

Vancouver March 8th 1894.

The Council met on Thursday March 8th 1894 at 11.30 P.M.
Present His Worship, the Mayor and full board of Aldermen,
also Mr Alexander Robinson, Principal of the High School
and the Rev Messrs McKean and Duff.

The meeting was called specially to consider request the
Government to amend the School Act to permit High
Schools being incorporated and to get the Provincial
University located in this City.

Moved by Alderman Salisbury
Seconded by " Zimm.

Whereas there is a movement on foot to
secure the incorporation of the High School of the
Province with, a view to this being affiliated with
some of the Universities of the Dominion

And whereas it is desirable that this should
be affiliated with a Provincial University,

And whereas an Act has been passed which
has not yet been put in force creating such a
Provincial University,

And whereas Vancouver is most generally
studied for being and on many grounds has the
strongest claims to be made the seat of the Provincial
University

The City Council unanimously request the
Government to amend the University Act,

- 1) By locating the University in this City and
- 2) By providing that it shall be at first an
examining and degree conferring body and to
provide the necessary funds for same.

Carried.

Moved by Alderman C. Brown.

Seconded by " McDowell.

That the Vancouver City Council
request the Government to amend the School Act
in such a way as to permit of the High School
of the Province being incorporated and when
any High School shall have attained such a
standard of equipment as shall enable it to
secure affiliation with one of the Universities
of the Dominion entitling such School to an annual
grant of \$2500⁰⁰ to be expended in providing such

such additions to its teaching staff as shall ensure its
 being able to overtake the work of at least the first two
 years in the Faculty of Arts; that a deputation consist-
 ing of the Mayor and Alderman Salisbury be appointed
 to wait upon the Government and press this matter
 upon their attention and that the City's representa-
 tives in the Legislature be furnished with the copies of
 this resolution and asked to use their influence
 to secure the passage of the legislation asked for.
 Carried.

The Council then adjourned,

R. Anderson
 Mayor

Thos. P. McQuinn
 City Clerk