

Keusters Falls. Jan. 12/1953

The Municipal Council of the Township of Ross met in their inaugural meeting on the above date with Revere Childerhose and Councillors Bennett, Catter & Gould present.

The oath of office was subscribed to by Revere Childerhose and Councillors J. Bennett, R. Catter & J. J. Gould; Mr. Pelgrim took the oath of office two days later.

Minutes of Previous meeting were read and adopted
Communications and accounts were read and considered

J. Bennett introduced a by-law for the purpose of appointing Municipal Officers and upon his motion seconded by J. Gould by law # 639 was given its first reading and had the following names inserted:-

Quarantine Comm:- Gus. Dittmer, Alva Collins & Wm. Pettigrew.

Sanitary Insp:- Thos. Moxam.

Board of Health:- Stewart Childerhose, Dr. MacKercher, Thos. Moxam and the Clerk.

Tree Viewers:- Richard Gould, Sr., Mansel Hill, Emerson Haley, Bert Ross, Keith Gould, Allan Catter, Ivan McMillan, James Huckabone, Arnold Dale, Ernest Gould, Bert Montgomery, & Donald Ferguson.

Panel Keepers:- Clark Hill, Cecil Campbell, Alva Collins, Wm. Stephens, Kenneth May, Wm. Bryce, Jr., James M^cLeese, J. J. Ferguson, Robt. Bennett, Annah Sunbar, Edsel Johnston, James Huckabone, Herb. Bilson, Albert Barber.

Township Office:- Mrs. Maurice Bulmer.

Shop Valuers:- Ernest Millar, Wm. Haggarty, Walter Wright, Thos. Sunbar.

Street Lights:- Wilfred Waite.

Collector:- Jas. Ross

Clerk:- Hubert L. Ross

Treas.:- H. L. Ross.

Med. Health Officer:- Dr. D. A. MacKercher

Moved by J. Bennett seconded by J. Gould that By-law # 639 be given its second and third reading and passed.

Upon motion of J. Gould seconded by J. Bennett By-law # 640 was passed authorizing the Revere and the Treasurer to sign all cheques and documents during the year 1953.

By-law # 641 was introduced by J. Gould for the purpose of borrowing money for the year 1953 -

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and upon his motion seconded by R. Cattie By-law # 641 was passed empowering the Reeme and Treasurer to borrow money for the year 1953 to meet ensuing expenditures amount not to exceed \$35,000.00.

Mr. Reuben Cattie introduced By-law # 642 for the purpose of paying Bills and Accounts for the year 1953 and upon his motion seconded by J. Gould By-Law # 642 was passed for this purpose

Moved by R. Cattie seconded by J. Gould that the Bank of Nova Scotia be authorized to pay debenture of the Township for the year 1953 as they become due

Moved by J. Bennett seconded by J. Gould that we engage Henry Duthurner to sand the streets of Faustus Falls when necessary for the year 1953.

Moved by R. Cattie seconded by J. Bennett that we engage The Colden Sun to do the Municipal printing for the year 1953.

Moved by R. Cattie seconded by J. Gould that we make application for approval of Dept. of Highways for road money By-Law # 643 to the amount of ~~Twenty~~ ^{Twenty} thousand Dollars.

Moved by R. Cattie seconded by J. Gould that the Council subscribe for six copies of The Municipal World for 1953

Moved by J. Bennett seconded by J. Gould that the Road Voucher for December 1952 be accepted for the amount of \$496.87.

Under By-law 642 the following accounts were passed and orders drawn on the Treasurer for same :- G. Mercier, Relief \$12.50, G. Inast, Relief \$12.50, Colden Post Office, Unemp. Ins. Stamps \$1.12, A. A. Cole, Dog tax refund \$4.00, G. L. Howard, Dog tax refund \$4.00, Clifford May Dog tax refund \$2.00, H. L. Ross, Stamps Stationery etc. \$8.09, The Colden Sun, Voters lists etc \$40.20, Wm. Pabau Sr. Relief wood \$4.00, Clark Wassmund, Fox bounty \$3.00, Nobel Harris, Fox bounty \$5.00, Allan Scobie, Fox bounty \$2.00, Stanley Pettigrew, Fox bounty \$21.00, James Harris, Fox bounty \$6.00, Denzil Gibson, Fox bounty \$6.00, Keith ~~Gibson~~, Fox bounty \$3.00, Donald Ferguson, Fox bounty \$24.00.

Moved by R. Cattie, seconded by J. Bennett that this Council do now adjourn to reconvene Feb 7th 1953 at 10:00 AM
H. L. Ross, Clerk
J. Stewart, Chairman