The Council of The Rural Municipality of Morris met at 9:30 A.M. on Tuesday, April 1, 1980, in the Council Chambers at the Town of Morris to have their pictures taken for the Centennial History Book, "Furrows in the Valley".

After various pictures were taken, in the Council Room, as well as in front of the Municipal Building, by Douglas J. Penner, of the Scratching River Post, Reeve Alvin Rempel called Council to order to discuss the Centennial History Book, and read the letters that Gilbert Cretton had left with the Secretary-Treasurer, at the March 27, 1980 meeting. Present were Councillors:—
Wm. F. Recksiedler, Anton K. Fast, Norman Wiens, George St. Hilaire, Dan Thiessen, and Gilbert Cretton; and Secretary-Treasurer, Alice Loving.

Douglas J. Penner, Editor, Scratching River Post, in attendance.

Discussed was the number of Centennial History Books to order. George St. Hilaire gave a report regarding books published about the Grunthal area, and Ste. Pierre Jolys. Both books were not as costly as "Furrows in the Valley", and were not selling as quickly as expected.

When the material for the History Book is sent to Inter-Collegiate Press, 1/3 of the cost of the number of books ordered is expected to be paid.

Letters

Letters from the following Sperling Residents were read, concerning "Furrows in the Valley":

1. Gordon Brown.

And

2. Marjorie Meldrum.

Jean Anderson.

4. John Dales.

Petition

And a letter from Mrs, Jean Cretton, Committee Member, setting out her concerns for the book, and her explanation for not being able to work under the present circumstances.

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The sixth envelope contained a petition by Jean Anderson et al, praying that a directive be given to the book coordinator, Mrs. L. Eidse, allowing the book committee member from Sperling, Mrs. Jean Cretton, and representatives from Sperling to have access to all Sperling retarded that

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to all Sperling material that was submitted to be proofread and thoroughly re-checked and put into proper context, before publication of the history of Sperling in the R.M. of Morris history book, "Furrows in the Valley".

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Dan Thiessen, suggested that Council ask Mrs. Eidse to state her side of the situation, either by letter or verbally.

George St. Hilaire drew Council's attention to the sign, which had been taped to the door leading from the Cloak Room into the Council Chambers, at least a week ago. It stated "Back A Fighter", and he inquired why it was put up on the Council Room door.

Special Meeting Called. It was decided to call a Special Meeting for 7:30 P.M., on Tuesday, April 8, 1980, and to ask both Mrs. Eidse, and Mrs. Cretton to attend, to attempt to straighten out the current circumstances surrounding the paste-up of the material of Sperling's History, and of that of the surrounding area.

Adjournment. The meeting adjourned at Noon. A Special Meeting will be held April 8, 1980, at 7:30 P.M., and the Regular Meeting held on April 10, 1980, at 10 A.M.

REEVE.

SECRETARY-TREASURER.