

Vancouver August 7<sup>th</sup> 1893.

The Council met on Monday August 7<sup>th</sup> 1893.

Present: His Worship, the Mayor and Aldermen Sal-  
bury, Anderson, Collins, Theod. B. Caspell, McCreary,  
Hobson, Franklin, Brown and Fowler.

The Minutes of last meeting, were read and adopted.

### Communications

From D. G. Marshall, Secretary of the Law Society  
enclosing a resolution passed by that body re the  
appointment of a Supreme Court Judge from the  
East.

Moved by Alderman Franklin

Seconded by " Caspell.

That the communication be referred  
back to the Society.

Carried

From Philip Swedia, asking that all the rocks, and  
thistles be cut down and burnt.

Referred to the Street Inspectors.

From the City Clerk enclosing the names of all em-  
ployes on departmental work.

Filed.

From Low Seidelman, asking that the Columbia Brewery  
be ordered to remove their throughs off the streets.

Referred to the Board of Works.

From G. E. Farrer re the setting out of fires in 1885

Filed.

From C. G. Frazier asking to be allowed to submit  
an estimate of the cost of a suspended bridge  
across the narrows.

Referred to the S. L. C. Committee

The following reports were received and read  
 Special Report on Street Watering.

Mayor & Council.

Your Special Committee re Street Watering  
 beg to report, as follows:

They have put on temporarily the team from  
 Fire Hall No 2 on the Sprinkler owned by the City  
 and have engaged another team & Sprinkler.  
 If the Council decides to keep the fire team at  
 such work for the balance of the dry season it will  
 only be necessary to provide funds for one team  
 which would amount to say \$400.00 or  
 which would recommend be placed to the credit  
 of the Board of Works for Street Sprinkling purposes.

We would recommend that this work be  
 done in future at the cost of the owners on any streets  
 watered.

Byd H.P. McCannery  
 " J.H. Franklin

Moved by Alderman Anderson.

Seconded by "

Brown.

That the Report be adopted  
 Carried

### Health Committee

The Health Committee met on Tuesday August 1<sup>st</sup>  
 1893.

Present: Aldermen Collins, Fowler & Corfill.

It was recommended:-

1 That the following accounts be paid:-

A. H. Stuart, Engrossing,	\$5.00
W. J. Mayrman, Inquests,	10.00
Chas. Rae, Work at Cemetery	50.00
D. M. Rae, Labor at Hospital etc.	42.35

2 That H. J. Empey be appointed Night Porter at the  
 hospital in place of Mr Evans resigned, at a  
 salary of \$15.00 a month dating from the time  
 he was set to work by the Mayor.

3 That three plans be prepared for venting the  
 sewers and that they be submitted to the

Sanitary and Engineering news of New York from which to select the most appropriate.

Sgd. Henry Collins  
Chairman.

Moved by Alderman Franklin  
Seconded by " Brown.

That the Report be adopted.  
Carried

F. W. H. Committee.

The F. W. H. Committee met on Wednesday August 2<sup>nd</sup> 1893

Present Aldermen Franklin, Mack & Hargill,  
It was recommended:-

1 That the Whiston be appointed Foreman at No 5 Fire Hall at a salary of \$60.00 a month, and that the Foreman at No 1 Fire Hall be in future paid \$60.00 a month,

2 That tenders be called for fifty tons of Cook Iron pipe.

3 That G. L. Allan be awarded the contract for supplying the firemen with the Granby Shork Gum boots at \$3.25 a pair; that the Gutta Sercha & Rubber Mfg Co be awarded the contract for rubber coats at \$3.99 each and also the contract for one thousand feet of Walker Cross hose at \$1.10 a foot with 15% off for cash.

4 That the following accounts be paid:-

John Currell. filing saws.	\$ 1.00
J. McDougal Supplies	9.00
O'Rourke & Jervis "	2.00
Vaucluse Ry & Co "	5.00
W. Thurston & Son "	1.10
G. H. Dayley Horse Shoeing	12.00
Hammie & Campbell. Filing	96.80
Mack & Hall. Supplies	3.00
B. F. Henry "	46.40
W. Crumney "	70.45
Silley & Son "	3.50
Creamer & Langley "	184.79
Hastings Saw Mill "	12.57

P. W. Clark	Supplies	\$ 1.00
Green Dr.	Accts	5.00
B. C. Iron Works	Supplies	604.00
W. Hooper et al	Labors	313.00
	sgd J. L. Franklin	
	Chairman	

Moved by Alderman Salisbury  
 Seconded by " Franklin  
 That the Report be adopted  
 Carried.

### Finance Committee

The Finance Committee met on Friday August 4th 1893.

Present: Aldermen Anderson, Collins, Cargill and Hobson.

It was recommended:-

- 1 That the Rev W. G. F. Clinton et al, who applied for an extension of time for paying <sup>dues</sup> taxes, be informed that the City Solicitor is of the opinion that the time cannot be legally extended for any particular citizen to the exclusion of others.
- 2 That the lease of the G. M. C. building for library purposes be not signed by the Corporation as we consider that it is the province of the Library Board to make a lease themselves.

- 3 That the following accounts be paid:-
 

S. J. Tilley Son,	Stationery	\$ 10.25
News Advertiser	ads.	18.60
J. Miller.	Supplies	5.00
The World P. Co.	ads.	23.85

sgd R. A. Anderson  
Chairman

Moved by Alderman Fowler  
 Seconded by " Hackett.  
 That the Report be adopted  
 Carried

Board of Works.

The Board of Works met on Thursday the 3rd day of August 1875.

Present Aldermen McLannan, Hoare, St. Paulin and Brown.

It was recommended:-

- 1 That A. Colvin be permitted to put down a dressed side wall on Small Alexander St. in front of his premises and put in an iron grating 2 x 3 on Alexander St. subject to the satisfaction of the City Engineer
- 2 That the communication from Messrs Boyd & Lan. claiming extras for delay on the sewers be referred to the City Engineer to investigate
- 3 That a stumping machine be purchased for \$35.00
- 4 That the Street Inspector be instructed to fix the entrance to the lane in Block 60, Subdivision 196, so as to give Mr Muller and other residents access to their premises.
- 5 That the plans submitted by Messrs W. Darby & Co. Contractors for the new Thomson Block on Hastings St. (Block 24. 541) be approved subject to the necessary copies of same being deposited in the City Engineer's office
- 6 That the claims for delay on the sewers sent in by Mr. Marrie & Co and others be referred to a Court of Arbitration since Mr B. C. Pottery & Terra Cotta Co have signified their willingness to have their matter referred to arbitration, the time to be fixed at a later date.
- 7 That the lease for the bathing sheds be approved.
- 8 That the following contracts be awarded:-  
Robson St. grading. A. Dalziel & Co. \$119.00
- 9 That the following accounts be paid:-  
S. J. Tilley & Son. Stationery \$22.10  
Marshall & Metcal " " 8.25

Thos. Cutler, crushed rock (delivered)		\$ 335.32
W. H. Kendall " "		1495.88
E. Clough	Express hire.	2.50
H. J. Adams.	Prince Ed St.	11.70
McPherson & McKeely.	Supplies	57.55
Market Hardware Store	"	12.00
Van Elm St. Ry. Co.	"	5.00
D. McPherson	St. James St.	6035.77
Boyd & Lawrence	Sec 6. Sewer	3616.73
J. J. Jackson	" 10 "	116.96
H. J. Adams.	5 <sup>th</sup> av.	32.70
Thomas Stal,	Labor.	507.05
	sgt H. P. McCraney	
	Chairman	

The Report was adopted on motion of Alderman Fowler seconded by Alderman Franklin.

### Introduction of By-laws.

Moved by Alderman Fowler

Seconded by " Hobson.

That the amendments to the Municipal By-law be read a first time.

Carried

Moved by Alderman Fowler.

Seconded by " Collins.

That the By-law to raise by way of debentures the sum of \$382,947.00 for the purchase of the property plants and assets of the Vancouver Electric Railway & Light Co be read a first time.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Brown.

Seconded by Ald Hobson.

That the By-law be read six months hence.

Amendment Carried.

## Motions

Moved by Alderman Fowler  
 Seconded by " Brown.

That the Council By-law amendments  
 be published once,

Carried

## Notice of Motion

Alderman Franklin gave notice that at next meeting of Council he would introduce a By-law to amend the electric wiring By-law.

Alderman Fowler gave notice that at next meeting of Council he would introduce a motion concerning the employment of citizens of Vancouver on departmental work.

The Council then adjourned  
 R. L. Anderson  
 Chairman

J. S. McLaughlin  
 City Clerk