

Morris, Manitoba.
March 15th 1946.

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

The Minutes of the Meeting held Feb. 15th were read, and declared adopted as read.

Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Hamilton and Mr. Moody waited on the Council, representing their respective Companies with regards to culverts and road machinery and were advised that the Councillors would divide their culvert requirements with them.

A letter was read from the Children's aid society of Central Manitoba in which they asked for a grant from this Municipality, and the following motion was passed.

Moved by Councillor Ribordy,
Seconded by Councillor McDonald,

That we grant the Children's Aid Society of Central Manitoba the sum of \$200.00. Carried.

Moved by Councillor McDonald,
Seconded by Councillor Thiessen,

That we pay Mr. P. J. Loewen the sum of \$50.00 in lieu of Overpaid Taxes on Part 32-5-1E. Carried.

Mr. MacNamara from the Manitoba Power Commission waited on the Council with regard to Street-Lighting of Lowe-Farm and Aubigny, and the following motion was passed.

Moved by Councillor McDonald,
Seconded by Councillor Stevenson,

That the Manitoba power Commission be requested to increase the street-lights at Aubigny, from Three 150 Watt and Six 100 Watt, to Three 200 Watt and Six 150 Watt lights. Carried.

By-Law No. 699 was read a first time.

Moved by Councillor Ribordy,
Seconded by Councillor Thiessen,

That By-Law No. 699 being a By-Law for confirming the Mill rates and levies for the year 1946, having been read the First time, be now considered as having been read the Second and Third time and passed, and the Reeve and Clerk be hereby authorized to sign and Seal same. Carried.

By-Law No. 700 was read a First time,

Moved by Councillor Thiessen,
Seconded by Councillor Anderson,

That By-Law No. 700 being a By-Law for the purpose of Street-Lights in the village of Lowe-Farm, having been read the first time, be now considered as having been read the Second and Third time and passed, and the Reeve and Clerk are hereby authorized to sign and Seal same. Carried.

Applications from persons desiring to operate Municipal equipment for the year 1946, were read, and the following motions were passed.

Moved by Councillor Anderson,
Seconded by Councillor Davidson,

That the Municipality of Morris employ J. B. Geisbrecht and Fred Peters as tractor operators on the elevator grader, and I. P. Klassen and Theodore Berard as elevator grader operators, P. C. Kræker as tractor operator on the blade grader and P. A. Giesbrecht as blade grader operator, P. H. Braun as Ford Tractor operator. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Stevenson,
Seconded by Councillor McDonald,

That Leon Bouchard be engaged to operate the Union-Point Ferry for the year 1946 at a salary of \$80.00 per Month, with \$10.00 per Month Bonus, if he finishes the season. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Anderson,
Seconded by Councillor Davidson,

That the rates for road work for the Year 1946 be the same as that of 1945. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Anderson,
Seconded by Councillor Stevenson,

That we purchase the house and Lot 190, Plan 4 in the Town of Morris from the Manitoba Pool Elevators, for a residence for the Secretary-Treasurer, for the sum of \$3600.00. Terms: \$1200.00 cash and the balance within 60 days from date of first payment. If payment is not made within the 60 days, the balance is to bear 5% per Annum interest, till the 3rd day of February 1947. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Davidson,
Seconded by Councillor Stevenson,

That we charge the Secretary-Treasurer
\$30.00 per Month house rent for the remainder of the year 1946. Carried.

Bills and accounts were handed to the Finance committee, who reported that the
Secretary-Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay same as per list. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Ribordy,
Seconded by Councillor Thiessen,

That the report of the Finance Committee
be accepted, and the Clerk is hereby authorized to issue cheques for the several
amounts. Carried.

The meeting was then adjourned until Thursday, April 18th, next.

D. Heppner
Pres.

Joe Pottinger
Sec. Treas.