

Vancouver Oct 20th 1888

The Council met on Monday Oct.
ber 22nd 1888 at 7.30 p. m.
Present: His Worship, Mayor Oppen-
heimer, Aldermen Alexander, Brighouse,
Coldwell, Colard, Douglass, Han-
phrey, Lafore, McLennell and
Oppenheimer.

The minutes of last meeting were
read and adopted.

Communications
From Dr. Kimbark and others asking
for the improvement of DuPont Street
between Colard and Beattley avenues.
Referred to the Board of Works.

From W. S. Gore, Surveyor General ask-
ing for receipt of Communi-
cation re False Creek School.

Filed.

From Hanson Bros. asking for in-
formation regarding general law
By-Laws. Clerk instructed to reply.

Re Parks.
Park Committee

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The Park Commissioners met on
Saturday October 20th 1888 and had
to recommend the payment of the
following accounts:

James Hartney, Park Road. \$36.25
of Rich. H. Alexander
Acting Secretary

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moved by Alderman before seconded
by Alderman Goldwell

That the Report of the
Park Committee be adopted.

Finance

Carried.

No. 23

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The Finance Committee met on
Friday, October 19th 1888 and brought
report:-

1. That the last report of the Board of
wards recommending certain
wards has received consideration
from your Committee but in the
absence of a proper statement no
action has been taken until the City
Engineer furnishes a report showing
the amount of money expended in
each ward since the beginning of the
year and the contracts now under
way and the estimated cost of the
same.
2. That the City Engineer be instructed
to keep a Contract book for each ward
in which shall be entered all contracts
entered all contracts entered into by
the City since the beginning of the
year with the estimated cost of each
and whenever an estimate is passed
in favor of a contractor same shall
be entered in the Contract book.
3. That as the appropriation for the grad-
ing of the Park Road is exhausted we
recommend that the account of
James Hartney for \$893.90 be paid out
of Board of wards Contingent Fund.

The following accounts are recommended for payment:

Hudsons Bay Co.	\$31.75
S. H. Coomes.	3.00
A. P. Carey.	5.00.

sgd Rich^d. H. Alexander
Chairman

Moved by Alderman Humphries seconded by Alderman Bingham.

That clause 3 of the Finance Report be struck out.
Carried.

Moved by Alderman Hoopere seconded by Alderman Bingham.

That the report as amended be adapted.
Carried.

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Police

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The Police Committee met on Saturday October 20th 1888 and beg to recommend the payment of the following accounts:

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| W. A. Cunningham, Interpreter. | \$25.00 |
| F. V. Martin, groceries | 42.26 |
| Van Valdenburgh & Bros. | 19.25 |
| Low Murphy, Police clothes | 32.50 |
| J. Smith, Bread. | 32.52 |
| J. M. Stewart. | 12.75 |

We further recommend:

- 1 That the Chief of Police be instructed to order winter clothing for the Police Officers and furnish the new cells in the lockup with mattresses and blankets.
- 2 That John Macdonald and John Koch now employed by private citizens, as night watchmen be sworn in as Constables and paid \$5.00 per month

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each for their services
3 That the Police Board be in-
structed to forward to the Deputy
Attorney General the returns asked
for by the Provincial Government.

The contracts of hiring signed by the
Chief of Police and the other members
of the force were presented to this Board
and when approved of, were signed
by the Chairman.

Pd G. S. Macdonnell
Chairman

Moved by Alderman Baldwin seconded
by Alderman Douglass.

That the Report of the
Police Committee be adopted.

G. L. & L.

Carried.
No. 20

503 The Fire, Water and Light Committee
met on Thursday October 18th and
beg to recommend:

- 1 That the following accounts be paid.
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| Charles Nelson, Drugg. | \$25 ⁰⁰ |
| H. A. Berry & Co | 8 ⁰⁰ |
| G. V. Martin | 55 ⁰⁰ |
| Telephony Co. | 33 ⁰⁰ |
| Key Key & Creelman. | 74 ⁵⁰ |
| Electric Ml Co. | 192 ⁷⁵ |
| Lattersall's Stables | 15 ⁰⁰ |
| G. W. Park; | 3 ⁰⁰ |
| H. L. Leonard & Co. | 43 ⁰⁰ |
| Vancouver City Boundary | 22 ⁸⁰ |
| Heamy & Kyle. | 994 ⁵⁰ |
| E. S. Scoullar & Co | 18 ⁵⁰ |

John McAllister
Chas. M. Dowling
James Moran.

\$2,35
875
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2 That the police officers in their report on the electric lights be hereafter required to state the locality in which the lights are out.

Sgd J. Humphreys
Chairman

Seconded by Alderman McCormell seconded by Alderman Coldwell.

That the report of the Fire, Water and Light Committee be adopted.

Carried.

504 birds.

No. 36

The Board of birds met on Friday October 19th 1888 and beg to recommend:-

- 1 That if Mr. Vernon will grant the bid an equivalent for the closing of Forbes Street and be answerable for all claims for damages by property owners on said street that the prayer of this petition be granted.
- 2 That Mr. Wilgus be permitted to lay a crossing over Georgia Street provided he lays same to grade.
- 3 That the City Engineer be instructed to put down a crossing on Thurlow Street.
- 4 That the City Engineer be instructed to report upon the petition of the

- 745
- 5 That tenders be called for the fencing of the school house lot, the erection of a tin clout, and a woodshed the furnishing of the requisite number of desks and the funding of a well and placing of a pump therein.
 - 6 That a ten foot sidewalk be constructed on Granville Street from the Hotel Vancouver sidewalk to Robson Street if the Finance Committee will grant the funds and if they fail to do so that Mr. Power's offer to advance the money be accepted and refunded to him at some future time.
 - 7 That the petition of A. Holman and others for the construction of a sidewalk on Howe Street be laid over for further consideration.
 - 8 That tenders be called for the grading, clearing and burning of Campbell Avenue.
 - 9 That the petition of A. T. Mc Nab to erect a Carriage Factory on Hastings Street be referred to the City Solicitor and if no objection is urged that permission be granted to him.
 - 10 That we consider the action of the Council dilatory in regard to Mr. Clark's offer and the Athletic Park and beg again to call their attention to the offer and to act upon it.
 - 11 That Dupont Street be filled to grade and blanked from Carrall

Street to Columbia Avenue at a cost
not to exceed \$500⁰⁰

The following tenders were opened
and read:

Richard Street Sidewalk
Thomson and Ellison
Six foot Sidewalks per ft. 26 cts
D. Macalister
Six ft Sidewalks per ft. 23 cts
3 ft 5.75

Burrard Street Sidewalk from Georgia Street
Thomson and Ellison.
Three ft Sidewalk per sq ft. 6.50
D. Macalister
Three ft sidewalk per sq ft. 6.00
H. Comacher.
Furnishing all material per sq ft. 16.75

Howley & Drake Streets.
Thomson and Ellison.
Sidewalks per sq ft. 6.50
D. Macalister
Sidewalks per sq ft. 5.25

Hastings Street Avenue.
Thomson and Ellison.
3 ft Sidewalks per sq ft. 6.00
D. Macalister
3 ft Sidewalks per sq ft. 6.00
H. Comacher,

Sidewalks Complete per sq ft. 16.00
Hastings Street Filling
per ft. 7.15
Boyd & C.
Box drains per sq ft. 16.00

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A. Dundas
Filling per ft. \$2.13

H. McDonald
Filling per ft. \$1.02
Box Culverts per ft. 17.00

J. J. Tierney
Filling per ft. \$1.35
Pland " " 17.50

Cambie Street.

H. McDonald
Grading per ft. 90 cts
Pland " " 17.00

A. Dundas
Grading per ft. \$1.12
Pland " " 18.00

H. Connacher.

Grading per ft. 97 cts
Lumber " " 17.00

J. J. Tierney.

Grading per ft. \$1.00
Lumber per ft. 17.50

Grading Lamin Pland 11, 541

H. McDonald.

Grading per ft. 28 cts
Box Culverts per ft. 17.00

J. J. Tierney.

Grading per ft. 16 cts
Lumber " " 17.50

H. Connacher.

Grading per ft. 34 cts
Lumber " " 17.00

Lanes in Block 5, 196,

H. McDonald,
Grading per ft. 26 cts-
Culverts " " 17⁰⁰

McKell and Wade,
Grading per ft. 58 cts.

J. J. Tierney,
Grading North and South lanes per ft. 37 cts
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H. Comacher,
Grading per ft. 23 cts-
Box Culverts " " 17⁰⁰

Lane in Block 56, 196

A. Bunker,
Grading per ft. 59 cts-
Culverts " " 18⁰⁰

Boyd & Lundberg,
Grading per ft. 34 cts

H. McDonald,
Grading per ft. 70 cts,
Culverts " " 17⁰⁰

Low Tierney,
Grading per ft. 58 cts

H. Comacher
Grading per ft. 39 cts
Culverts " " 17⁰⁰

Lane in Block 57, 196,
H. McDonald,
Grading per ft. 27 cts
Culverts " " 17⁰⁰

McKell and Wade,
Grading per ft. 58 cts

Low Tierney,
Grading per ft. 22 cts
Culverts " " 17⁵⁰

H. Comstock.

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Grading per ft. 33 cts.
Lumber " " 17 09

He recommended that the tender
be awarded as follows:-

Wm. Lerner, for lanes in Block
11 and 37.

H. Comstock for lanes in Block
5 and 66.

H. McDonald for Cambria and
Hastings Streets.

D. McAlister for Westminster Av.,
Burton, Corby, Dodge and
Hobart Street Sidewalks.

The following accounts are recom-
mended for payment:

- ✓ Panboldenburgh & Co., Park Road #116⁵⁶
 - ✓ Mallandaine & Sanson, Com^{rs} on School, 15⁶⁵
 - ✓ do do do do do do 18⁰⁰
 - ✓ James Stanford 1st payment on New Que. 170⁰⁰
 - ✓ do do 2nd do do do do 950⁰⁰
 - ✓ James Bartney, Nelson St. 228⁴⁰
 - ✓ James Bartney, Park Road Sec 6. 404.79.
 - ✓ McDonald & Co. Powder St. 323.77
 - ✓ Stephenson & McCreary, Georgia St. 1341.98
- J. H. Caldwell
Clerk

Moved by Alderman before seconded,
by Alderman McLonnell.

That the report of the
Board of wards be adopted with
the exception of clauses awarding the
Contracts for Hastings Street and Hobart
Street Sidewalk which will be laid out
for one week.
Carried.

Introduction of By-Laws.

Alderman Alexander introduced a By-Law to raise money by way of Re-ventures for the purchase of a lot of pie like in a central location which was read a first time.

Consideration of By-Laws.

Moved by Alderman Clard Seconded by Alderman Lefevre.

That the said By-Law be numbered 70 and read a third time.

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Lefevre seconded by Alderman McConnell.

That the By-Law be signed sealed and gazetted.

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Lefevre seconded by Alderman McConnell.

That the Street Railway By-Law be read a second time

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Alexander.

That the amendments to the liquor By-Law be read a second time

Carried.

Notice of Motion

Alderman Humphries gave notice that he would introduce

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a By-Law to amend the Fire Law
By-Law permitting the erection of
Corrugated Iron buildings within
the Fire Limits as allowed in other
cities.

The Council then adjourned.

J. Oppenheimer
Mayor

Thos. S. Melvin
City Clerk