

be invited to meet this Board at its regular meeting to discuss hospital matters <sup>next</sup>

The Board met again on Saturday January 23<sup>rd</sup> at 11 AM.

Present: Aldermen Methair, Parker, Macdonald and Goldwell.

The following tenders were awarded:

|                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| General Groceries | C. P. Roseman.   |
| Quads             | J. Dodson.       |
| Green Groceries   | H. S. Philp.     |
| Saw dust          | Green & Seacome. |

The drug tenders were again laid over for examination by Dr. Dryden Jack and J. H. Woodward.

Sgt D. Methair  
Chairman  
Moved by Alderman W. S. Macdonald  
Seconded by " Methair  
That the Report be adopted  
Carried

### Light Railway & Tramway Committee

The Light Railway and Tramway Committee met on Monday January 25<sup>th</sup>

Present: Aldermen Clarendon, Shaw, Macdonald, Brown and S. P. Macdonald.

Mr. Morrice, C. E. presented a report and plan showing the feasibility of constructing a railway from the coast to the Kootenay Country. After a thorough consideration it was resolved that the Council be asked to memorialize the Dominion Government to grant aid by way of subsidy for the construction of a railway from the Pacific coast to the Kootenay Country.

The Committee adjourned Saturday the 30<sup>th</sup> next at 7 P.M. to new locations where lights were asked for.

Sgt James Clarendon, Chairman  
Moved by Alderman Clarendon  
Seconded by Goldwell.  
That the Report be adopted. Carried



## Board of Wards.

The Board of Wards met on Thursday January 21<sup>st</sup> 1897.

Present Aldermen Shaw, Matheson, Melius, Goldwell and McDonald.

Mr. Westbrook asked permission to build an addition to a frame building in Cordova Street near Cambie Street within the "Fire Limit". Resolved that he be ordered to remove the second story added to building within one week as it is a contravention of the Fire Limit By-law.

Resolved that the officers in charge of the Chain Gang attend to the following work:-

- (1) Cut Brush Stryke St. Purraid to Granville both sides
- (2) " " Granville both sides where necessary.
- (3) " " Block 75, Sub St 41.
- (4) " " Hastings St. near Abbott St.
- (5) Grade 10 ft roadway on Broughton Street Start. mid at Beach Avenue as far as lane to give access to rear of Mr. Hartley's house.

Resolved that the sidewalk at the corner of Howe and Hastings Street at the new Hadden building be fixed the job to be given to J. D. Prasad under direction of the City Engineer.

Resolved that Mr. Illingworth be notified that the verandah at the building located by him on Hastings Street must be removed, the time given him having elapsed.

The City Engineer reported on the matter of the shops projecting on the lane at the Commercial Hotel. The plans having only been approved as to form, as they related to the requirements of the Fire Limit By-law, without any reference to the location of the building.

Resolved that the Ward Foreman be instructed to grade lane in Block 126, S.W. 764 ft east of Prince Edward Street between 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> Ave. from G. A. Rosdell, asking permission to

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put up a sign on Lambie Street opposite his  
boot bundry

Resolved that the Finance Committee be  
requested to place the sum of \$5.00 to the credit  
of the Board of Works for current expenses  
until the estimates are arranged.

The following accounts were recommended for  
payment:

|                        |                 |        |
|------------------------|-----------------|--------|
| Clarke & Stuart        | Supplies        | \$8.00 |
| J. Ralph               |                 | 3.68   |
| J. Watt & Co           | Seaton St:      | 186.75 |
| J. B. Mulls & Co       | 2nd Av.         | 21.20  |
| Evans, Coleman & Evans | Supplies        | 1.60   |
|                        | Sgt. H. P. Shaw |        |
|                        | Chairman        |        |

Moved by Alderman Shaw

Seconded by J. Oldrovel  
That the Report be adopted  
Carried

### Finance Committee

The Finance Committee met on Friday January  
29th 1897.

Present: Aldermen Mac Innes, Paivies, Claendering,  
Brown and McDonald.

The following accounts were recommended for  
payment:

|                  |           |         |
|------------------|-----------|---------|
| Clarke & Stuart  | Supplies  | \$22.24 |
| J. Devine        | Assessing | 60.75   |
| News, Advertiser | Supplies  | 74.00   |
| H. Kersey,       | Labour    | 2.00    |

Resolved that the Poll Tax collector be sustained  
in any proper action he may take towards the  
Collection of the Poll Tax.

### Communications

From the Board of Works and the Payst.  
Commissioners asking for \$5.00 and \$5.00  
respectively to carry on needed works until  
the estimates are compiled. Request granted.