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VANCOUVER, B. C.

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Colonel McSpadden,

O.C. 11th Irish Fusiliers of Canada.

Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Col McSpadden:-

Mr. Vance the City Analyst, is calling upon you to shew you a Resolution passed by the City Council asking him to remain in the Civic employ as they consider it his duty to do so.

I would like to add that at the present time I do not see any way by which the City could obtain an Analyst of Mr. Vance's attainments to carry on the very necessary work which, as you know, is of a very mixed character, including examinations for the Board of Works, Food Analyses, Criminal Prosecutions, and other matters of like nature.

He has already done what he could for his Country by making analyses for the Imperial Government and also for the local corps.

Mr. Vance wishes to make this matter quite plain as, like all of us, he feels drawn to offer his services in another capacity to his Country.

Trusting you will be able to grant him an honourable discharge from active service,

Believe me,

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) F.T.Underhill.,

Medical Health Officer.