

Foresters Falls Ont Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 23

The regular meeting of the Municipal Council of the Township of Ross was held here on the above date. All members of Council were present the Reeve in the chair.

The minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved and signed by the Reeve.

Communications were read and considered.

Council then adjourned for one hour.

On re-assembling Mr. Burns appeared before Council looking for damages for sheep killed by dogs. The clerk was instructed to ask Mr. McEggin to investigate the claim and report.

In the matter of the award ditch between lots 5 and 6 opposite lots 8 and 9, it was moved by J. H. Barr seconded by D. Moxam that A. Wallace endeavor to secure some one to clear out the portion for which the township is responsible.

Mr. Fraser gave notice that he would at this meeting of Council, introduce a bylaw to authorize and provide for the holding of the Municipal Elections.

Mr. Fraser then introduced By Law No 407 of which he had previously given notice and on his motion seconded by D. Moxam it was read a first time.

On motion of A. Wallace seconded by J. H. Barr the blanks in By Law No 407 were filled in as follows:-  
 Returning Officer, W<sup>o</sup> J. Oattes; Deputy Returning Officer for Polling Sub-Division No 1; ~~Poll Clerk for No 1~~ J. McEggin; Poll Clerk for No 1. Robert Hill; Deputy Returning Officer for Polling Sub-Division No 2. W<sup>o</sup> J. Oattes; Poll Clerk for No 2. John Haron; Deputy Returning Officer for Polling Sub-Division No 3. Richard Gould Sr; Poll Clerk for No 3. John Deville, and the Bylaw was then read a second and a third time short and finally passed.

On motion of D. Moxam seconded by A. Wallace, the following Bills and accounts were accepted and orders drawn on treasurer for payment of same;

M. H. Winters School Fair	\$ 20.00
Samuel B. Johnston for work & material on bridge on Zion Line.	57.15
W. S. Coleman, auditing Township Books	6.00
W. R. Kirk, " " " "	6.00
O. McCallough, for gravel	5.25
Les. Christman, grant to Beachburg Fall Fair.	25.00
Mrs. Earl Hodgins, Invariant Officer Salary and Postage	26.83
W. J. Oates, Quarter Salary and postage	65.00
John McFinn, services as sheep valuator	9.00
Edward Barber, work on road	22.50
The Golden Sun, printing	85.50
John H. Reynolds, services as sheep valuator	6.00
Robert Jones, axle grease and oil	70
The Municipal World, supplies	13.27
Dr. E. C. Mick, services as M. O. H.	200.00
W. J. Oates, Board of Health meetings & selecting jurors.	12.00
F. J. Moxam, sanitary inspector	10.00
Hugh Gordon, rent of dump.	3.00
Thomas Moxam, rent of hall up to and including Dec 15/23.	48.00
W. J. Gould, sheep killed by dogs	26.24
John B. Palmer, sheep killed by dogs	96.00
Silas Thibeault, " " " "	34.00
W. McZellan " " " "	10.50
John Crozier, " " " "	10.25
George Bennett, Land for road.	23.75
O. McIwen, Board of Health meetings	8.00
Thomas Moxam, meetings of Council and Commissioner	58.00
J. H. Barr, " " " "	64.00
Robert Fraser, " " " "	52.00
A. Wallace, " " " "	52.00
J. M. Jamieson, " " " " and Board of Health and selecting jurors.	70.00
Geo. A. Bennett, fixing hole in road	3.75
Total disbursements	1119.69

Council then adjourned sine die

W. J. Oates  
Clerk

John Jamieson  
Reeve