

San Council June 7th 1886
 The Council met in the usual place on Monday
 June 7th 1886,
 Present His Worship the Mayor and all
 the Aldermen.

Minutes of last meeting read and
 adopted.

Communications

77 From John D. Howard, Sibley Manufacturing
 Co., Cutler, Peche Rubber Company and
 Noah L. Piper and Sons, ^{City Club, Ottawa re the public houses} all referred to the
 Fire, Water and Light Committee.

78 Communication from Dr. Theobald
 re voter's list, no action taken.

79 Communication from W. L. Mozley
 asking permission to leave his Barber Shop
 on the Street for a month, no action taken.

80 Petition from Charles Burns asking permission
 to erect Booth on Dighton Hotel corner
 referred to the Board of Works, for the sale of
 refreshments on the first of July.

81 It was moved by Alderman Deane second
 ed by Alderman Hamilton that the Board of
 Works deal with all matters in regard to street
 for refreshment stands on the first of July
 and regulate charges for same, Carried.

82 Communication from Joseph
 Hamisty, provincial jailer, drawing
 attention to the prisoners in the city jail
 and presenting account for board of said
 prisoners for the month of May.

83 Moved by Alderman H. A.
 Hamilton seconded by Alderman Keith
 that the scale of charges viz 50^{cts} per diem
 as suggested by the Provincial Jailer
 be agreed to. That the account - be

transferred to the Board of Police Commissioners to vouch for the correctness of the same, and if correct that the City Clerk communicate with the proper authorities the decision arrived at. But pray the Government owing to the present state of the City's finances that the cost of maintenance should be allowed to stand over until the close of the next financial year.

Carried,

Reports &

84 - Board of Health and Board of Works read and adopted;

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27 Moved by Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman Goldwell that permission be granted to the Royal City Planning Mills Company to lay the water pipe as recommended by the Board of Works subject to the following conditions

(1) That in the event of the City acquiring at any time the control of a system of water works within the City that such permit may be cancelled on giving said Company six months notice to that effect,

(2) Or that this Corporation may acquire said water pipe and plant by purchase at a price mutually agreed upon or in the event of failing to agree that the price be fixed by arbitration

3. That such permission shall not be given for a longer time than five years. Carried

Petitions

86 From property owners on Water Street between Cambie and Carroll, praying ^{that a By-law} be passed and debentures issued for the improvement of said Street.

Moved by Alderman C. P. Hamilton seconded by Alderman Coldwell that the petition of property owners on Water Street be received and referred to the Board of Works.
Carried

By-laws.

87 A By-law to provide for the Assessment of property to be benefited by local improvements was read for the second and third time and passed.

Moved by Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman C. P. Hamilton that By-law be engrossed signed and sealed by the Mayor and Clerk and a copy sent to the British Columbia Gazette for publication. Carried.

Alderman Coldwell introduced a By-law as an amendment to Ald Dunn's liquor By-law which was read for the information of the Council.

Moved by Ald Dunn seconded by Alderman C. P. Hamilton that original By-law be read a second time.
Carried.

88 Moved by Alderman Humphries seconded by Alderman Coldwell that the Clerk be instructed to write to provincial Secretary for copies of the Charter of the City of Vancouver.
Carried

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 In reference to Mr Oppenheimer's communication to last meeting of the Council it was moved by Alderman C. A. Hamilton seconded by Alderman Dunn that the Clerk be instructed to write to Mr Oppenheimer informing him that on account of the want of funds the City is unable to undertake any general improvements and that such work can be done only under the Local Improvement By-law

Carried

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 Moved by Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman Menlow that a Committee consisting of the Mayor, Alderman Balfour and the Mayor be appointed to wait on the Provincial Secretary on his next visit to Vancouver or any of the landed proprietors here to see that we get a suitable site for public buildings

Carried

The Council then adjourned to meet again on Thursday June 10th at 7.30. P.M. for the transaction of general business

M. A. MacLean

Mayor

Thos. F. McQuinn

City Clerk