



## Progress report

<https://search.heritageburnaby.ca/permalink/museumlibrary7355>

Repository: Burnaby Village Museum

Collection: Reference Collection

Type: DVD

Call No.: 388.46 BCH VR

Contributor: British Columbia Electric Company

Place of Publication: [British Columbia, Canada]

Publisher: BC Hydro

Publication Date: c1947

Physical Description: 1 videodisc (13 min.): sd., b&w. ; 4 3/4 in.

Subjects LoC: [British Columbia Electric Company](#)  
[British Columbia Electric Railway Company](#)  
[British Columbia Electric Railway Company -- History](#)  
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[Electric substations -- British Columbia -- Lower Mainland Region](#)  
[Vancouver \(B.C.\) -- Central business district](#)  
[Vancouver \(B.C.\) -- Streets](#)

Geographic Access: [Bridge River \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Lajoie Dam \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Lower Mainland Region \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Vancouver \(B.C.\)](#)

Notes: Summary: Promotional film. The BC Electric Railway Company's \$50 million post-war expansion and modernization program, to be completed by 1950. Includes: expansion of transit services, including start of the switch from streetcars to trolley buses; water gas plant; explanation of the Bridge River project, with footage of construction (including La Joie Falls storage dam); Lower Mainland power sub-stations. Various Vancouver street scenes, especially Fraser Street and downtown  
Credit note : sponsored/presented by: British Columbia Electric Company; producer: Lew M. Parry; producing agency/company: Trans-Canada Films Ltd.



## Dinner for Miss Creeden

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Physical Description: 1 videodisc (36 min.) : sd., col ; 4 3/4 in.  
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[British Columbia Electric Railway Company](#)  
[British Columbia Electric Railway Company -- History](#)  
[Natural gas industry](#)  
[Streetcars -- British Columbia -- Vancouver](#)  
[Trolley Cars -- British Columbia -- Lower Mainland](#)  
[Vancouver \(B.C.\) -- Streets](#)  
[World War, 1914-1918 -- Mobilization](#)  
[World War, 1939-1945--Mobilization](#)  
Geographic Access: [Bridge River \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Fraser Valley district \(B.C.\)](#)  
[British Columbia - Buntzen Lake](#)  
[Vancouver \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Vancouver Island \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Lower Mainland Region \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Alouette Lake \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Ruskin \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Stave Falls \(B.C.\)](#)  
[Goldstream \(B.C.\)](#)  
[British Columbia - Victoria](#)  
Notes: Summary: Industrial film. A film about the growth of B.C. Electric from 1906 to 1946, built around the story of stenographer Flossie Creeden, the first female office employee of the company. Footage includes: Goldstream power plant; Vancouver natural gas facilities; BC Electric Railway lines in Fraser Valley; Stave Falls generator plant; Alouette Lake and Ruskin plants; 1939 royal visit; BCE employee's newsletter; A.E. Grauer family at home; office scenes; plans & construction at Bridge River project; BCE employee's service in World Wars I & II; BCE streetcar and trolley bus services  
Credit notes: producer: Lew M. Parry; director: Lew M. Parry; photography: John Young; script: Cecil Maiden; sound: S.G. Wilson; narrator: A.E. Grauer; sponsored/presented by: British Columbia Electric Company; producing agency/company: Trans-Canada Films Ltd.