

Foresters Falls, Ont. December 12th 1972

Special meeting held on this date to consider tenders for Clerk-Treasurer and Collector: Nine applications were received

Moved by Clarence Bilson, seconded by Leo Rathwell that Council accept the tender of William A. Stephens for the position of Clerk-Treasurer and Tax Collector for the Township of Ross at a salary of \$5,500.00 per year plus mileage on Township business at the rate of 10¢ per mile and also that he would receive the same benefits as all road employees where applicable. Nine tenders were received

Duties to commence on January 2d 1973.

Alden May Reeve

J. L. Ross, Clerk.

Foresters Falls, Ont. December 15th 1972

Meeting called on this date for the purpose of finishing up the business for the year 1972.

Moved by Clarence Bilson, seconded by George Elmstead that Ross Township Council do hereby request Renfrew County Council to improve the County Road from Millais Store below Foresters Falls to Highway 17 at Cobden.

We would request Renfrew County to rebuild all parts of this road that are necessary, especially in the western part of the Village of Foresters Falls and practically all the road from Queens Lane to Cobden and to straighten out the two 30 mile per hour turns at the old S.S. No. 1 School near Cobden.

We would request that a complete new asphalt top be put on the whole length of this road.

Moved by Clarence Bilson, seconded by George Elmstead that Ross Township Council request Bell Canada to install a larger telephone cable into the Foresters Falls Area so that the residents, especially those in business, would be able to obtain private and semi-private telephone service, and that the rates would be comparable to the rates in the Village of Cobden and the townsite at Chromasco Corporation at Staley Station.

We would also request Bell Canada to look into the possibility of a larger area for telephone service - that is to possibly join Cobden and Renfrew telephone exchanges or Cobden and Pembroke or possibly all three, so there would be no station to station charges between these points.

December 15th 1972 minutes (Continued)

Moved by George Olmstead, seconded by H. Pilgrim that Council approve the payment of seventy Five Dollars to Foresters Falls Orange Hall L.O.L. 552 for the use of the hall for the year 1972

Moved by Leo Rathwell, seconded by Clarence Bilson that a refund for overpayment of taxes be approved to Ernest Peever in the amount of \$9.07 and to George Bennett in the amount of \$15.20.

Moved by George Olmstead, seconded by H. Pilgrim that Council approve the payment of \$4,000.00 to H. L. Ross for his services as Clerk-Treasurer & Collector of the Township of Ross for the year 1972.

Moved by George Olmstead, seconded by H. Pilgrim that Council approve the payment of \$2,510.00 to the Reeve Alden May for salary and expenses for the year 1972.

The following General accounts were passed for payment at this meeting: - Ontario Hydro \$14.13, Renfrew Mercury - Advance \$2.57, Richard Gutz, Christmas tree \$5.00, Lochart Brick & Tile, Ltd. Re - Stanley Black drain \$36.00, Ernest Peever tax refund \$19.07, George Bennett, tax refund \$15.20, Mrs. Ruth Jack, caretaking library \$30.00, The following fire calls & week-end duties, Halyp, Clifford M<sup>c</sup>Laughlin \$105.00, Harold Gilman \$59.00, George Bowes \$43.00, William Church \$51.00, Ernie Brown \$64.00, Ray Spauling \$50.00, Alex. M<sup>c</sup>Gregor \$45.00, Terry M<sup>c</sup>Gregor \$17.00, Ronnie Gilman \$8.00, Foresters Falls: - Ray Sittlumer \$70.00, Fred Smithers \$87.50, Victor M<sup>c</sup>Laughlin \$62.50, Douglas Broome \$72.50, Raymond Bell \$77.50, William M<sup>c</sup>Laughlin \$50.00, H. Coleman \$27.50, Leonard Broome \$25.00, Clinton Desjardins \$5.00, Pembroke Observer ads. Clerk-Treasurer \$26.00, H. Sittlumer & Sons fire supplies \$15.74, B.P. Oil Ltd. oil for library \$22.44, James Scobie, mowing grass at fire hall \$25.00, Herb. Wright, Sheep Valuator \$10.00, Leo Rathwell, remuneration 1972 \$1,171.00, Hawey Pilgrim, remuneration 1972 \$1,040.00, George Olmstead, remuneration 1972 \$1,158.00, Clarence Bilson, remuneration 1972 \$1,224.00, Alden May, remuneration 1972 \$2,510.00, H. L. Ross, salary and income tax \$4,000.00, Robert Burke, welfare \$70.00, Halyp Post Office stamps \$25.00, James Owens, welfare \$70.00.

Meeting was then adjourned

Alden May Reeve

H. L. Ross, Clerk.