

Vancouver October 11th 1886

The Council met on Monday October 11th 1886 at 7.30 P.M.

Present - His Worship the Mayor (presiding) Aldermen Balfour, Coldwell, Drum, Humphries, E. P. Hamilton and Northcott.

The Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Communications

A Communication was read from Wm Smith Deputy Minister of Marine acknowledging the receipt of petition of the 15th September praying that the C. P. R. be prevented from constructing a bridge without a draw across False Creek.

Moved by Alderman Drum seconded by Alderman Balfour that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to telegraph to the Minister of Public Works that as the Canadian Pacific Railway Company are now constructing a Stationary Bridge over False Creek that he take immediate action to prevent them from putting a bridge without a draw over said Creek.

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Humphries seconded by Alderman Coldwell that as several tents furnished for the use of the sufferers by the late fire, were lost that the same be paid for as far as there are sufficient funds in the Treasury.

Carried.

A communication was read from A. J. Mowatt asking the use of the City Hall at a certain rental for the Coal Harbour, Bachelors & Marshall Club meetings.

Communication laid over for a week on Motion of Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman Humphries.

Fire Deputation.

Daniel Redgiff and several members of the Volunteer Fire Brigade appeared before the bar of the Council, in order to bring before their notice the incomplete condition of the approaches to the tanks on Hastings and Appenheimer Streets.

Moved by Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman Northcott

That the Board of Works and Fire Water and Light Committee be instructed to have the wharf cleared and the contractors to remove the rubbish of the plants and have the approaches to the tanks made so as to allow the engine to be run safely over them.

Accounts		\$
Moodyville Saw Mill Coy. Lumber	10.12	B. & W.
Sho. Dunn & Co. Ave. Handle	60	" "
" " " Tape Line etc	4.70	" "
" " " Wire etc	24.35	F. W. L.
Dr. Beckinsale Lunatic	5.00	B. & W.
Globe, Printing Adventure Ad.	31.50	Finance

A communication from B. Springer objecting to the Assessment of his lots on Cordova Street for frontage tax.

on the ground that they were not of the full depth referred to the Board of Works for action thereon.

A certified copy of a resolution passed by the Council on July 28th concerning the wharf at the foot of Carroll Street to David Appenheimer, was read.

Moved by Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman Humphries that the resolution of the 23rd of August re wharf be carried out and that the Governor in Council be asked not to grant any privilege to said wharf to David Appenheimer, but to the City. Carried.

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Moved by Alderman Northcott seconded by Alderman Cordineo that the Mayor and City Clerk be instructed to sign a contract with the lowest bidder on additions to City Hall and that the usual deposit be put up. Carried.

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By-Laws
Two By-Laws one for the issuing of debentures for Leavenworth Street and the other for the issuing of debentures for Carroll Street were introduced and read for a first time.

Moved by Alderman Balfour seconded by Alderman Northcott that By-Law No - for issuing debentures for the improvement of Leavenworth

Street be read a second time.

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Dunn seconded by Alderman Humphries That By-Law No- for issuing debentures for the improvement of Carroll Street be read a second time.

Carried.

Moved by Alderman Balfour seconded by Alderman Northcott

That the City Fire Engineer be instructed to ring the Fire bell every day (except Sunday) at seven

92 o'clock, A. M. 12. M. 1. P. M. & 6. P. M.

^{27th} Railway Standard Time - and that the City Clerk be instructed to purchase a clock for the use of the Fire Engineer

Carried

Moved by Alderman Balfour seconded by Alderman Dunn That the Council stand adjourned till Friday October 15th 1886 at the usual hour

Carried.

M. A. MacLean

Mayor

W. F. McLaughlin

City Clerk.