**CROWN SEIZES CITY FOR NON-PAYMENT OF DEBTS -**

Slocan was twice seized for debt. An item appeared in a coast paper on May 15th, 1906 to this effect: “The solvency of Slocan City is in grave doubt today. Printer A. E. Garrett has appeared in chambers to get satisfaction on a $425.00 bill. The judge asked whether he couldn’t wait till July 1st, when the city will get $800.00 for liquor licenses but Garrett said, “No, after the mayor and officials take their salaries, nothing will be left.” On August 9th, 1906, the city was seized by the sheriff for a $700.00 debt to a Vancouver citizen.

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