

Morris, Manitoba,
March 18th, 1938.

A regular meeting of the Council was held on the above date with all the members present.

Minutes of former meeting held February 18th were read and declared adopted as read.

Several delegations in connection with the grading of roads were received, the first being from Messrs. Dickson and Dueck in connection with road 4 miles north from Smiths Spur. Messrs Stewin and Fernsell asked for the regrading of road east from Armour School. Mr. P. Berthelette asked for a grade at Section 25-5-2E and Messrs Peter Loewen etc. presented a petition asking for the grading of 2 miles of road between Sections 31 and 32-5-1E and Sections 5 and 6-6-1E, another petition signed by A. D. Loewen, P. J. Loewen, H. C. Penner and several others asking that a new roadway be purchased and graded across section 29-5-1E.

The Council discussed the different petitions also informed the ratepayers present that the question of the different grades would receive the attention of the Council and be taken care of in due course.

A delegation from the Womens Institute consisting of Mrs. W. R. Moody and Mrs. F. W. Jones interviewed the Council in connection with engaging the services of a district Nurse, the Reeve explained that the subject would be discussed by the Council and an answer given after the discussion, the delegation then retired.

The Council discussed the question and it was the decision of the Council that they were not in a position to finance the project at the present time, and the Clerk was instructed to advise the delegation to that effect.

An application for support was received from Mrs. Rosie Bunkowsky, after a discussion it was moved by Councillor Stevenson, Seconded by Councillor Clubb,

That the application of Mrs. Rosie Bunkowsky for aid be accepted and a monthly allowance of \$10.00 per month be paid. Carried.

Moved by Councillor McDonald,

Seconded by Councillor Stevenson,

That T. K. Bestwick be appointed Weed Inspector for the Rural Municipality of Morris for the year 1938 at a retaining fee of \$25.00. Carried.

Mr. Jacob Braun made application for Seed Grain, as he is living on a farm purchased from the Municipality it was thought advisable to give him some and the following resolution was passed.

Moved by Councillor Griffiths,

Seconded by Councillor Spalding,

That the following seed be supplied to Jacob Braun, NW 25-5-2W. 50 bushels of Thatcher wheat, 10 bushels of flax, 40 bushels of oats, this being Municipal land. Carried.

A letter was received from Ritchot Municipality in connection with the grading of road between Lots 528 and 530. Councillor McDonald was authorized to look after same.

A letter was received from Juluis Marsch also application re rehabilitation settlement, the Council would not consider the application.

Representatives from Canada Ingot Iron Co and the Powell Equipment Company interviewed the Council in connection with the purchase of grading equipment, after a discussion the following resolution was passed.

Moved by Councillor Clubb,

Seconded by Councillor McDonald,

That the Council delegation be authorized to purchase road grading equipment if inspection of same is satisfactory. Carried.

A committee of the Council arranged to make a trip to Winnipeg to inspect road equipment.

Owing to the next regular meeting of the Council falling on Good Friday it was necessary to change the date.

Moved by Councillor Stevenson,

Seconded by Councillor Spalding,

That the next regular meeting of this Council be held April 14th at the regular hour. Carried.

Bills and accounts were handed to the Finance Committee, the Finance Committee reported the Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the accounts as per list.

Moved by Councillor Griffiths,

Seconded by Councillor McDonald,

That the report of the finance Committee be accepted and the Reeve and Clerk be authorized to issue cheques for the several amounts. Carried.

The meeting then adjourned to meet next on April 14th at 1 P.M.

D. H. Penner
.....Reeve
A. J. McDonald
.....Clerk