

Wednesday - July 5th, 1933.

A Regular sitting of the Commissioner washeld at the Municipal Hall on Wednesday, July 5th, 1933 at 10.00 a.m.  
Present: Commissioner Bennett and the Mugicipal Clerk.

Ordered: "That the Minutes of the sitting of June 28th ultimo be adopted as written and confirmed."

Correspondence was received and dealt with as follows:

- 1 Wm. F. Hazard - requesting that the lease granted him covering Lot 3, Block 6, D.L. 57/58 be transferred to Mr. John McCarthy.  
Ordered: "That the letter be received and filed and the lease be and is hereby cancelled."
- 2 John McCarthy - requesting that he be granted a lease of Lot 3, Block 6, D.L. 57/58 on the same terms as that granted to Mr. Hazard.  
Ordered: "That the letter be received and a lease for a term of five years at a nominal rental of \$1.00 plus taxes and improvements to value of \$50.00 per annum be granted."
- 3 C.C. Chatwin - requesting permission to use Lot 2 and  $W\frac{1}{2}$  Lot 3, SD 6, of Blocks 10 to 18, Block 2, D.L. 158. for grazing purposes.  
Ordered: "That permission be granted subject to a nominal rental of \$1.00 for the balance of the year."

Secretary - Fraser Valley Reeves Association - advising that Colonel Spry, appointed by the Dominion Government to investigate unemployment relief, will be at the City Hall New Westminster at 10.00 o'clock a.m. Friday July 7th. to meet representatives of the Fraser Valley Municipalities on Relief matters.  
Ordered: "That the letter be received and filed and the Secretary be advised that the Commissioner will attend representing this Municipality."

D.C. Mabbott - requesting hearing for a delegation of Unemployed on relief matters.  
Ordered: "That the letter be received and the delegation be heard when present."

- 4 The Treasurer and Clerk submitted an offer received from one M. Overend to purchase Ford Light Delivery (Car No. 1.) for the sum of \$155.00 cash, and as the vehicle is not in use at the present time and is of no further use to the department they recommended that the offer be accepted.  
Ordered: "That the recommendation of the Treasurer and Clerk be and is hereby adopted."

6 The Treasurer submitted a recommendation that percentage additions charged against property owned by James E. Barker of 4523 Douglas Road be rebated under section 274 as follows:

Lot 34.B. Block 6, D.L. 74.S $\frac{1}{2}$	\$1.42	
35.B.	1.87	
36.B.	1.87	
37.B.	1.25	
38.B.	4.27	Total \$10.68

Ordered: "That the recommendation of the Treasurer be and is hereby adopted."

The Chief Constable submitted reports on fires as follows:

April 20th. 1933.	Boundary and Scott sts.	Bush.	
June 1st.	Gilmore and Napier Sts.	Stump	
June 4th.	4435 Pender St. E.	Chimney.	
June 6th.	1614 Holdom Avenue.	Chimney.	
June 18th.	2412 Antrim Avenue.	Roof	Loss \$20.00
June 19th.	Hastings and Delta.	Bush.	

Ordered: "That these reports be received and be referred to the Treasurer for usual action."

L.C. Mabbott then addressed the Commissioner on behalf of the Unemployed requesting an increase in the amount of relief granted on account of the increased cost of commodities which he claimed had increased by 40% since January last. He also requested that the matter of supply of clothing to single men be more equitably apportioned.  
The Commissioner advised that he would take up the matters referred to at the meeting of the Fraser Valley Municipalities with Colonel Spry.

The sitting then adjourned.

Confirmed,

*Charles B. Brown*  
Clerk.

*John Bennett*  
Commissioner.