000.00.

The Board of School Commissioners for the Municipality of the City of Westmount at the time of laying the Corner Stone of this Memorial are:

Messrs A. MacA. Murphy, Chairman
Wm. Rutherford
Wm. Hanson
John Jenkins
Jas. C. Tory, M.L.A., N.S.
D. McK Rowat, N. P.
W. L. Haldimand
E. W. T. Reddon, Treasurer
W. Chalk, Secretary.
The Catholic School Commission for the Municipality of St-Leon de Westmount was incorporated in 1904, and held its first meeting on the 11th. of July 1904.

There are two schools under its jurisdiction; each one giving an elementary, modern and academic course; to wit:

St. Leon, for boys, attended by 306 pupils.

Brother Andrew, of the Brothers of the Christian Schools, being the Principal.

St. Paul, for girls, attended by 216 pupils.

Mother Marie Caroline, of the Congregation of Notre-Dame, being the Superioress.

The School Board is actually composed, for the year 1920-1921, as follows:-

Mr. M. A. Phelan, Chairman,

Messrs Alfred St. Cyr,

W. J. Daly,

J. T. R. Laurendeau

Edouard Biron

L. R. Desilets, Secretary-Treasurer

Signed M. A. Phelan

Signed, L. R. Desilets,

Chairman

Secretary Treasurer.
WESTMOUNT PUBLIC LIBRARY; a miniature history 1899-1920

During the Mayoralty of Mr. Frederick W. Evans, who was Mayor of Westmount in 1897 and pursuant to a resolution of Council adopted on the motion of J. H. Redfern seconded by J. C. McCormick a Public Library was built in Westmount Park to commemorate the Diamond Jubilee of Queen Victoria.

The building which was opened to the public on June 1st, 1899 is of red brick, with a Norman Tower, and was constructed from plans prepared by Robert Findlay architect of Montreal.

The interior mural decoration was of oak leaves and maple leaves while the leaded glass windows bear the names of many illustrious writers, artists, philosophers and sculptors. A motto over one of the mantels, reads- "What worlds or what vast regions hold the immortal mind". Over another fireplace carved in stone is "Happy is the man who fineth wisdom and gotteth understanding".

Mr. W. D. Lighthall, a well known literary man and Mayor of Westmount in 1900 selected most of this material as well as the grand-father clock which stands in the reading room, this was once the property of an old Quebec family and is now well over one hundred years old.

Today in 1920 the library is 21 years of age, owns 22000 volumes. Has a reference department, a juvenile department and a circulation department, where the books for home use were taken out 89000 times in the past year.

"In books lies the soul of the whole past time."
The Secretary Treasurer submitted a supplement to the Extract from the Valuation Roll containing all names added to the list of Grand and Petit Jury and the names of persons to be struck therefrom.

In connection therewith letters were submitted from:—

Mr. A. W. Royan, 652 Grosvenor Avenue
Mr. Chas. J. Scott, 666 Grosvenor Avenue
Mr. Frank Sumner 648 Grosvenor Avenue
Mr. G. E. Blackburn 4038 Tupper Street.

claiming exemption from Jury service as Commercial Travellers.

On the motion of Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott the Secretary Treasurer was directed to amend the list of exemptions accordingly and the list as amended, was confirmed.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance, submitted a report of the General Committee as follows:—

Your Committee recommends that Group Insurance be effected with the Canada Life Assurance Company on the lives of all the employees of the City with the exception of the General Manager, Secretary Treasurer, City Solicitor, Magistrate and Medical Health Officer according to the following scale:—

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and the Secretary Treasurer is hereby authorized to make application forthwith and pay the premium for the policies, the amount to be charged to Contingent Fund.

On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown submitted a further recommendation from the General Committee as follows:—

Your Committee recommends that the Council confirm the payment of the following accounts and pay rolls for the month of November, 1928:—
On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman R. B. Common this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

After mutual exchange of good wishes between the Mayor and Aldermen it was moved by Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman Dr. G.W.H. Rondasau that Council stand adjourned until December 28th 1920.
It was moved by Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman R. B. Common and unanimously resolved that the instructions to Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks, as submitted by Mr. Arthur F. Bell, Returning Officer for the forthcoming Elections, be approved and further that the Returning Officer be authorized to send postal cards to the electors informing them of the poll at which they are entitled to vote.

Alderman E. Herbert Brown, Commissioner of Finance submitted the following recommendation of the General Committee:-

Your Committee recommends that the Mayor and Secretary Treasurer, or Assistant Secretary Treasurer be authorized to sign the amending agreements, submitted herewith, with the officials named as follows:-

Mr. Geo. W. Thompson
Mr. Arthur F. Bell
Mr. P. E. Jarman
Mr. J. W. Weldon
Dr. J. A. Hutchinson

General Manager
Secretary Treasurer
City Engineer
City Solicitor
Medical Health Officer

On the motion of Alderman E. Herbert Brown seconded by Alderman Dr. C.W.H. Rondeau this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Alderman B. B. Common, Commissioner of Roads submitted the following recommendation;-

Your Committee recommends that Council approve of the subdivision of lots Cadastre 215-1-4, 215-2-4, 215-3-4, 215-4-2, 215-4-3, 215-5-2, situated on the west side of Victoria Avenue south
of Cote St. Antoine Road in accordance with plan submitted by Mr. F.C. Laberge, P. L. S.

On the motion of Alderman R. B. Common seconded by Alderman R. L. Scott this recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Letter of date December 21st. was submitted from the President and Secretary of the Hebrew Orphan Home intimating that they are purchasing from the Harvey Institute their building #500 Claremont Avenue with the land and appurtenances to be used and maintained as an Orphan Home and asking to be advised if there is any formality to be complied with.

Alderman R. L. Scott moved that the Secretary Treasurer be instructed to advise the Hebrew Orphan Home that there is no formality to comply with in so far as the city is concerned with its purchase of the Harvey Institute property and continuing to use it as an Orphanage. The motion was seconded by Alderman S. F. Rutherford and unanimously adopted.

Letters of acknowledgment of grants made by the City were submitted from the following:-
- Harvey Institute
- Children's Memorial Hospital
- Grace Dart Home
- Women's Hospital

In connection with the Soldiers' Memorial the Secretary Treasurer reported as follows:-

I regret to have to report that we have been advised of additional casualties as follows:-

Private Raymond Leo Beauchamp
42nd. Battalion
Son of Mrs. W.P.Beauchamp
16 Aberdeen Apartments,
Killed in action Sep. 16th. 1916.

Sous-Officier Marcel Beullac
French Army Engineers
460 Mt. Stephen Avenue
Deceased

Captain Aimé Antoine Charlebois
6th. Co. Canadian Engineers
18 Arlington Avenue
Mrs. C.C.Charlebois
53 Sussex Apartments "A"
Deceased

Captain Gerald Atkinson Magor
Royal Air Forces
Son of Mr. & Mrs. J.H.Magor
47 Rosemount Avenue

Captain Norman Ansley Magor, D.S.C.
Royal Air Forces
Son of Mr & Mrs. J.H. Magor
47 Rosemount Avenue

Private Hugh deHertel Massy
7th. Battalion
Son of Mrs. J.H. Massy
4224 Dorchester St.
Missing since Longemarck, April 24th. 1915.
Private John Weatherup
196th. Battalion
610 Carleton Avenue
James Weatherup
95 Antrim Road,
Belfast, Ireland.
Killed in action
May 24th. 1917.

Private Wm. Bayard D. Moore
26th. Battalion
Mrs Eleanor A. W. Moore
Apt. 16, 4162 Sherbrooke St.
Killed in action 1916.

Private Allan M. Reid
14th. Battalion
Miss Leonora J. Reid
4284 St Catherine St
Killed in action

Lieutenant W. J. Murray
Irish Rangers
Y.M.C.A. Westmount
Killed in action

Quarter Master Sergeant Alex. Robert Charrell
24th. Victoria Rifles
106 Lewis Avenue
Killed in action

E. F. Armstrong
23rd. Battalion in Fall of 1914
Nephew of W. W. Walker
434 Wood Avenue,
Killed in action June 1915 at Givenchy

On the motion of Alderman Dr. C. W. H. Rondeau seconded by
Alderman R. B. Common it was resolved that these names be inscribed in
the minutes of Council and that letters of condolence be sent to their
next of kin and that copy of resolution previously adopted be also
sent.

The Mayor called attention to the portrait of the late
Mayor John McKergow, which had now been placed in the Council Chamber.

After an exchange of good wishes between the Mayor and
Aldermen the Council adjourned.

[Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
Secretary Treasurer.