

Morris, Manitoba,
April 13th, 1951.

Minutes. The Council of the Rural Municipality of Morris met for the purpose of holding the regular monthly meeting on the above date, in the Court House in the Town of Morris. The Reeve calling the meeting to order, the Secretary read the minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted as being correct, by motion of M.J. Stevenson and Leslie Stevenson. CARRIED.

Union of M.M. Membership Fee. All members of the Council attended at the meeting. A letter from the Union of Manitoba Municipalities was read, in which they asked that we remit the 1951 membership fee to the Union. M.J. Stevenson - Davidson; That the 1951 membership fee to the Union of Manitoba Municipalities, in the amount of \$30.00 be paid. CARRIED.

Reimer Sub-Division. Mr. Reimer attended at the meeting re. the purchase of streets and lanes by the Municipality on the recently surveyed sub-division of their property at Lowe Farm. Neufeld - Ribordy; That this Municipality purchase from H.W. Reimer, that part known as Reimer Street and First, Second & Third avenues and a twenty foot lane, which sub-division is situated on the West side of the South West Quarter of Sec. 6, Twp. 5, Range 1 West, for the sum of \$200.00. Mr. Reimer to pay all legal costs. CARRIED.

80¢ per hr. for Weeds and Grasshopper Supervisors. Neufeld - Ribordy; That plan of subdivision of part of South-East quarter of Section six, township five and Range one West of the Principal Meridian in Manitoba, prepared by A.C. Findlay, Manitoba Land Surveyor, and sworn to by him at Winnipeg on the 10th day of January 1951, be and the same as hereby approved for registration. CARRIED.

O.A. Pension Mrs. Peck. P.S. Braun attended at the meeting with regard to hourly allowance for his work as weeds inspector and Grasshopper supervisor, as he stated that he could not possibly do the work at 60¢ per hr. M.J. Stevenson - Davidson; That P.S. Braun and C. Giesbrecht be paid 80¢ per hour for weeds inspecting and grasshopper supervision and 10¢ per mile travelling expenses. CARRIED.

4 cars of planks ordered. An Old Age Pension application of Charlotte A. Peck of Morris, was presented to the Council for consideration. Neufeld - Saurette; That the application of Charlotte A. Peck for Old Age Pension be recommended to the Old Age Pension Board for acceptance. CARRIED.

Equipment rates. M.J. Stevenson - Davidson; That the Clerk be requested to order four cars of planks through the drainage Maintenance Boards, 2 cars of 3"x 12"x 20' and 2 cars of 3"x 12"x 18'. CARRIED.

Sno Fog for Ward 6. Leslie Stevenson - Saurette; That the Municipality charge the following rates for Municipal, Drainage or any other work, other than the regular Municipal work :- Dragline - \$7.70 per hr.; D.7 & Scraper - \$8.75 per hr.; D.7 & Bulldozer - \$8.50 per hr.; D.7 & power control blade grader - \$9.00 per hr.; D.8 & hand control blade grader - \$10.25 per hr.; D.8 & Elevator grader - \$12.00 per hr.; Ford Tractor and scraper - \$2.00 per hr.; Ford tractor and mower - \$5.00 per mile or any part thereof; Model D. Maintainer - \$3.00 per hr.; Private work to ratepayers to be the same as the 1950 schedule. CARRIED.

Bills & Accts. Ribordy - Neufeld; That Ward Six purchase snow-fog fire extinguisher. CARRIED.

Cement for W.5. Bills and accounts were handed to the Finance Committee, who reported that the Treasurer should be authorized to pay same as per list. Neufeld - Davidson; That the accounts amounting to the sum of \$22,434.46, approved by the Finance Committee be passed, and the Reeve and Clerk be hereby authorized to issue cheques for the several amounts. CARRIED.

Delegations. Ribordy - Neufeld; That Ward Five purchase a car-load of cement. CARRIED.

Correspondence. Messrs. Stevenson & Snarr attended at the meeting re. a road by their properties that was in need of repair. They were advised that same would be attended to. Mr. M. Anderson attended at the meeting with regard to a bridge by his farm, he was advised that this repair work would be done in the very near future. A letter from W.G. Coventry - United Kingdom Trade Commissioner was read, in which he asked to be advised as to whether or not the gifts from British people had found their way into homes in the flooded area of this Municipality, the Secretary was asked to advise him that we were holding a draw to determine who would be recipients of the few gifts sent here by British people. A letter from the Sperling Consolidated School District was read, in which they advised that innoculating the children in that area ~~XXXXXX~~ in the early fall, as suggested by the Health Officers, would be satisfactory. A letter from the Prairie Farm Assistance was read, in which they advised that Twp. six Range Two East was ineligible for Prairie Farm Assistance.

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The Meeting then adjourned, next meeting to be held in the Court House at Morris, commencing at 10.00 O'Clock in the forenoon on Friday, May 11th, 1951.

B. W. Thorne

Reeve.

Joe P. Stinger

Secretary-Treasurer.