

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Morris held its' regular meeting on the above date in the Court House Building at Morris, Manitoba. All Members, with the exception of Councillor Anderson, being present, the Secretary read the Minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted as being correct, by motion of Councillors Stevenson and McDonald. CARRIED.

Assessed
buildings
added to roll.

The Assessor attended at the meeting and presented to the Council, a list of assessments of buildings which should have been Taxed this year and which were not on the Assessment or Tax Rolls. The Council then passed the following resolution in order to collect on the buildings as shown on the said list for the year 1947.

Ribordy - Thiessen:-

That the list as given by the Assessor re. additions to the Tax Roll of buildings to be taxed, be hereby approved and Tax notices for 1947 be forwarded to the owners of the respective properties as shown on the list. CARRIED.

Prairie Farm
Assistance.

Mr. Wilson of the Prairie Farm Assistance Branch attended at the Meeting with regard to Prairie Farm Assistance for farmers in this Municipality this year and it was decided that most of the Municipality should be surveyed in this regard and that as River Lots in the Municipality were not mentioned separately in the original application for same, the following motion passed, making application for River Lots:-

McDonald - Stevenson:-

That we have the River Lots in this Municipality included in the Prairie Farm Assistance application and notification be forwarded to head office to this effect, as they were erroneously omitted when making application. CARRIED.

Morris Hospital
Grant.

Davidson - Stevenson:-

That this Council hereby approves of the Grant of \$400.00 given to the Morris Community Hospital on August 29th, 1947 as instructed by Reeve Heppner. CARRIED.

Drag-line
Earnings to be
returned to the
Drainage Mtnce.
Boards.

Reeve Heppner informed the Council that the Drainage Maintenance Boards would need more money to pay for drainage work done in this Municipality this year and the following motion passed re. same:-

McDonald - Stevenson:-

That any monies received from the Drainage Maintenance Boards for Drag-line rental, be returned to the Boards for Drainage Work. CARRIED.

Nomination and
Election By-law.

By-Law No. 727 was read a First time.

Thiessen - Davidson:-

That By-Law No. 727, being a By-Law for the purpose of holding Nominations for Councillors and Reeve for the Rural Municipality of Morris, having been read a first time, be now considered as having been read the second and third times and passed and the Reeve and Clerk be hereby authorized to sign and seal same. CARRIED.

Old Age Pension
application
Re: P.L. Besette.

Application for Old Age Pension for Philippe Louis Besette was considered by the Council and the following motion passed:-

McDonald - Stevenson:-

That the application of Philippe Louis Besette for Old Age Pension be recommended to the Old Age Pension Board for acceptance. CARRIED.

Gravel for
Sperling side-
walks.

Councillor Ribordy advised the Council that he wished to build cement side-walks in the Village of Sperling and by motion of Councillors Ribordy and Davidson the Clerk was authorized to order two cars of gravel for same. CARRIED.

Culverts for
Ward Three.

Councillor Stevenson advised the Council that he wished to purchase two 18"-24' and one 18"-22' culverts for his ward and by motion of Councillors Davidson and McDonald, Councillor Stevenson was authorized to order same. CARRIED.

Noxious Weeds.

P.H. Braun attended at the meeting with regard to Noxious Weeds and was instructed to see that growth on main roads was cut and to notify as many farmers as possible to cut side roads.

Communications.

The following communications were read:

A letter from the Mennonite Invalid Home at Steinbach, advising that they were unable to admit Mr. Dyck to their institution for some time, if at all.

A letter from P.H. Penner of Kane, advising that he was not satisfied with the amount paid him for roadwork and putting in an approach.

Burglary Insurance was again discussed when the Clerk brought it to the attention of the Council and it was decided not to put burglary insurance coverage on.

Gas. Pittinger
Secretary-treasurer.