

Vancouver December 12th 1887

The Council met on Monday December 12th 1887 at 7.30 p. m.

Present His Worship Mayor Macpherson, Aldermen Alexander, Laird, Hamilton, Humphries, Lockhart, Keffer, D. Oppenheimer, and Sandilands.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Communications.

From the Mechanics Coy re an Electric Fire Alarm from the City;
referred to S. W. G. Committee.

From Phillip Jewster re the erection of a mill in Vancouver.

The City Clerk was instructed to ascertain from him the capacity of the mill he proposed erecting.

Reports, No. 60
Works.

The Board of Works met on Tuesday December 6 and Monday December 12 and beg to submit the following report:
The following tenders were read for the erection of the City Hospital,

Plastering	
E. Cook.	\$520.00
Robert Barker	585.00

D. Giles \$610⁰⁰
 H. Langley 575⁰⁰

Plumbing \$735⁰⁰
 Paul & Marshall, 1088⁰⁰
 E. S. Scoullar & Co 175⁰⁰
 Trimming 20 cts per ft.
 Gasfitting

Carpenter work,
 H. A. Bell, \$3750⁰⁰
 Melbie & Melquadi #2980⁰⁰
 J. W. Clafield 4073⁰⁰
 James Stanford 2875⁰⁰
 D. Melrae 3135⁰⁰
 J. A. Stump 3700⁰⁰

Masonry,
 J. G. McDonald, \$1434⁰⁰
 E. Cook, 885⁰⁰

We recommend that the plastering and masonry be awarded to E. Cook, the carpentering to James Stanford and that the plumbing and gas fitting contract be not awarded for the present as the amount voted for hospital construction will not permit of the adoption of such an expensive system of plumbing.

The following accounts and estimates are recommended for payment:

- ✓ Tho. J. James, Drayage \$16⁰⁰
- ✓ Griffith on connection pipes 125⁰⁰
- ✓ Drayage " " 4⁰⁰
- ✓ John Brown, Boat \$35⁰⁰
- ✓ H. S. Keeper, Gravel \$1979¹⁰/₂

Low Boarding,

Gov Sennors, \$3600⁰⁰
 Barnard St, \$152⁷⁷
 Cambie " 1225¹⁹/_{xx}
 Dunsinvar " 570⁰¹/_{xx}
 Gore Avenue, 82⁵⁴/_{xx}

Boyd and Clarendon,

Jackson Avenue, # 44²⁵/_{xx}
 Appenheimer Street 270¹⁰
 Powell Street 80⁰⁰
 Keefe " 184⁶²/_{xx}

H. Macdonald

Abbott Street # 57⁹⁴/_{xx}
 Westminster Road, 358⁰⁰

A. McCallan,

Georgia Street # 152⁰¹/_{xx}

J. Stouck,

Granville Street # 252⁰⁰

McDonald & Cameron,

Richards Street # 94⁹⁷/_{xx}

The City Engineer has furnished an estimate of the cost of improving Bender Street, Meber Street and South Avenue, but we recommend that the carrying out of the work be deferred for the present.

We have instructed the Chief of Police to have the lane improved by the chain gang as petitioned for by J. Boucher and others;

Sgd L. A. Haulton

adopted,

D. Appenheimer - Secretary,

By. Law.

Alderman Alexander introduced a By-law for regulating the licensing of theatres etc which was read a first time.

By-law read a second time on motion of Alderman Humphreys seconded by Alderman Alexander.

Committee of the Whole.

Council went into Committee of the Whole with Alderman Alexander in the Chair.

By-law read over, when Committee rose to report progress numbered 57

Alderman Hamilton introduced a By-law to provide for the affixing of the names of streets and numbering the houses thereon which was read a first time.

By-law read a second time on motion of Alderman Hamilton seconded by Alderman Alexander.

Committee of the Whole.

Council went into Committee of the Whole on By-law with Alderman Hamilton in the Chair.

By-law no 57 read over and amended when Committee rose to report it as complete with amendments.

By-law read a third time on motion of Alderman Hamilton seconded by Alderman Alexander.

Motions.

Moved by Alderman Hamilton
seconded by " Humphries

That the City Clerk be
authorized to call for tenders for
painting and affixing the num-
bers to houses within the City
limits under By-Laws No 52.

Carried.

Alderman Oppenheim read a
Statement showing that it would
cost something over \$4000⁰⁰/₁₀₀ more than
the amount appropriated for purchase
of lands in lieu of lot 2 Block 2, to
satisfy the Government.

Moved by Alderman
Hamilton seconded by Alderman
Hocheby that the Finance Com-
mittee be authorized to act fully
in this matter and bring it to a
final issue.

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Hamilton
seconded by " before.

That the Mayor
proclaim Monday June 26, 1887
and Monday Jan 2nd 1888 as Pub-
lic Holidays.

Carried.

Notice of Motion

Alderman Humphries gave
notice that he would at next
meeting of Council introduce

As By-law for regulating land
within the city.

The Council then adjourned.

M. R. MacLean
Mayor

Thos. McKinnon
City Clerk.