

Vancouver Nov 7th 1887

The Council met on Monday November 7th 1887 at 7.30 p.m. a full attendance being present. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Communications

From City Auditor submitting report for September and drawing attention to the money paid Mr E. Mohun for Sewerage.

Referred to the Board of Works.

From John Blough asking for a raise of salary.

Referred to Finance.

From Clifford Kenleyside asking for a rebate on license.

Referred to Finance Com.

From Deputy Attorney General re expenses connected with holding of County Court in Vancouver.

Filed.

From E. O. Corson asking Council to grant him aid towards the establishment of a Shoe Factory in the City.

Referred to Finance Committee.

From J. H. Carlisle asking Council to app purchase a

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team for the use of the Fire
department.
referred to S. W. H. Committee.

Letter from Geo Bloed to Minister
of Agriculture re the establish-
ment of an experimental farm
near Coquitlam River.

Moved by Alderman
Clard seconded by " D.
Oppenheimer.

Whereas it has appear-
ed in the public press that the Govern-
ment of the Dominion of Canada has
decided to establish an experimental
farm in British Columbia,

And whereas in the es-
tablishment of such farm the best
interests of the Province will be served
by placing it in a central location
easy of access by the farming com-
munity and by the public generally
and possessed of such diversity of
soil that a fair opportunity may be
given for the growth of all products suit-
able to this province.

And whereas in the opi-
nion of this Council Coquitlam
farm composed of lots numbers
174, 289 and 290 in group one
New Westminster District, pos-
sesses in all these respects ad-
vantages superior to all others
spoken of in connection with
said experimental farm,

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Be it therefore resolved by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Vancouver in Council assembled that we strongly recommend to the Dominion Government the securing of said lots for the purpose in view; and be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk, to the Honourable the Minister of Agriculture, Ottawa

Moved in Amendment by Alderman Munnion seconded by Alderman Lefevre

"That the matter be laid over for one week"

Amendment lost; motion carried.

From Alfred Dundas and others re the improvement of Hastings Street.
Referred to Board of Works.

From Dr. Beckingsale re improvement of lane in rear of school.
Referred to Board of Works.

From Jas. B. Kennedy and others re improvement of Cambie Street.
Referred to the Board of Works

From H. Abbott offering a site for City Hospital.
Moved by Alderman W. Oppenheimer seconded by Alderman Munnion.
That the City

purchase lots one to ten, Block
38, District Lot 541 at \$2500 each
for hospital purposes if proper
terms can be arranged.
Carried,

Accounts,

The following accounts were read,		
Abrams & Co. furniture	\$ 23 ¹⁵	Health
Arwin Hughes, washing	10 ⁵⁰	"
J. H. Lee, drayage	1 ²⁵	boards
C. S. N. Telegraph Co	5 ¹⁰	Finance
H. A. Berry, drayage	1 ⁵⁰	Health
John Blough,	1 ⁰⁰	boards
J. W. Back,	4 ⁰⁰	Health
" "	17 ⁵⁰	"
" "	3 ⁵⁰	Finance
Cornelius Swart,	5 ²⁵	Health
Al. Thicke	10 ⁰⁰	"
Hastings Saw Mill Co	55 ⁰⁸	boards
H. McDowell & Co	9 ⁶⁵	Health
N. South & Co.	17 ⁵⁰	S. W. H.
Walter Ashford,	28 ⁸⁰	Health
Cowdroy Bros	0,62	"
Fattersall's Stables	1 ⁰⁰	"
Charles Nelson,	19 ⁶⁵	"
Brunette Saw Mill Co	46 ⁷⁰	boards
Campbell & Marden	9 ⁶⁰	Health
McKenna & McFeely,	42 ²⁵	Finance
Tom Hardins,	2 ⁵⁰	boards
E. D. Edwards	6 ⁰⁰	S. W. H.
F. X. Martin	37 ²³	Health
" "	10 ⁴⁵	"
Duncan McKee,	44 ⁷⁰	boards
Parcovee Lumber Co	1 ⁸⁰	Health
John Gibson	5 ⁰⁰	boards

Hayer & Mc Intosh	\$ 24 ¹¹	Health
John Clough,	2 ⁰⁰	Finance
D. T. Lilley	22 ⁰⁰	"
V. W. Haywood,	35 ⁰⁰	Police
Fairmount Lumber Co.	2 ⁰⁰	"
News-Advertiser	42 ⁵⁰	Finance
J. V. Martin	9 ⁸⁵	"
John M. Stewart	115 ⁰⁰	Police
Thompson & Co.	19 ²⁵	"
W. J. Meltingan.	25 ⁰⁰	Health,

Reports,
 words, No 60.

The Board of works met on Friday October 28th 1887 and respectfully submit the following recommendations to Council.

That Messrs McDonald and Holden be paid their final estimate on City Hall amounting to \$2934⁵⁰.

That a wooden gutter be constructed on the South side of Powell Street - between Westminster Avenue and Columbia Avenue to connect with the drain now constructed and that a drain be made on the South side of Cordova Street from Cambie Street to Homer Street

Wm. A. Hamilton
 Chairman.

works, No 61.

The Board of works met on Friday November 4th 1887 and respectfully submit the following

recommendations to Council.

That a ten-foot sidewalk be constructed on the west side of Abbott Street from Cordova Street to lane in rear of the Carlson Block

That a house be built in connection with the public cemetery for the use of the Coroner and Sexton and that such officer be paid a salary of \$40⁰⁰ per month.

and that the City Engineer instruct Messrs Boyd and Blau dening to proceed with the construction of the sidewalk on Powell Street

The City Solicitor being of the opinion that the Corporation should ultimately assume the cost of the necessary sewerage from the C. P. R. Hotel, we recommend that the Council assume the cost of the work and on completion that this Corporation give a note to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company payable in three months without interest;

The following accounts are recommended for payment:

Low Borkins Estimation Sewers	\$3649 ¹¹
H. S. Keefer, Gravel	1566 ⁰⁰

Jgd H. A. Hamilton
Chairman

Adopted Alexander D. Oppenheimer.

By Laws.

Alderman D. Oppenheimer introduced a By-Law to authorize the appointment of Deputy-Returning Officers etc

1st for the Municipal Elections 1888 which was read a first time.

2nd By-law read a second time on motion of Alderman D. Oppenheimer seconded by Alderman Kefauver.

Committee of the Whole

No 48. The Council went into Committee of the Whole on By-law with Alderman Alexander in the Chair.

By-law numbered 48 and clauses filled in and passed.

Committee rose to report By-law as passed with Amendments.

By-law read a third time on motion of Alderman D. Oppenheimer seconded by Alderman Kefauver and authorized to be advertised and engrossed.

Council went into Committee of the Whole on Fire Limit By-law.

No 49. By-law numbered 49 and title read after which Committee rose and By-law was laid over.

Motions

Moved by Alderman D. Oppenheimer seconded " Sanders.

That the City Clerk be instructed to register deed of land lately purchased from J. J. Swain. Carried.

Moved by Alderman David Oppenheimer seconded by Alderman Sanders.

"That the Board of Works be authorized to call for tenders or plans for the building of the Hospital as per plan of A. C. McCartney" carried.

Moved by Alderman Humphries seconded by Alderman Laird.

"That the thanks of this Corporation be given to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and to Sir George Stephen for their generous offer in regard to a hospital site for this City, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Sir Geo Stephen President and Mr Saw Home, Vice President of the C. P. R." carried.

The Council then adjourned

M. R. MacLean

Mayor

Thos. McCaughey
City Clerk