

Lancaster April 1<sup>st</sup> 1889

The Council met on Monday April  
1<sup>st</sup> 1889 at 7.30. p. m.  
Present: Aldermen Dringhouse, Brewster,  
Coastell, Beard, Thorne, McCormick,  
Oppenheimer and Salisbury.  
Moved by Alderman Oppenheimer  
Seconded by Alderman Salisbury  
That: Alderman Thorne  
be appointed Chairman in the ab-  
sence of the Mayor.

Carried.

The Minutes of last meeting were  
read and adopted.

### Communications

From J. M. Lefevre resigning his  
Seat on the Council Board.

Moved by Alderman Beard Seconded  
by Alderman Brewster.

That: Alderman Lefevre's  
resignation be accepted.

Carried.

From Miss S. Domes submitting copies  
of "Home Cheer" a new paper published  
in the City and asking for a Share of the  
City Advertising.

Referred to Finance Committee  
From Tom Criedway et al praying  
that part of Penker and Abbott Street  
be planked.

Referred to the Board of Works

From John B. Saint et al praying



for the improvement of the lane in Block  
43. 1964 181.

Referred to the Board of works.

From the Secretary of the Vancouver  
Water Board acknowledging receipt  
of a communication from the City Clerk  
re extension of water service to South  
Side of False Creek.

Filed.

From the Secretary of the Vancouver  
Tree Reading Room asking a grant  
of \$500.00 from Council.

Referred to Finance Committee

From D. Chisholm, M.P. informing  
Council that an Immigration Agent  
would be sent immediately to Vancouver.

Filed.

From the Secretary of the Smelting Co.  
informing Council that the works in  
Vancouver were completed according to  
agreement.

Referred to Finance Committee

From Messrs Gale and Jay, Solicitors  
for J. Duthwaite informing Council that  
their client would do nothing towards re-  
pairing False Creek Bridge.

Referred to City Solicitor.

From Alex Johnston et al re Telephone at  
False Creek Bridge.

Referred to S. Work Committee



From E. Stevenson et al asking for  
the grading of lane in Block 12, 196.  
Referred to the Board of works.

From the Vancouver Typographical Union  
No 226. protesting against the City  
being done outside the City.  
Referred to the Finance Committee

From J. H. Browning, Land Commissioner  
offering a site for a public fountain  
at the corner of Hastings and Carrall  
Streets.

Referred to the Finance Committee

From John Devine, submitting Auditor's  
Report for 1888.

Referred to the Finance Committee

From A. H. Richards, D. C. submitting  
legal opinion on the Mayor's right to  
vote in Committees.

Filed.

The accounts for the month were read  
and referred to their respective Committees  
for examination.

### Reports.

Pard.

No 4.

The Pard Commissioners met on  
Thursday March 28<sup>th</sup> 1889 at 11. A. M.  
Present Commissioners Mackay,  
Alexander, Tetlow and Brighouse.



They beg to recommend:-

- 1 That: the Salary of H. Brown, Lord Ranger, amounting to £600 per month be paid.
- 5 on the first of each month until further arrangements are made.
- 2 That: the following accounts be paid:
 

5 Hallandaine & Sanson, Com on Lord Lodge.	\$15 <sup>60</sup>
<del>Edward Blackiff, London Lord Road.</del>	<del>\$17<sup>00</sup></del>
5 G. Young, 1 <sup>st</sup> payment on Lord Lodge.	\$23 <sup>00</sup>
5 James Haggarty, Lord on Lord Road	2 <sup>00</sup>
<del>John Colthain</del>	<del>do. 19<sup>40</sup></del>
5 Ed Blackiff.	do. 14 <sup>00</sup>
5 L. Durde.	do. 42 <sup>80</sup>
5 James Dunbar.	do. 14 <sup>40</sup>
5 R. Currie.	do. 31 <sup>80</sup>
5 Nicola Demata.	do. 21 <sup>70</sup>
5 Duncan Mc Dermid.	do. 21 <sup>40</sup>
5 Patrick Roche's team.	do. 10 <sup>50</sup>

sgd H. S. McQuigan  
 Attest

Moved by Alderman Oppenheimer  
 Seconded by "                      "                      "                      "                      "                      "

That the Report of  
 the Lord Commissioners be referred to  
 the Finance Committee.  
 Carried.

Finance

no 9.

The Finance Committee met on  
 Friday March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1889 at 8. P. M.  
 Present: His Worship, the Mayor,  
 Aldermen Salisbury, Beard and  
 Coats.



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By invitation Mr. J. C. McLaughan on behalf  
of the "World" and Mr. S. C. Cotton on behalf  
of the "News-Advertiser" appeared before  
the Committee to explain in reference to the  
charges preferred by the "News-Advertiser"  
that the City Advertising was being unduly  
displayed by the "World"

After the charges were fully ventilated it was  
resolved, that of the four advertisements  
in dispute it is the opinion of the Com-  
mittee that the one relating to the City  
Accountant was unduly displayed as  
admitted by Mr. McLaughan in his Commu-  
nication read before the Committee.

The following account was recommended  
for payment:-

C. S. Telegraph Co. Telegrams <sup>1-00</sup> 4-25 \$ 5.25  
Sgd. W. S. Salisbury  
Chairman

Moved by Alderman Brighthouse

Seconded by " Brewer.

That the Report of the  
Finance Committee be adopted.

Carried.

Wards.

No. 9.

The Board of Wards met on Thursday March  
21<sup>st</sup> 1889 at 8. p. m.

Present: Aldermen Brighthouse, Brewer  
McConnell and Coffey.

Tenders for Street improvements in  
Ward 3, were received and awarded as  
follows:

Hoelings Street Sidewalk D. J. McDonnell



Harold Avenue	Sidmouth	D. McDonald
Offenheimer St	"	Angus Brown
Heathly Avenue	"	Angus Brown
Jackson "	"	D. J. McDonald
Hamerie Block 8, 196.	"	D. J. McDonald
Crossings.		D. J. McDonald.

We beg to recommend:-

- 1 That the Vancouver Water Board be authorized to make connections with the flushing lands and submit cost of same.
- 2 That Grand Jilly be permitted to remove a building from Lot 2 Block 9. to Lot 5. Block 40, 196.
- 3 That the City Engineer take proceedings against J. Rutherford to recover from him the amount of the damages done to False Creek Bridge.
- 4 That the Street Inspector be instructed to keep wagons and other obstructions off the Streets at night, and if such obstructions be left in the lanes that sufficient room be left to allow vehicles to pass.
- 5 That the City Engineer be instructed to arrange terms with D. J. McDonald for the construction of a six foot sidewalk on Westminster Road and Report.

Hereafter the Board of Works will meet on Thursdays at 2. p. m. instead of at 8 p. m.  
Sgd S. Bingham. Chairman.



Moved by Alderman Oppenheimer  
Seconded by " McConnell,  
That the Report of the  
Board of works be adopted,  
Carried,

Motions

Moved by Alderman Brighouse  
Seconded by " McConnell,  
That C. L. Green be  
awarded the contract for the filling in  
of Westminster Avenue at 20 cts per cubic  
yard cost not to exceed \$80<sup>00</sup>  
Carried.

Moved by Alderman Oppenheimer  
Seconded by " McConnell,  
That the Chairman of the  
S. W. 4th. Committee be authorized to have  
the front of Fire Hall No. 1 altered the roof  
of Fire Hall No. 2 repaired and to purchase  
a span of horses for fire purposes.  
Carried.

Moved by Alderman Oppenheimer,  
Seconded by " McConnell,  
That the sale of the Gray  
horse for \$200<sup>00</sup> made by the Chairman of the  
S. W. 4th. Committee be approved of by Council.  
Carried.

The Council then adjourned

D. Oppenheimer  
Mayor

Thos. S. DeGingery  
City Clerk