

Vancouver Aug 13th 1886

A Meeting of the Council was held on Friday August 13th 1886 at 7.30 P.M.
 Present His Worship the Mayor presiding Aldermen Balfour, Gordon, Dunn, Griffith, Humphries, E.P. Hamilton, L.A. Hamilton and Northcott.
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and adopted.

187 A Telegram was read from the Chief Comr of Lands & Works appointing 11 A.M. Monday as the hour for receiving deputation from Vancouver.

188 A petition signed by F. B. McDonald and others was read praying for the prevention of the building of a slaughter house on the South side of False Creek.
 The Clerk was instructed to inform the Chief of Police to take immediate steps in the matter.

The Following Accounts were received

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Pioneer Lumber Co	27	56	F. W. L.
Pleace & Co.	2	62	" " "
Carpenter Work	15	50	" " "
Munro Miller	75	00	Finance

Reports.

The Following Reports were read,

The Board of Police Commissioners met on Tuesday August 10th 1886

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and have examined the following accounts referred to this Board by the Council which we found to be correct-

Joseph Huntly, Keep of Prisoners	\$ 216. 50
Message " to Dr. Jew	25
Grant & Atwell Goods	16. 50
E. S. Scoullas, Buckle and cap	1. 12
Wm Thornby, Parting Shorty	5. 00
Total	239. 37

and we ask the Council to place that amount to our credit in order to pay the said amount and also fifty dollars extra for use of Chief of Police as an emergency fund making in all 289.37

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In the matter of jail accommodation we have taken no action in the matter pending the success of the Committee appointed to raise funds.

Moved by Alderman Northcott seconded by Alderman Humphreys that the report of the Police Commissioners be adopted as a whole, Carried.

The Fire Water and Light Committee met on Thursday August 10 at 8 o'clock P.M. and submit the following report:

We have received the following accounts which after being satisfied as to their correctness we recommend to be paid.

Wm Anderson	1. 25
Plence & Co	6. 75
J. W. Palmer	10. 00
Thos Phillips	1. 25

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Berry & Rushford	\$ 25.00
The Dunes Co	85.05
Templeton & Co	1.50

190 In order to have everything in readiness in case of sudden fire we would recommend to the Council the advisability of placing two tanks on each wharf in the City capable of holding 700 gal each of fresh water for the use of the engine; and coal bins containing half a ton each of coal at every fresh water tank such bins to be supplied with a lock and key.

191 It would also be advisable to furnish the firemen with one or more hand carts with barrels attached to them in case of the fresh water supply giving out such deficiency could be more readily supplied.

L. R. Northcott
Chairman

Moved by Alderman E. P. Hamilton seconded by Alderman Balfour that the Report of the Fire Water and Light-Committee be adopted as a whole.
Carried.

192 Moved by Alderman L. A. Hamilton seconded by Alderman Dams that the Special Committee appointed to negotiate a loan for ordinary expenditure for the current year of \$8000.00 be empowered to borrow the same from a Chartered Bank, Corporation, Firm or Private Individual

And that they be authorized to negotiate for a further loan of \$500 pending the issue of debentures for the Water Street Improvement
Carried.

Moved by Alderman Balfour seconded by Alderman Humphries that the City By-Law be read a second time and that the reading of the title be considered as the reading of the whole bill,
Carried.

The By-Law was read a second time after which the Council went into Committee of the whole with Alderman Dunn in the Chair.

In Committee the By-Law was named By-Law No 8 and read over clause by clause after which the Committee rose to report - the By-Law was amended.

On motion of Alderman Balfour seconded by Alderman Northcott By-Law No 8 was read a third time and passed.

Moved by Alderman E. P. Hamilton seconded by Alderman Balfour that By-Law No 8 be engrossed signed and sealed by the Mayor and Clerk and a copy sent to the B. C. Gazette for publication
Carried.

The Council then adjourned.

M. A. MacRear
Mayor

Thos. J. McGowan
City Clerk.

The Council
23rd 1886
present:
The Mayor
and Aldermen

The following
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John H. [unclear]
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