

Vancouver May 28th 1900.

The Council met on Monday, May 28th 1900.
 Present: His Worship, the Mayor and Aldermen Shaw
 Grant, Keelands, Mr. Shaiden, Mr. Guigan, Foreman
 Barber and Wood.

The Minutes of last meeting were read, and
 adopted.

Communications.

From Osborne Plunket et al asking for a Sidewalk
 on Bunde Street West of Jarvis St.
 Referred to the Board of Works.

From Ed Matheson et al asking for a sidewalk
 on Powell Street from Boundary to Vernon
 Street.
 Referred to the Board of Works.

From Hope, Gray & Co Stating that their build-
 ing on Lot No. 2, Block 2, 2004 Mountain Pleasant
 was seriously damaged through change of
 grade of the Street and the actions of Con-
 gressation was not made for said damaged.
 The City Clerk was instructed to write to them
 that their request would receive immediate at-
 tention.

From C. E. Shaw, City Clerk Revelstoke requesting
 that the City Engineer be granted leave of absence
 for the purpose of making a report on the plant
 of the Hotel, High and Lower Co.
 Moved by Alderman Mr. Shaiden
 Seconded by ^{Grant} that he be granted leave of absence
 from Friday to Tuesday carried.

From Miss M. M. Fraser, Treasurer of the Brit.
 Historical Association asking for the free
 use of the Market Hall for the evening of the
 4th of June for a lecture to be given by Miss
 Darchy on Australia a portion of the proceeds
 of such lecture to be devoted to purchase arms
 etc for Museum.

Moved by Alderman Mr. Shaiden
 Seconded by ^{Grant} that her request be granted.
 Lost.

From H. Harris asking for the balance due him for laying submerged main across the narrow.
 He was told that he would be paid when the main was thoroughly tested.

From D. Anderson stating asking for water on 7th at Fairview.

Moved by Alderman Pyeman.

Seconded by " Wood.

That the petition from residents on 7th & Alder St for a water supply be referred to the chairman and City Engineer with power to act. Carried.

From D. Anderson stating petition for a 3 ft wide side walk on Alder Street between 7th & 8th Ave.
 Referred to the Board of Works.

The following Reports were received and read: -

Fire and Police Committee.

The Fire and Police Committee met on Tuesday May 22nd 1900

Present: Aldermen Wood, Macpherson, Keelands and Das.

The following accounts were recommended for payment: -

W. H. Macpherson	\$ 3.45	
W. Keelands	153.00	
W. B. H. J. & Co	7.04	\$ 3.45
J. M. Stewart	4.35	153.00
Police	27.55	7.04
Hay & Co	1.10	4.35
R. C. Webber	3.50	27.55
Chapman & White	1.65	1.10
Thos. Drum & Co	12.29	

Communications

From W. D. Ross complaining of Police Officer's annoying him

Mr Ross also appeared and stated his case and was advised to take the matter into Court.

Mr. P. Hewitt wrote respecting his arrest and appeared before the Committee stating that he would accept \$3000 as compensation if the matter was settled amicably.

Filed

From the Secretary of the Ministerial Association
re boys smoking and sale of tobacco to minors
The Committee recommended that the
Police take the matter up and enforce the law.

From the City Solicitor re refund of bicycle fines
advising the City not to entertain the application
Police

A petition asking that 1240 Seymour Street, be
prevented from being rented as a Chinese laundry
was considered

It was recommended that the License
Inspector refuse to issue a license for the pre-
misses in question.

The Chief of the Fire Department was authorized
to obtain about 1500 feet of lumber to make
hand ball court for the Gymnasium at No 3 Hall.

The Chief of Police was authorized to obtain prices
for 27 new helmets and purchase same if possible
from a Canadian firm.

The City Clerk was instructed to write to the City
Solicitor and ask him if fines imposed for bicy-
cle riding on sidewalks can be appropriated and
used in the construction of sidewalks.

Sgd W. H. Wood
Chairman

Moved by Alderman Wood.

Seconded by
That the Report be adopted

Water and Market Committee

The Water and Market Committee met on Wednesday
May 23rd 1900

Present: Aldermen Foreman, De Queen and Dwyer.

It was resolved to place a hydrant at the corner of
Seymour and Nelson Streets.

The matter of placing hydrants on the corner of South
Avenue and Richmond Street, and the corner of Sec.
Play and Liberty Streets, as requested by the Chief of
the Fire Department, was referred to the City Engineer.

Communications

From H. Harris asking for payment of amount held
back on contract for laying submerged main
across the burrows.

Laid over until main is further tested.

From J. J. Healey, asking for water service on the
North Drive

Referred to the City Engineer to report.

It was resolved that the windows of the City Hall
upstairs be put in order so that the rooms can
be ventilated.

From W. A. Dunmore et al, asking for a 2" water
pipe on 8th Av from Bridge Street to Lot 6 East.

Referred to the City Engineer to report.

From Capt. Coles asking for water supply at City
wharf on Healey Av.

Referred to the City Solicitor to draw up an
agreement.

It was resolved to lay a larger pipe on Carolina
Street South of 10th Av.

It was resolved to lay a pipe on 2nd Av from
Arthur to Vine Street, and to connect with 3rd Av.

The following accounts were recommended for
payment:

D. H. Kline Co.
D. C. Bennett Co.
Thos. Dunn & Co

\$5.00
21.60
60.32

A. C. Mills & T. Co.
 Pacific Transfer Co.
 Boyd & Co.
 H. Lamer.
 Water Works Pay Roll.

\$ 2,42
 775
 3082.15 -
 7.00
 975.01

sgd C. F. Foreman
 Chairman

Moved by Alderman Foreman
 Seconded by " Wood.

That the Report be adopted
 Carried.

Board of Works.

The Board of Works met on Friday May 25th 1900
 Present: Aldermen Grant, DeLand and Foreman.

Communications

From C. S. W. Shipps offering to supply the City with
 lumber made by white labor only.
 To be asked where the mill is located and
 prices

From John Callahan re the opening of the Street on the
 South Side of Block 36, 34^A
 Street. To be made passable if building
 be started.

From August Yares requesting that Boulevard
 be filled in, in front of Lot 16, Block 83^A.
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Alderman Foreman to examine and report.

From H. P. Stone et al re opening and grading
 of Willow Street and 250 feet on 8th Avenue
 West of Willow Street.
 Chairman and Engineer to examine

From John Bradley re conditions of ditch in
 front of Lot 15, Block 300^A, S 26th Corner of
 7th Ave and Bridge Street.
 Ward Foreman to attend to

From D. J. McPhelan re heap of stumps in
 front of Lot 5, Block 108, 2nd, 34^A.
 Alderman Wood and Engineer
 examine and report.

From H. F. Lytle et al re foundation of sidewalk on the South Side of 11th Av between Columbia St and Ontario St, and petitioning for new and larger one.

Alderman Wood and Engineer to report.

From Parr and Bee on behalf of Harry Haddon asking for new sidewalk in front of new block on Homer Street.

Engineer to examine and report.

The following new work was ordered to be done
Sidewalk on Hobbs Street South Side between
Columbia and Cordova Streets
Sidewalk on Cordova Street between Richards
and Homer Streets.

Tenders for each end sewer section were received from,

- (1) Ironside & Co (2) Boyd & Planting
(3) Dixon & Co. & (4) J. Weston & Co. for labor and material as per specifications

D. C. Pottery Co and Evans, Colman & Evans for pipe

It was recommended that the tender of Messrs Dixon and Co. for labor and material as per specifications be accepted and that Messrs Evans, Colman and Evans be awarded the contract for sewer pipe.

It was decided to call for tenders for Septic Tanks to be in on June 7th and for Slaton Sewers to be in on May 31st 1900

sgd Robt Grant
Chairman

Moved by Alderman Grant

Seconded by " " W. P. Shiden

That the Report be adopted
Carried.

Motions.

Moved by Alderman Grant;
 Seconded by " MacPhaiden
 That the following account be
 paid:-
 Lindsay et al. Labor #3006.36
 Carried.

Moved by Alderman Barber.
 Seconded by " Shaw.
 That all accounts included in
 the Reports of the Fire & Police Commissioner
 and Water and Market Committee be paid
 Carried.

Moved by Alderman Barber.
 Seconded by " Ferguson.
 That this Council pass a singular
 resolution to the one received from G. A.
 Macdonald, Mayor of Toronto in respect
 to the Government's ownership of Telegraph
 and Telephone and to their being operated
 in connection with the postal system of
 Canada.
 Carried.

Consideration of By-Laws.

Moved by Alderman Grant,
 Seconded by " Shaw.
 That the By-Law to authorize the putting
 down and repairing of Sewers under Clanks in Ar.
 11th Ward by the City be read a second time
 Carried
 The By-Law was accordingly read a second
 time

Moved by Alderman Grant,
 Seconded by " Shaw
 That the Council go into Committee
 of the whole for its consideration with the
 Mayor in the Chair.
 Carried.

In Committee the By-Law was read over
 clause by clause and reported to the Council
 as complete with amendments.

The Rules were suspended and the By-Law

read a 2nd time on motion of Alderman Shaw
seconded by Alderman Grant.

The Council then adjourned

Wm. P. McQuinn
City Clerk

James F. Landon,
Mayor