

Mayor Authorized to Sign Light Bill - November 28, 1895

Council empowered the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the ten year contract with the Western Electric Light Heat and Power Company Ltd Liability - except Alderman Shaw, who "voted nay on account of no tenders having been called".

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The Council met on Thursday November 28th at 9 A.M.

Present – His Worship, the Mayor and Alderman Shaw, Coupland, Queen, Gallagher, Clandenning, Brown, Sanders, Bethune and McDonald

Moved by Alderman Brown

Seconded by “ Clandenning

That the Council go into Committee of the Whole for the reconsideration of the Electric Lights By-Law and Agreement.

Carried.

Alderman Brown was appointed Chairman

After reconsidering the By-Law and Agreement in Committee of the Whole, it was moved by Alderman Bethune that the Committee rise and report the By-Law and Agreement complete with amendments.

Moved by Alderman Brown

Seconded by “ Bethune.

That the By-Law as read and approved by the Committee of the Whole be reconsidered and read a 3rd time and finally passed.

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a 3rd time.

Moved by Alderman Brown

Seconded by “ Clandenning

That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to sign the agreement between the City of Vancouver and the Western Electric Light Heat and Power Company Ltd Liability as approved and affix the Corporate Seal thereto.

Carried.

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Alderman Shaw voted nay on account of no tenders having been called.

Moved by Alderman Brown.

Seconded by " Queen.

That John Brenton be appointed to take care of the Market Hall until the Council decides as to what is to be done in regard to the Market and that his remuneration be fixed at \$2.00 per day. Carried

The Council then adjourned.

Thos F. McGuigan
City Clerk

Henry Collins
Mayor