

Vancouver June 25th 1888

The Council met on Monday June
25th 1888 at 7:30 p. m.
Present: His Worship Mayor Appen-
heimer, Aldermen Alexander,
Brighouse, Caldwell, Leath,
Douglass, Humphries, Lefevre,
and Appenheimer.
The minutes of last meeting were
read and adopted.

Communications
From John Doulton, on behalf of
Mr Dunsley et al making a pro-
position to build Street Railways
in the City of Vancouver.

From J. C. Keith presenting account
for payment.

From E. Crow Baker agreeing to sell
the west half of Lot 14, Block 64 to the
City for \$3,750.00.

From E. Sturmon et al praying
that Hastings Street be completed
between Carrall Street and Westminster
Avenue.

Referred to the Board of Works.

From J. R. Swigg et al praying
that Bender Street be opened up
from Abbotts to Carrall Street.

Referred to the Board of Works.

From John Callow et al praying that a bay drain be laid from Columbia Avenue west to Railway track along lane between Oppenheimer and Powell Streets.

Referred to the Board of Works.

From Vanbolkenburgh Dr^r asking to be allowed to reconstruct sidewalk on Water Street.

Referred to the Board of Works.

From Frank Cerra & Co asking permission to burn on Sixth Avenue.

Referred to Board of Works.

Receipts.

J. W. & L.

No 13.

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The Fire, Water and Light Committee met on Thursday, June 21st 1888 and beg to recommend:

1. That the following accounts be paid.

Lattersoll's Stables	\$ 2 ⁰⁰
J. F. Martin	5 ⁰⁰
R. P. Mills Co.	13 ³²
C. M. Hawley	5 ⁷⁵
Telephone Co.	4 ⁰⁰
Jay Ardell	24 ⁰⁰
S. S. Bradbury	1 ⁰⁰
Electric Ill Co.	9 ⁷⁵
Brooker & Penyer, Coal.	45 ⁰⁰
The Drum & Co.	35 ¹⁰
Leach & Johnson, Coal.	10 ²⁵

C.P.R. Co. repairs # 257
 Dinner & Ferguson House. 250⁰⁰

2. That the new fire shall be lighted by electric light if the expense is not too great and that the Chairman of this Committee be authorized to ascertain the expense thereof.

3. That Wm. Hamilton be appointed Fire Engineer for the new engine at a salary of \$55.00 per month and that he be subject to the orders of Mr. A. L. Cameron Chief Engineer, said Engineer to be employed from month to month.

4. That the Fire Inspector be authorized to purchase a pump for filling the water cart and that the lands be used to supply water for flushing the sewers under the direction of said Inspector

sgd J. Humphreys
 Chairman

Moved by Alderman Lefevre seconded by Alderman Dougall.

That the Report be adopted.
 Carried.

Wards.

No 21

The Board of Wards met on Friday June 22nd 1888 and held to report that the following tenders have been received:-

Seymour Street Plowing.

Grounds and hedge per m ft.	13 20
D. McCallister	" " "
A. J. McMullon	" " "
Thos Nesbit	" " "
A. McCallow	" " "

Nelson, Homer and Sunthe Streets.

H. McDonald.

Grading etc per ft	49 cts
Plowd " m "	13 55

Charlie Ross

Grading per ft	60 cts
bullets - m "	17 00

McDonald & Cameron.

Grading Nelson St per ft	43 cts
" Homer " " "	50 "
" Sunthe " " "	50 "

Durrard Street Section One.

McDonald & Lumley.

Grading full width per ft	8 7/8 cts
" 20 ft wide	3 20
Plowd per m ft	16 50
Loaf " " "	7 cts

Angus McCallow.

Grading full width per ft	9 5/8 cts
" 20 ft wide	4 7 "
Plowd " m "	16 00
Loaf " " "	12 1/2 cts

H. McDonald

Grading full width per ft	69 cts
" 20 ft	32 "

McDonald & Cameron.

Grading full width per ft	75 cts
" 20 ft	38 "

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Burrard Street Section Two.
John Anderson, Grading per ft 36 cts
" " " " " " 16⁰⁰

McDonald & Lurvey, Grading per ft 37 cts
" " " " " " 17⁰⁰
" " " " " " 7 cts

James Dunlop, Grading per ft 45 cts
" " " " " " 7⁰⁰
" " " " " " 16⁰⁰

H. Comacher, Grading per ft 45 cts
" " " " " " 16⁰⁰
" " " " " " 8 cts

C. Goodenough, Grading per ft 42 cts
" " " " " " 10 "
" " " " " " 16⁰⁰

H. McDonald, Grading etc per ft 36 cts
" " " " " " 16⁰⁰

McDonald & Cameron, Grading per ft 45 cts
" " " " " " 10 "
" " " " " " 16⁰⁰

We recommend that McDonald and Cameron be awarded the Contract for Nelson, Dunsmuir and Homer Streets Hugh McDonald for Burrard Street both sections and A. McPherson for Dunsmuir Street Planking.

We beg to recommend:
1. That Burrard Street be graded full width from Hastings Street

to Robson Street and 20 feet wide from Robson Street to Beach Avenue.
 2. That the City Engineer examine and report upon the following streets:
 (a) Bombay from Drake to Pacific
 (b) Westminster Ave to Thirteenth Avenue.
 (c) Richards Street from Georgia to Pacific,
 (d) The lane petitioned for by Wm. Bergell et al,

3. That the Council urge upon Mr. Abbott the necessity of making the bridges on the proposed North Arm Road 18 feet wide instead of 14 feet and to use gravel in the soft places where necessary.

4. That the sidewalk along the Recreation Grounds be lifted and laid on Georgia Street from Cambie to Richards and that an 8 foot sidewalk be laid on Georgia Street from Burrard to Nicola,

5. That tenders be called for the following street improvements:-
 Thurlow, Jervis and Nicola from water to water,
 Davie, Nelson and Ross from Burrard to Nicola
 Howe from Davie to Pacific
 Grebleigh full length.
 Richards from Georgia to Pacific.

6. That H. Comacher be given the contract for the completion of Quebec Street to 13th Avenue at 21 cents per lineal foot.

7. That the City Engineer be authorized to repair the Avenue from Chestnut to Avenue to Prince Edward Street and put in culverts where necessary,

8. That the City Hospital be connected with the Sewers by a six inch main and four inch connecting pipes at a cost not to exceed sixty cents per foot,

9. That plans and specifications be called for the erection of a school house on the South Side of False Creek and an extension to the City Hall, the Board of wards to give particulars of the class of building to be erected,

10. That the teamster employed to drive the water cart be paid forty five dollars per month,

11. That applications be called for the position of caretaker at the Public Cemetery, the applicants to state salary required and whether he is a man with a family. Tenders to be addressed "Caretaker for Cemetery"

12. That the following accounts be paid:

McBarrigle & Davis, Hospital Painting	\$ 150 ⁰⁰
James Stanford	600 ⁰⁰
Halloway & Joyce, George St Land	96 ⁰⁰
Bronside & McNeil, Granville St.	93 ⁸⁰
do do Abbott	654 ⁰⁰
A. McCallan, Carrall St.	323 ⁸⁴

✓ The Drum & Co. Axes etc	6 60
✓ Lattersall's Stables	2 50
✓ T. F. Woodman,	1 80
✓ H. Kanner,	5 00

sgd S. Brighthouse
Chairman

Moved by Alderman before seconded
by Alderman Dougall

That the Report be adopted
Carried

By-Laws.

Alderman Humphries introduced
a By-Law to Amend Fire Limits
By-Law which was read a first time,

Motions.

Moved by Alderman before seconded
by Alderman Brighthouse

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That J. C. Keith's account
amounting to \$44 ^{1/2} being Commission
etc for paying Coupons, be paid.
Carried

Moved by Alderman Brighthouse,
seconded by Alderman Alexander,

212

That the City purchase
the west half of lot 14, Block 64
District lot 185 from C. Crow Baker
for the sum of \$37500
Carried

Moved by Alderman Alexander
seconded by before.

213

That this wardship
the Mayor appoint a Committee
of three to enter into negotiations

with Mr. Dumbley et al for the con-
struction of Street Railways in the City
Carried.

His Worship appointed Aldermen
Goldwell, Alexander and Hefner,

Moved by Alderman Hefner seconded
by Alderman Dougall.

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That Council vote the
sum of \$250⁰⁰ in aid of the Vancouver
Reading Rooms.
Carried.

Moved by Alderman Alexander
seconded by Alderman Hefner.

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That every recommendation
for opening streets or laying sidewalks
or other work shall state the estimated
cost of the same and that before any
contract is signed such estimate
shall be passed upon and reported
on by the Finance Committee.
Carried.

The Council then adjourned until
Thursday July 5th 1888.

J. Oppenheimer
Mayor

Thos. S. McLaughlin,
City Clerk