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COUNCIL OF THE YUKON TERRITORY

Wednesday, March 30/49
3 o'clock p.m.

On this the first day of the Third Session of the fourteenth wholly elective Council of the Yukon Territory, pursuant to a proclamation of the Commissioner of the said Territory dated the fifth day of March 1949, the members took their seats.

Mr. J.E. Gibben, Commissioner of the Yukon Territory addressed the Council, expressing deep regret of the decease of Mr. J.R. Fraser, who had rendered distinguished service to the Yukon and in particular to this Council.

Mr. Gibben stated that the work before the Council for this session would be onerous of necessity, but that he knew the Council would give the same careful attention that had been exercised in the past.

The Commissioner of the Yukon Territory informed the Council that no petitions had been submitted to date, and that annual reports could not be completed for the year 1948-49 by the heads of the several departments.

Mr. Corp replied to Mr. Gibben heartily endorsing the tribute paid to Mr. J.R. Fraser and assuring the Commissioner of the continued interest of the Council.

Mr. Lee expressed his sincere appreciation of the work of Mr. J.R. Fraser.

Mr. Lee gave notice that at the next meeting of Council he would ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

Bill No. 1. An ordinance to provide for the imposition and collection of a tax on Gasoline and Diesel Oil.

Bill No. 2. An ordinance to provide for Old Age and Blind Pensions.

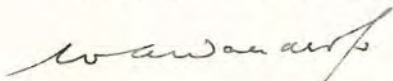
Bill No. 3. An ordinance to amend "An Ordinance Respecting the Council of the Yukon Territory."

Bill No. 4. An ordinance to amend "The Government Liquor Ordinance."

Bill No. 5. An ordinance to amend "The Sale of Beer Ordinance."

On Motion of Mr. Lee the Council was adjourned until 9.30 o'clock a.m. Thursday, March 31, 1949.

Clerk of Council



Speaker.



Thursday, March 31, 1949
9.30 am

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

Orders of the day having been read:

On Motion of Mr. Lee the following Bills were generally introduced and read the first time:

Bill No. 1 An Ordinance to provide for the imposition and collection of a tax on Gasoline and Diesel Oil.

Bill No. 2 An Ordinance to provide for Old Age and Blind Pensions.

Bill No. 3 An Ordinance to amend "An Ordinance respecting the Council of the Yukon Territory."

Bill No. 4 An Ordinance to amend the "Government Liquor Ordinance."

Bill No. 5 An Ordinance to amend "The Sale of Beer Ordinance."

On Motion of Mr. Lee, ordered that the rules be suspended and that the foregoing Bills be read the second time; Bills Numbered 1 to 5 were accordingly read the second time.

On Motion of Mr. Lee the Council resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Bills No. 1 and No. 2.

Ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Council then adjourned until 2.00 o'clock p.m.

Thursday, March 31, 1949
2.00 o'clock p.m.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

On Motion of Mr. Lee The Council resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Bills No. 3, 4 and 5.

After full consideration of Bills No. 3, 4 and 5 the Speaker resumed the Chair.

Mr. Lee gave notice that at the next sitting of the Council he would introduce the following Bills:

Bill No. 6 An Ordinance to amend "The Hospitals Ordinance".

Bill No. 7 An Ordinance to amend "An Ordinance respecting the Office of Public Administrator."

Bill No. 8 An Ordinance to amend "The Motor Carrier Ordinance."

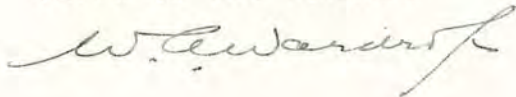
Bill No. 9 An Ordinance to amend "The Motor Vehicle Ordinance."

Bill No 10 An Ordinance to amend "The Yukon Game Ordinance."

Bill No 11 An Ordinance for Granting to the Commissioner certain sums of money to defray the expenses of the Public Services of the Territory.

The Council then adjourned until 10.00 o'clock a.m. on Friday, April 1st., 1949.

Clerk of the Council



Speaker.



Friday, April 1, 1949
10.00 o'clock, a.m.

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

Orders of the day having been read;

The Commissioner submitted for consideration of the Council the following Petitions.

1. Petition from McCormick Transportation Company Limited for assistance towards improvement of Sixty Mile Road.
2. Petition from McCormick Transportation Company Limited for assistance towards defraying certain expense incurred relative to transportation on Sixty Mile Road.
3. Petition from Yukon Gold Placers Limited for assistance towards building of Road on Henderson Creek.
4. Petition from Clear Creek Placers Limited for assistance towards building of road between McQuesten and camp at Clear Creek.
5. Petition from O.C. Thompson, Manager, Reno Gold Mines Limited for assistance towards building of Canadian Creek Road.
6. Petition from Dawson Branch, British Columbia and Yukon Chamber of Mines for further assistance for this association.
7. Petition from G.A. McIntyre for consideration of holiday relief for past services.
8. Petition of E.A. Baker, Managing Director, Canadian National Institute for the Blind providing for assistance of Henry Hoglund.
9. Petition of Alan C. Lee, Mining Engineer requesting assistance for building a road to Philipovich's holdings.
10. Petition of J.B. Kunze and E. Kunze requesting suspension of license for the year 1949 and assistance re pumping unit.

On motion of Mr. Lee:

Ordered that the message of the Commissioner together with the Petitions accompanying same be referred to the next Sitting of the Council for consideration.

On motion of Mr. Lee: the Council was adjourned until 2.15 o'clock in the afternoon.

Friday, April 1, 1949
2.15 p.m.

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

On motion of Mr. Lee the following Bills were severally introduced and given first reading.

Bill No. 6. An Ordinance to amend "The Hospital Ordinance."

Bill No. 7. An Ordinance to amend "An Ordinance respecting the Office of Public Administrator."

Bill No. 8. An Ordinance to amend "The Motor Carrier Ordinance."

Bill No. 9. An Ordinance to amend "The Motor Vehicle Ordinance."

Bill No. 10 An Ordinance to amend "The Yukon Game Ordinance."

Bill No. 11 An Ordinance for Granting to the Commissioner certain sums of money to defray the expenses of the Public Service of the Territory.

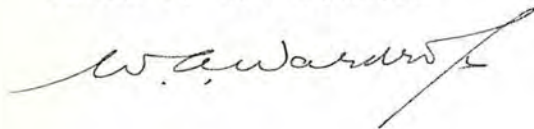
On Motion of Mr. Lee

Ordered that rules be suspended and the foregoing Bills be read a second time.

Accordingly Bills No. 6 and No. 7 were read a second time.

On Motion of Mr. Lee Council adjourned until 9.00 o'clock a.m. Saturday, April 2, 1949.

Clerk of the Council



Speaker



Saturday, April 2, 1949
9 a. m.

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

Orders of the day having been read:

On Motion of Mr. Lee that the following Bills be given second reading:

- Bill No. 8 An Ordinance to amend "The Motor Carrier Ordinance".
- Bill No. 9 An Ordinance to amend "The Motor Vehicle Ordinance".
- Bill No. 10 An Ordinance to amend "The Yukon Game Ordinance".
- Bill No. 11 An Ordinance for granting to the Commissioner certain sums of money to defray the expenses of the Public Service of the Territory.

On Motion of Mr. Lee, the Council resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider Bill No. 1: An Ordinance to provide for the imposition and collection of a tax on Gasoline and Diesel Oil.

After full consideration, Mr. Lee reported Bill No. 1 with amendments.

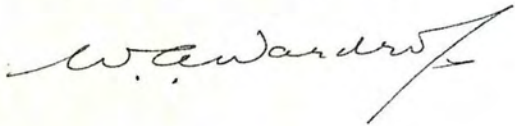
On Motion of Mr. Lee that the following Bills be referred to Committee of the Whole for consideration on Monday, April 4, 1949:

- Bill No. 2 An Ordinance to provide for Old Age and Blind Pensions.
- Bill No. 3 An Ordinance to amend "An Ordinance respecting the Council of the Yukon Territory".
- Bill No. 4 An Ordinance to amend the "Government Liquor Ordinance".
- Bill No. 5 An Ordinance to amend "The Sale of Beer Ordinance".

On Motion of Mr. Lee that Petitions submitted by the
Committee be held over for consideration until the Supply
Bill is before the Council.

The Council then adjourned until Monday, April 4, 1949,
at 9.15 o'clock a. m.

Clerk of the Council

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Speaker

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Monday, April 4, 1949
9.15 o'clock a. m.

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

Orders of the day having been read:

On Motion of Mr. Lee The Council resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to further study:

Bill No. 1 An Ordinance to provide for imposition and collection of a Tax on Gasoline and Diesel Oil.

Bill No. 2 An Ordinance to provide for Old Age and Blind Pensions.

Bill No. 3 An Ordinance to amend "An Ordinance respecting the Council of the Yukon Territory".

Bill No. 4 An Ordinance to amend "The Government Liquor Ordinance".

Bill No. 5 An Ordinance to amend "The Sale of Beer Ordinance".

Mr. Lee reported progress.

On Motion of Mr. Lee that the Committee have leave to sit again this afternoon.

On Motion of Mr. Lee The Council adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m.

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Monday, April 4, 1949
2 o'clock p. m.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

On Motion of Mr. Lee The Council resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to continue study of Bills in committee.

The Committee of the Whole reported Bills Nos. 2 to 5 with amendments.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

On motion Mr. Lee ordered that Bills Nos. 1 to 5 be now read the third time.

After further discussion Bills Nos. 1 to 5 were passed.

On Motion of Mr. Lee: Ordered that he have leave to introduce a Resolution that the Commissioner be directed to delegate the control and management of a civic centre to the North Star Athletic Association Ltd.

WHEREAS the residents of Whitehorse have expressed their desire to secure a civic centre and recreation area for their community.

AND WHEREAS the British Yukon Railway Company has transferred to the Government of the Yukon Territory for use as a recreation area for the people of Whitehorse a portion of Lot 19, Group 5, Yukon Territory, which is more particularly described on Certificate of Title Number 368 "DD" as:

Commencing at the intersection of the East side of Fourth Avenue and the South boundary of the Townsite of Whitehorse, thence twenty (20) feet Southerly along the East side of Fourth Avenue projected to the point of beginning thence Easterly parallel to and twenty (20) feet South of the South boundary of the Townsite of Whitehorse, a distance of three hundred (300) feet thence Southerly along the West side of Third Avenue of the Townsite of Whitehorse projected a distance of four hundred and eighty (480) feet thence Westerly parallel to and five hundred (500) feet distant from the South boundary of the Townsite of Whitehorse a distance of three hundred (300) feet, thence Northerly along the East side of Fourth Avenue of the Townsite of Whitehorse projected a distance of four hundred and eighty (480) feet to point of commencement, as shown on a plan made by H. G. Dickson, D.L.S., and of record in the Department of the Interior as plan number 8406.

AND WHEREAS the Directors of the North Star Athletic Association Limited, of Whitehorse, in the Yukon Territory, have shown that the said Association has for its objects the construction and maintenance and supervision of a civic centre and recreation area for the people of Whitehorse and is an association representative of the people of Whitehorse.

BE IT RESOLVED that this Yukon Council at present in session directs the Commissioner of the Yukon Territory to delegate the control and management of the above described lands to the said The North Star Athletic Association Ltd.

On Motion of Mr. Lee that the Council resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to study Bills Nos. 6 to 11.

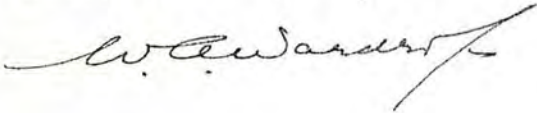
The Speaker resumed the Chair.

Mr. Lee reported Bills 6 to 11 with amendments and requests that they be given Third Reading on Tuesday, April 5, 1949.

On Motion of Mr. Lee asked leave to introduce Bill No.12: An Ordinance to amend "The Yukon Public Service Ordinance".

On Motion of Mr. Lee The Council stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 5, 1949, at 9.30 a. m.

Clerk of the Council



Speaker



Tuesday April 5, 1949
(; 9:30 O'clock A. M.

The Speaker Assumed the Chair:

The Orders of the day being read;

Motion of Mr. Lee Ordered that Bills as follows be read
the third time:

Bill No. 6 An Ordinance to Amend " The Hospitals
Ordinance."

Bill No. 7 An Ordinance to amend "An Ordinance
Respecting the Office of Public Administrator."

Bill No. 8 An Ordinance to amend " The Motor Carrier
Ordinance."

Bill No. 9 An Ordinance to amend "The Motor Vehicle
Ordinance."

Bill No. 11 An Ordinance for Granting to the Commissioner
certain sums of Money to defray the Expenses
of the Public Services of the Territory.

Bills No. 6, 7, 8, 9, and 11 having been read the third
time were ordered passed.

Motion of Mr. Lee Bill No. 12 was introduced and read the
first time.

Motion Mr. Lee That the Council resolve itself into Committee
of the Whole to study Bill No. 12

Mr. Lee reported Progress.

Motion of Mr. Lee Leave to sit again

The Council then adjourned until 2 O'clock P. M.

2 O'clock P. M.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

Motion of Mr. Lee That Bill NO. 10 be given third reading.

Bill no 10 was ordered passed

Motion of Mr. Lee Ordered that rules be suspended and Bill no.
12 be read the second time.

Motion of Mr. Lee That the Council resolve *itself* into
Committee of the Whole

The Speaker resumed the chair.

Motion of Mr. Lee. Asked leave to introduce the following
Bills.

Bill No. 13 An Ordinance to Facilitate the
Incorporation of Societies for Provident and
other useful Purposes, and to Provide for
their regulation

Bill No. 14 An Ordinance for Granting to the
Commissioner certain sums of Money to defray
the expenses of the Public Service of
the Territory.

On Motion of Mr. Lee Council adjourned until 9 O'clock A. M.
Wednesday April 6th. 1949.

Clerk of the Council

W. C. Ward

Speaker

G. H. Boy

Wednesday, April 6, 1949
9.00 o'clock a.m.

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

The Orders of the day, having been read.

Motion of Mr. Lee the following Bills were severally introduced and given first reading.

Bill No. 13 An Ordinance to Facilitate the Incorporation of Societies for Provident and Other Useful purposes and Provide for their regulation.

Bill No. 14 An Ordinance for Granting Certain sums of money to the Commissioner to defray the expenses of the Public Service of the Territory.

Motion of Mr. Lee that the Council resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to study Bills No. 12, 13 and 14.

Mr. Lee Reported Progress.

Motion of Mr. Lee that Council adjourn until 3.00 o'clock p.m.

3.00 o'clock p.m.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

Motion of Mr. Lee Leave to introduce the following resolutions.

- No. 1 Resolution respecting Minimum wage.
- No. 2 Resolution respecting Cocktail Bars.
- No. 3 Resolution respecting Poll Tax
- No. 4 Resolution respecting Cemeteries
- No. 5 A Memorial respecting Highways in Dawson -Mayo District.

- No. 1 WHEREAS a large number of the persons employed throughout the Yukon Territory are engaged in various occupations which are not subject to the provisions of any ordinance which requires the payment of a minimum wage ^{and} ~~of~~ regulation of hours of labour for all employees.
AND WHEREAS the Members of this Council are of the opinion that all employees in the Yukon Territory are entitled to the protection which would be afforded to them by an ordinance to provide for the payment of a minimum wage.
THEREFORE the Members of this Council now in session respectfully request the Commissioner to consider the advisability of having prepared and submitted to the new Council an Ordinance to provide for the payment of a minimum wage and the regulation of hours of labour for all persons employed in the Yukon Territory.

- No. 2 WHEREAS the Members of this Council are aware that a number of the residents of the Yukon Territory are not satisfied that liquor may be sold only in the Government Liquor Store.
AND WHEREAS the Members of this Council are of the opinion that if the majority of the residents of the Yukon Territory so desire the sale of liquor should be permitted in licensed cocktail lounges as well as in the Government Liquor Store.
THEREFORE the Members of this Council now in session respectfully request that the Commissioner give consideration to the matter of a plebiscite to determine if the majority of the residents of the Yukon Territory desire that the sale of liquor be permitted in licensed cocktail lounges.
- No. 3 WHEREAS the Members of this Council are aware that a number of the residents of the Yukon Territory are not satisfied with the continued operation of the Poll Tax Ordinance
AND WHEREAS the members of this Council are of the opinion that consideration should be given to the desire of the residents
THEREFORE the Members of this Council now in session respectfully request the Commissioner to consider the advisability of presenting to the new Council an Ordinance for the modification or repeal of the existing Poll Tax Ordinance.
- No. 4 WHEREAS the members of this Council are aware of the present regulations governing the establishment of cemeteries situated within the Territory.
AND WHEREAS the Members of this Council are of the opinion that certain changes are urgently required in the Public Good
THEREFORE the Members of this Council now in session respectfully request the Commissioner to consider the advisability of having prepared and submitted to the new Council an amendment to the Cemeteries Ordinance providing for Public Cemeteries and regulations thereof.
- No. 5 WHEREAS the Dawson Mining area with its local system of roads is situated approximately seventy-five miles from a Junction with the Whitehorse to May overland highway system
AND WHEREAS the Dawson Mining District is of the greatest importance to the Yukon economy as a whole
THEREFORE we the Territorial Council now in session do hereby memorialize and respectfully request His Excellency the Governor General in Council that an all weather road be constructed from the said Junction of the Whitehorse to May Overland road to connect with the Dawson system of roads at the earliest possible time.

Motion of Mr. Lee that Bills No. 13, 14 be given second reading.

Motion of Mr. Lee that the Council resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to further consider Bills No. 13 and 14.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

Motion of Mr. Lee that this Council approve the appointment of Mr. Richard Gordon Lee and Lawrence Hudson Phinney as members of the Old-Age Pensions Board.

Motion of Mr. Lee ordered that Bills No. 12 and 13 be given third reading tomorrow.

Motion of Mr. Lee, Leave to introduce a petition from the Whitehorse Board of Trade relative to incorporation of the Town of Whitehorse.

Motion of Mr. Lee Council adjourn until 9.00 o'clock a.m.

Clerk of the Council

W. C. Wardrop

Speaker.

E. H. H. H.

Thursday, April 7, 1949

9.00 O'Clock a.m.

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

Orders of the having been read.

Motion of Mr. Lee Introduction of Petition from Whitehorse Board of Trade requesting incorporation of Town of Whitehorse be considered.

Motion of Mr. Lee Ordered that Bills No. 12 and 13 be given third reading.

Bills No. 12 and 13 having been read the third time they were ordered passed.

Motion of Mr. Lee that the Speaker do leave the chair and the Council resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to study Bill No. 14 and petitions introduced by the Commissioner.

Mr. Lee reported progress.

Asked leave to sit again.

The Council adjourned until 2.00 o'clock p.m.

2.00 o'clock p.m.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

On Motion of Mr. Lee ordered that the Council proceed with the following petitions:-

No. 1' Petition of McCormick Transportation Company for additional assistance for work done in Spring of 1948 on the Sixty Mile Road.

This Council decided that this request had been considered by the Commissioner on advice of the Superintendent of Public Works and Roads. The Council recommends that a sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) be granted this company in full settlement of their claim.

No. 2 Petition of McCormick Transportation Company for assistance relative to truck being stuck on Sixty Mile Road September 23, 1948.

This Council considered this a responsibility of the Transportation Company and concurred in the action taken by the Commissioner of refusing assistance.

- No. 3 Petition of Yukon Gold Placers Limited for assistance on Henderson Creek and Thistle Creek roads.

The Council recommended that the Commissioner pay this company a sum of One Thousand dollars (\$1000.00) from funds granted for this purpose Ordinance No. 25, 1948, Ordinances of the Yukon Territory.

- No. 4 Petition of Yukon Gold Placers Limited for assistance on 45 Mile road between McQuesten and main Clear Creek Camp.

This Council after review of this petition direct that the Commissioner grant from Funds provided by Ordinance No. 25, 1948, Ordinances of the Yukon Territory a sum not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars. (\$2000.00)

- No. 5 Petition of O.C. Thompson of Reno Gold Mines Limited for assistance re Canadian Creek Road.

This Council direct the commissioner to grant from funds provided for Roads General under provision of Ordinance No. 25 1948 Ordinances of the Yukon Territory a sum not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars to the Reno Gold Mines Limited. (\$2000.00)

- No. 6 Petition from the Dawson Branch, British Columbia and Yukon Chamber of Mines for further assistance for this Association.

This Council directs the Commissioner that a sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) be granted this association out of moneys granted to the Commissioner under item of Miscellaneous under authority of Ordinance 25, 1948, Ordinances of the Yukon Territory.

- No. 7. Petition of G.A. McIntyre for consideration of Holiday relief for past services.

This Council directs the Commissioner to pay from funds provided under item "Miscellaneous", Ordinance No. 25, 1948, Ordinances of the Yukon Territory.

- No. 8 Petition of E.A. Baker, Managing Director Canadian National Institute for the Blind for assistance re Henry Høglund.

This Council recommends that the Commissioner give consideration to the provisions of a service under administration of the Department of Education primarily to establish a policy similar to that in operation in the other Provinces of the Dominion.

On Motion of Mr. Lee That the appointment of Miss Rhoda MacDonald of Dawson to the position of Legal Advisor is acceptable to this Council.

On Motion of Mr. Lee. Ordered that the following Petitions be now considered:

- No. 9 Petition from Alan C. Lee requesting assistance for building a road to the Philopovich holdings.

This Council recommends that the Commissioner request the new Superintendent of Roads to make a survey of the situation and if the probable tonage to be mined this year indicates the necessity of a road, that such road as will be servicable for trucks be provided.

- No. 10 Petition of J.B. Kunze and E. Kunze requesting suspension of license for the year 1949 and assistance re pumping unit.

This Council recommends that the petition for suspension of license be deferred for study of the New Council as the provisions of the Municipal Ordinance to be submitted to the next Council will have bearing on this matter.

- No. 11 Petition from Whitehorse Board of Trade requesting incorporation of Town of Whitehorse.

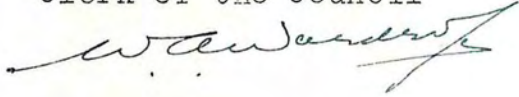
This Council deemed it advisable to request the Commissioner to study the question and if he considered it necessary that the petition be reserved for consideration of the New Council.

Motion of Mr. Lee The Rules be suspended and that Bill No. 14 now be given its third reading.

Having read the third time Bill No. 14 passed.

On motion of Mr. Lee Council stood adjourned until Friday April 8, 1949 at 9.30 a.m. o'clock.

Clerk of the Council



Speaker.



Friday, April 8, 1949,
9.30 a.m. o'clock

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

Orders of the day having been read.

Motion of Mr. Lee, that all matters pertaining to the business of this session of the Council having been attended to, that the Clerk of the Council now apprise the Commissioner that the said Council would be pleased to have him appear before the Council for presenting the Bills so passed by the Council, with his wishes relative thereto.

Mr. John Edward Gibben, Commissioner of the Yukon Territory then appeared before the Council and delivered the following message:

"Mr. Speaker and Members of the Yukon Council. The deliberations of the present Session of Council having been completed it is my pleasure to express my appreciation for the care and attention brought to bear on the Legislation placed before you for consideration during this Session. The results of your deliberation will be of great help in the administration of the Territory for the coming year.

The Bills you have considered and passed at this Session of Council have been submitted to me and I have given my assent to the following Bills;

- No. 1 AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPOSITION AND COLLECTION OF A TAX ON GASOLINE AND DIESEL OIL
- No. 2 AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR OLD AGE AND BLIND PENSIONS
- No. 3 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND "AN ORDINANCE RESPECTING THE COUNCIL OF THE YUKON TERRITORY".
- No. 4 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND "THE GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ORDINANCE"
- No. 5 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND "THE SALE OF BEER ORDINANCE".
- No. 6 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND "THE HOSPITALS ORDINANCE".
- No. 7 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND " AN ORDINANCE RESPECTING THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR".
- No. 8 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND "THE MOTOR CARRIER ORDINANCE".
- No. 9 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND "THE MOTOR VEHICLE ORDINANCE".
- No. 10 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND " THE YUKON GAME ORDINANCE".
- No. 11 AN ORDINANCE FOR GRANTING TO THE COMMISSIONER CERTAIN SUMS OF MONEY TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE OF THE TERRITORY
- No. 12 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND "THE YUKON TERRITORIAL PUBLIC SERVICE ORDINANCE

- No. 13 AN ORDINANCE TO FACILITATE THE INCORPORATION OF SOCIETIES FOR PROVIDENT AND OTHER USEFUL PURPOSES, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THEIR REGULATION.
- No. 14 AN ORDINANCE FOR GRANTING TO THE COMMISSIONER CERTAIN SUMS OF MONEY TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE OF THE TERRITORY AND THE CITY OF DAWSON.

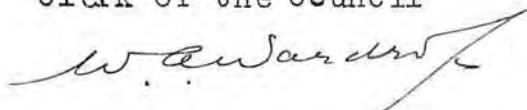
The deeply regretted decease of the late John R. Fraser, representative of the Dawson Electoral District, left the Dawson district without representation. This being the third session of the existing Council it was thought inadvisable to go to the expense of a by-election. Again because of the fact that many of the problems to cover before the legislative body are of a contentious, not to say controversial character it was thought that they should be dealt with by a fully representative Council. It is deemed advisable to dissolve this present Council.

NOW THEREFORE by and under the Powers vested in the Commissioner by section 13 of the Yukon Act, I do hereby dissolve this Yukon Territorial Council.

Reply by Mr. Lee:

"Mr. Commissioner, this Council having received your assent to the Bills passed while in Session, do wish to extend our fullest thanks for your consideration of the recommendations made during the Session. We are happy to abide by your decision relative to dissolution of the present Council in the interests of the Territory as a whole, and that of the different ridings we represent. On behalf of myself and the Members of the Council it is our desire to extend to you and the members of the Territorial Public Service our sincerest thanks for the loyal and faithful service extended during the period of our representation as Councillors. It has been the aim of this Council throughout our term to deal fairly and we hope with vision toward the future in all matters of Government which has come before us, and would point toward the ever increasing responsibility and trust that will be placed upon future Councillors who will represent the electorate of the Yukon Territory, in its advance as we anticipate of becoming a future Province of the Greater Dominion of Canada.

Clark of the Council



Speaker.

