Morris, Manitoba

NOMINATION DAY October 12, 1954

A meeting of the electors of the Rural Municipality of Morris was held at 2 p.m. on the above date, for the purpose of hearing the nominations for Councillors. 14 electors and the Council attended.

The Returning Officer read the nominations received and as only the required number of candidates were nominated, declared Councillors: William F. Recksiedler, Ward 1.

Councillors: William F. Recksiedler, Ward 1, William F. Schellenberg, Ward 2 and Edmond Saurette, Ward 4

elected by acclamation.

Upon motion of T.Lewis and O. Bunkowsky, M.J.Stevenson was appointed chairman of the meeting. He called upon the Secretary to read the minutes of the last Nomination Day Meeting, which were adopted as read by motion of T.Lewis & C. Irvine.

The chairman then called upon each Councillor to give a brief report on the work done in his Ward and the monies expended thus far. A short question period followed each report.

William F. Schellenberg, newly elected Councillor for Ward 2, addressed the meeting, expressing his thanks to the electors for the acclamation given him at this nomination. He hoped that he would be able to serve his Ward as well as his predecessor, Mr. Leslie Sierres Stevenson.

Reeve Bruce MacKenzie presented the Financial Statement, copies of which were handed to all electors present. He explained the various appropriations and expenditures and pointed out, that due to the wet weather, work which was required to be done could not be completed as desired and still the expenses carried on.

C. Dixon & M.J. Stevenson expressed thanks to the Reeve for so ably presenting the financial statement, and to the office staff for compiling same.

Drainage problems were discussed, with P.Penner, E.Groening and G.Schroeder of Lowe Farm leading the discussion and Drainage Trustee B. MacKenzie supplying the answers.

The Meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

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