

Vancouver, May 14, 1900

The Council met on Monday, May 14th, 1900  
 Present His Worship, the Mayor and  
 Aldermen Scott, Barber, Shaw, Foreman  
 McPhaiden Wood and Neelands.

The minutes of the last meeting were read  
 and adopted.

### Communications

From A. H. Talbot Secy Hull Relief  
 Committee acknowledging receipt of  
 cheque for \$1,475. Filed

From Merryweather & Sons enclosing  
 prices for new Fire Engines etc  
 Filed

From Spencer Robinson, asking for a  
 refund of Five Dollars fine for riding a  
 bicycle on sidewalk on Westminster Ave.  
 on the ground that the street is  
 impassible

Referred to the Finance Committee

From A. St. G. Hamersley, City Solicitor re  
 Sewer construction through private lanes  
 Referred to the Board of Works

From C. L. Hobson protesting <sup>against</sup> nine hour &  
 other clauses in Sewer Contracts  
 Laid over.

From Kip & Morden asking for new  
 sidewalks on North side of Princess  
 Street between Campbell & Raymur Ave.  
 Referred to Board of Works.

From J. W. F. Johnstone asking to have  
 lane in rear of his house, 1253 Davie Street  
 opened  
 Referred to Board of Works

From W. B. Ross complaining about  
 Police  
 Referred to Police Committee.

The following reports were received and  
 read

The Fire & Police Committee met on Tuesday, 8th May, 1900

Present the full Board with Aldermen Grant and Foreman.  
The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.  
The following accounts were passed for payment:

Armstrong & Morrison	13.18
B. C. Mills	58.25
Bradley Meat Co.	32.65
B. C. Elec. Ry. Co.	5.00
J. Dunn & Co.	72.74
City Grocery Co.	53.82
Robt Clark	4.50
W. A. Cumyow.	8.00
G. W. Dunlop & Co.	49.25
J. Dodson	19.20
J. Hach	7.50
G. W. Hutchings	7.25
Johnston Kerfoot	7.00
H. Kersey	7.50
F. A. Lee	5.25
R. G. Macpherson	3.00
A. McMurran	.50
McDowell & Co.	15.38
W. Purser	.25
C. J. Philips	6.23
R. V. Palmer	130.26
M. Rae	6.80
J. Storey	12.50
Smith & Son	.50
Thomson Stit. Co.	1.79.

Communications

From Deputy Attorney General, Victoria, re account of Stenographer Macbuzgie Urquhart, Regina vs. Brown stating that Department had nothing whatever to do with it.

From Poundkeeper with report for April  
Received and Filed

It was recommended that all special officers be provided with badges representing their duties and not as Vancouver Police

Badges to be called in and others supplied  
 Tenders for hose called for this meeting  
 The Gutta Percha and Rubber Mfg Co of  
 Toronto alone sent samples and prices of hose  
 Recommended the purchase of 1000 feet  
 of "Eureka" 3 ply at \$11.00 per foot  
 delivered here.

Recommended that the Chief of the Fire  
 Brigade purchase a waggon for lumber  
 manure etc.

Mr. Fewster interviewed the Committee  
 and was advised to write the full Council  
 on Monday next about his grievances.

The Board then adjourned.

Moved by Alderman Barber  
 Seconded " " Neelands  
 That the report be adopted as read.  
 Carried

The Water & Market Committee met on  
 Thursday May 10th. 1900

Present Aldermen Foreman McQueen  
 and Shew.

The minutes of the last meeting were read  
 and adopted.

The following accounts were recommended  
 for payment :-

B. C. Mills	23.04
Armstrong & Morrison	83.90
W. L. Fair	4.60
Thomson Star Co.	5.20
Boyd Burns	336.89
B. C. Portland Cement Co.	10.80
City Grocery Co.	123.72
R. C. Welby	13.50
Geo Robertson Co.	187.50
C. J. Philp	7.80
R. F. Palmer	44.09
Breden & Co	43.10
Cross Coleman & Evans	16.25

J. Dodson 4.25  
 Atkins & Johnson 4.00  
 Water Works Pay Roll 11 33.51  
 The Board then adjourned.

Moved by Alderman Foreman  
 Seconded " Shew  
 That the report be adopted as read  
 Carried

The Board of Works met on Thursday  
 at 10 p.m.  
 Present Aldermen Grant, Neelands,  
 Mr. Pleiden Foreman & Wood and His  
 Worship the Mayor.

The minutes of the previous meeting were  
 read and adopted.

Mr W. J. Dalton submitted revised plans  
 of Harvey Haddon Block which were  
 approved as changed.

Mr Jos. & Atkins appeared before the  
 Board re getting final settlement for  
 old crusher

It was moved by Alderman Foreman  
 that Mr Atkins be paid the sum of  
 \$500 on account, the balance to be paid  
 when repairs have been completed  
 Carried

It was moved by Alderman Neelands that  
 the Contractor for crushed rock be notified  
 to supply all the rock possible for City use  
 Carried

Communications

From Wm Turner protesting against sewer  
 being laid on the westerly side of Cambie Street  
 opposite Block 67.

To be left in the hands of the City Engineer  
 to move sewer to the other side of Street  
 from vacant lot.

From C. W. Pijper re sidewalk on Robson  
 Street and Sewers in West End Section  
 File, and to be referred to advertisement  
 in Daily Papers.

From H. J. Lockyer et al re condition of Burnaby St.  
 Referred to Engineer & Chairman

From G. F. Lefferty et al petitioning for sidewalk on South side of Lansdowne Ave from Westminster Ave to Scotia Street and for crossing on Westminster Avenue  
Referred to Engineer and Alderman Wood to examine and report.

From H. S. Moore complaining of electric light pole on Princess Street obstructing his view and requesting that same be moved out to proper line.  
File, being attended to.

From M. J. Kenney et al petitioning to have the lane between 8th & 9th Avenue opened for one Block east from Bridge Street.  
To be done by Chaingong in turn.

From E. Holson asking that Street be filled in between Bidwell and Denison on Davie Street.  
File, being attended to by Electric Railway Co.

From Henry Matters et al. re opening of Bidwell Street between Burraby and Davie and lane in Blk. 62, 185  
Referred to Engineer and Chairman to report.

From J. M. O'Sole asking for six foot sidewalk on the North Side of Pender from Corral Street West to the Western limit of Preston Property.

To be notified that City cannot build a sidewalk on private property and that private owners should arrange with the C. P. R. to make it a street.

From Parr and Fee applying on behalf of a Methodist Society for new sidewalk in front of Mission on Corral Street  
Referred to Engineer and Alderman Foreman to examine and report.

From C. S. Major re stumps etc piled on Lots 8 & 15, Blk. 63, 185  
Referred to Engineer and Chairman

From R. M. Foye requesting grade on  
Pendrell Street at Lot 18, Blk 60, 125  
File, already answered.

From the Manager B. C. Pottery Co. requesting that  
payment for sewer pipe delivered to the  
City be made to Evans Coleman & Evans.  
File account will be passed when  
certified to.

From Evans Coleman & Evans enclosing  
account for sewer pipe supplied for  
Nickson's contract and whom requesting  
payment for the same.  
Account will be paid when  
certified to.

Tenders in connection with the sewers  
in the West End and Mt. Pleasant  
were received from the following:-  
Dixon & Cook, Ironsides & Co.  
Boyd & Clendening, Nickson & Co.  
And for the supply of pipe for the  
same from:- Evans Coleman & Evans  
Boyd Burns & Co and the B. C. Pottery  
It was resolved that the tenders  
be referred to the City Engineer to report  
to a special meeting to be held on  
Saturday morning.

The following accounts were passed for  
payment:-

Pay Roll	2523.07
J. Dummer Co	1.35
Dunlop & Co	1.50
M <sup>c</sup> Donald & Co	334.37
J. Williams	712.17
Thomson, St. C.	7.65
Boyd Burns & Co	5.17
Evans Coleman & Evans	1.12
Geo. Hardy	1.50
Tyler Lumber Co	2.47
Western Cartage Co.	2.75
Royal City Mills	99.45

The Board then adjourned till 10  
o'clock on Saturday morning the 12  
th inst.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Works was held on Saturday at 10 a.m. the 12th of May, 1900

Present Aldermen Grant, Niclonds McPhaiden Foreman and Wood.

The City Engineer submitted tabulated statement of tenders for Mt. Pleasant and West End Sewer Section.

It was recommended that the tender of Messrs Dixon and Cook for the Mt. Pleasant and West End Section and of Messrs Evans Coleman & Evans for pipe be accepted.

The moving out of a sidewalk on 7th Ave between Westminster Ave and Quebec Street was left to the City Engineer and Alderman Wood.

The Engineer was instructed to notify Capt. Williams to carry out his contract for rock.

The meeting then adjourned.

Moved by Grant  
Seconded by McPhaiden

That the minutes of both meetings be adopted as read  
Council.

The Finance Committee met on Friday 11 May 1900 at 4 p.m.

Present Aldermen McQueen, Barber & Shaw and His Worship, the Mayor.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The following accounts were passed for payment.

Telephone Co.	41.25
J. A. Lee	5.00
J. Matthews	5.00
J. J. Hall	5.00
J. Wood	128.58

### Communications

From the Secy. of the School Board asking if it would be possible to get some of the City Law money previous to July.

City Clerk to write and ask the amount required and also the date.

The City Solicitor, he instructed to write to the Secy. of the School Board with respect to the titles of the properties held by them so that he may make a report thereon.

The City Solicitor reported re damage done by the storm on the 8th of March and advised settlement to be made as arranged by him as follows:-

- Jim and Tamara ~~\$ 200.00~~ 200.00
- Moss Jonas \$ 250.00
- J. Starke 47.95

The report was recommended to be adopted.

The Board then adjourned.

Moved by Alderman Barber

Seconded " " Wood

That the report be adopted as read Carried.

A special meeting of the Fire & Police Committee met on Monday, May 14, 1900

Present the full Board to hear certain charges against Officers Waddell and Preston by Walter Oppenheimer

After reading the correspondence it was moved by Alderman Barber that the Chief of Police suspend the accused Officers Waddell & Preston until further notice and take further steps necessary for their prosecution Carried

The meeting then adjourned

Moved by Alderman Wood

Seconded " " Shaw

That the report be adopted as read. Carried.

Moved by Alderman Foreman  
Seconded " " Barber

That C. E. Hobson's letter re sewer contracts be referred to the City Solicitor  
Carried

### Motions

Moved by Alderman Shaw  
Seconded " " Grant

That C. E. Hobson's letter be filed for reference, if necessary, when tenders for the balance of the sewers, included in By-Law, be called for.  
Carried

Moved by Alderman Grant  
Seconded " " Foreman

That in calling for tenders for Sewers in Ward 4 the date be extended to 2 p.m. May 25th.  
Carried

Moved by Alderman Grant  
Seconded " " Neelands

That Mr. Nutrie be requested to furnish the Council with a detailed statement of the value of the Barrett building which he appraised at \$160<sup>00</sup> giving amount of lumber in building, labor, etc.  
Carried

Moved by Alderman Grant  
Seconded " " Shaw

That figures of the different tenders re sewers be furnished for publication  
Carried

### Notice of Motion

Alderman McPhaiden gave notice of the following motion

"That the City employ a diver to go down and report if there are any boulders in front of the City Wharf at Healey Ave.

The Council then adjourned.

W. B. McPhaiden  
City Clerk

James J. Hardie  
Mayor