

Vancouver Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 1886  
 The Council met on Monday November  
 1<sup>st</sup> 1886 at 7.30. P.M.

Present His Worship the Mayor (pre-  
 siding) Alderman Balfour Cordner  
 Dunn Humphries E. P. Hamilton  
 and H. A. Hamilton

The minutes of last meeting were read  
 and adopted.

### Communications

96 Communications was read from A. J.  
 Bradley Secretary of the Minister of  
 Railways acknowledging the receipt of  
 letter from City Clerk re False Arches  
~~was~~ Filed

97 From W. D. Le Senr Assistant Secretary  
 of the Post-Office Department - acknow-  
 ledging receipt of petition and resolution  
 of Council, Filed.

From Davie and Pooley claiming \$5000  
 damages for injuries received by Mr  
 Fennell in falling over wharf on  
 Water Street.

Moved by Alderman

98 H. A. Hamilton seconded by Alderman  
 E. P. Hamilton that Mr J. J. Beare  
 be authorized to act for the City re  
 communication of Messrs Davie and  
 Pooley and report to Council the proper  
 action to pursue. Carried.

From R. G. Lathow re drain on Westminster  
 Avenue referred to the Board of Works.

From H. R. Ceperley offering to insure

City Hall at 2 per centum referred  
to Finance Committee.

Accounts	\$	c	
Moody Saw Mill Coy. Lumber	119,06		B & W
" " " " "	14,82		" " "
" " " " "	10,70		" " "
" " " " "	10,12		" " "
Allen McLean building frame	41,00		" " "
Vancouver Herald printing	61,50		Finance
F. W. Mitchell, hauling overboard	1,00		P. Com
Judge Gray, Revision of Laws	135		Finance
George F. Baldwin	20,00		"
Thos. J. McFerguson	20,00		"
J. B. Thornton foods for hospital	8,45		B & W
G. B. Wright Wood	3,00		" " "
J. M. Leare Tables	1,70		" " "
Abrams & Co foods	119,03		" " "
Erwin Hughes Washing	2,00		" " "
Frank and Artell Blankets	5,00		" " "
G. B. Wright Bread	3,96		" " "
McLennan & McFeely Stonework	19,00		P. Com
Jacob Sehl Furniture for hospital	20,00		B & W
Hair & Moller Sausage etc.	6,75		" " "
" " " Tea Kettle	2,85		" " "
" " " Ashes	1,20		" " "
Templeton & Wothcott Flour etc.	32,40		" " "
" " " Coal Oil	8,75		P. Com
" " " grease etc.	11,35		F. W. L.
Geo Barnes Seaming	1,25		B & W
W. B. McLaughall printing	3,58		Finance
A. C. Perry Stationery	18,35		"
D. A. Benson Locks	4,50		F. W. L.
S. J. Kelley Stationery	30,85		Finance
" " " "	3,55		"
Geo. W. Gibson, Caring materials	24,00		B & W

2.80

Robert Mathison, Junr  
10.25. Finance

Reports

The Fire Water and Light Committee met on Saturday Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1886 at 7.30 P.M.

The following accounts we recommend to be paid.

Berry and Rutherford	1.00
J. Damasco	24.30 <sup>rs</sup>
Palmer Bros	1.00
Chas. M. Hawley	4.00 <sup>rs</sup>

The communication of Sait and Co referred to this Board was considered and we would recommend that they be allowed to erect a building for a carriage house on rear of Fire Hall Lot, 25 foot frontage on Lane by 50 feet back and that they be charged a monthly rental of 12<sup>00</sup> and have the buildings removed subject to one weeks notice on the part of the Corporation.

280 It would also be advisable for the City to furnish the material for a small dwelling to be erected by the Fire Engineer on the East side of Fire Hall and a small room partitioned off rear end of Fire Hall for an ante room so that it can be rented for Lodge purposes and that the Fire Department be granted all monies accruing from said rents and we ask the Council to empower this Committee to rent the hall to such parties as we may consider proper.

This Committee considered

the instructions of the Council re purchase of furniture for Freeman's Hall and would ask for one week's extension of time in order to consult with the Chief of the Fire Department as to requirements.

We would also ask to be empowered to purchase 40 linear feet of angle iron for tracks for engine and hose reels.

sgd. Tho<sup>s</sup> Dunn

for Chairman

Moved by Alderman L. A. Hamilton seconded by Alderman Humphries

That the Report of the Fire Water and Light Committee be adopted as a whole and that they be authorized to purchase material for the erection of a building for the fire engine and a cart - not to exceed one hundred dollars, said building to be erected under the supervision of the Fire Water and Light Committee.

Carried.

### Report of Police Commissioners

The Board of Police Commissioners met on Wednesday October 20<sup>th</sup> 1886 at 2 P. M.

The following accounts were examined by the Board and found correct:

J. M. Stewart, Boarding prisoners	\$ 0
"    "    "    in August	98.00
"    "    "    Boarding prisoners	
"    "    "    in September	73.00
F. A. Mack & Co, Stone for City Prison	25.00
Total	\$ 196.00

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We ask the Council to place that amount to the credit of the Board to satisfy the above claims

Wm. A. MacLean

Chairman

Moved by Alderman L. A. Hamilton seconded by Alderman Humphreys

That the Police Commissioners be requested to bring before the Council a return list for City Prisoners

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Balfour seconded by Alderman Dunn

That the Report of the Police Commissioners be adopted as a whole

Carried.

### Petitions

A petition was read from the property owners on Abbott Street praying the Council to pass a By-law for the improvement of said Street.

Referred to the Board of Works.

### Motions

Moved by Alderman Balfour seconded by Alderman Dunn.

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24<sup>th</sup> That the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to communicate with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company asking them if they will entertain an offer of exemption from taxation on their workshops, sparks, pound-houses etc provided that said workshops, pound houses etc be erected on the north side of False Creek

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Cordner seconded by Alderman Humphries That the Finance Committee be empowered to buy furniture to furnish the City Offices Carried.

By-Laws.

The Council went into Committee of the whole on a By-Law to authorize the issue of \$6300 debentures for the improvement of Gordon Street with Alderman T. A. Hamilton in the Chair.

In Committee the By-Law was numbered 17 and read over Clause by Clause after which the Committee rose to report the By-Law as amended in Committee.

Moved by Alderman T. A. Hamilton seconded by Alderman Dunn That By-Law No 17 be now read a third time Carried.

Moved by Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman Balfour That By-Law No 17 be engrossed signed and sealed by the Mayor and Clerk and a copy sent to the British Columbia Gazette for publication. Carried.

Moved by Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman Humphries That the Council now adjourn to meet on next Monday on the usual hour in New City Hall on Powell Street Carried.

M. A. McKean

W. J. McDuffie  
City Clerk

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