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MANVERS TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING—A BUSY SESSION—PAYMENT OF AMOUNTS.

The municipal council of the township of Manvers met at Bethany on July 5th pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. The reeve in the chair.

The minutes of last regular and special meetings of council were read, approved and on motion signed by the reeve.

The following communications were read and ordered to be filed, namely: From E. A. Powers, endorsing cheque for \$1.20, being second distribution of license fund for 1898. From N. F. MacNorton re county rates for 1899. From clerk of peace re Ontario statutes for 1896. From Dr. Naysmyth, M.H.O. From J. Riekabv clerk of Clarke. From H. A. Ward re grant to 46th battalion. From W. S. Given re printing account.

On motion the clerk was instructed to acknowledge receipt of Mr. Ward's letter and to call his attention to the terms of the resolution passed Feb. 11th, 1899.

The township treasurer presented a statement of receipts and expenditures of the corporation for the half year ending 30th June, 1899, which was ordered to be filed.

A communication was received from W. J. Fallis asking the council to pass an order for one half of the cost of wire fence on E.B., opposite con. 12, Manvers.

Henders—Stanton—That Mr. Fallis' communication be received and that no action be taken by this council until Mr. Fallis has carried out his agreement with the joint corporations of Cavan and Manvers.—Carried.

A petition signed by James H. Steer and ten others praying the council to grant permission to Robt. Thorndyke, the owner of the south east 1/4 lot 19, con. 7, to move the road running through said property so as to follow the line dividing the east and west portions of the south half of lot 19, till it reaches the centre of the concession and thence to follow the centre line west to the point where it intersects the present travelled road.

Stanton—Henders—That the petition of J. H. Steer and 10 others be received and that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, that the new road be made fit for public travel by Mr. Thorndyke without cost to the corporation.—Carried.

Hickson—Stanton—That an order in favor of W. S. Given for \$40 on account of printing contract be signed by the reeve.—Carried.

Mr. Hugh Stewart made verbal application for a grant to grade road lots 20 and 21, con. 12.—Referred to Mr. Hickson.

Mr. James Goheen requested the council to assist him in erecting a wire fence, south of lot 15, con. 3.—No action taken.

Mr. George Page asked for grant to cut down and repair Curtis' hill, lot 18, con. 2.—Referred to Mr. Barnicutt.

Mr. James Howe made verbal application for permission to enclose allowance for road, north of lot 12, con. 12.

Henders—Barnicutt—That James Howe be permitted to occupy the allowance for road north of lot 12, con. 12, during pleasure of this council.—Carried.

The question of the widening of diverted road through lot 11, con. 3, was then taken up for further consideration. After considerable discussion it was moved by Mr. Stanton, seconded by Mr. Hickson, that the reeve, Coun. Barnicutt and the mover be a committee to negotiate with Mr. Corbett for the purchase of sufficient land to make the road through lot 11, con. 3 four rods wide, and to report at next meeting of council.—Carried.

Mr. Samuel Cain, overseer, asked for a grant to grade hill lot 13, con. 3.—Referred to Mr. Stanton.

Mr. Barnicutt reported that the new bridge at C.P.R. crossing E.B., was completed under his supervision at a total cost of \$125. On motion an order was signed by the reeve in favor of Mr. Barnicutt for \$62.50 being 50 per cent. of the cost; due by the corporation of Manvers.

Mr. Stanton gave notice that at the next meeting of council he will introduce a by-law to impose a percentage on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after the 15th day of December, 1899, and to allow a rebate on all taxes paid on or before the 15th day of November in each year.

On motion the following orders on the treasurer were signed by the reeve.

- James Fannon, repairs to road, lots 5 and 6, con. 14.....\$1 50
- F. Fannon, 65 loads gravel..... 3 25
- D. Jamieson and W. H. Lee, half pay repairs to road and culvert E.B..... 28 40
- D. Jamieson, full pay filling wash-out E.B..... 1 50
- T. Farrow, gravel and labor..... 5 80
- W. A. Reynolds, road jobs, lot 25, con. 9..... 25 50
- J. S. Buckwell, express charges..... 1 00
- R. H. McMullen, road job, Bethany..... 7 44
- J. J. Preston, postage etc..... 1 00
- R. Kennedy, repairing scrapers..... 60
- J. McGahey, half pay culvert lots 15 and 16, con. 14..... 1 90
- Wm. Lee, half pay culvert lots 15 & 16, con. 14..... 3 45
- Wm. Skuce, 1/2 pay repairing road N.B. 1 45
- Thos. Fisher, gravelling lots 15 & 16, con. 14..... 15 75
- W. H. McKee, grading hill, lot 14, con. 11..... 16 75
- Thos. Shea, culvert lots 20 & 21, con. 12 6 00
- D. Jones, grading hill, lots 24 and 25, con. 14..... 10 00
- D. Jones, building bridge, lot 24, con. 14..... 40 00
- James Morrow, filling washout, lot 20

- and 21, con. 10..... 8 00
- Chas. Lunn, culvert, lots 20 & 21, con 3 5 00
- Wm. Syer, culvert, lot 20, con. 3..... 15 00
- J. Barnicutt, 1/2 pay, new bridge, E.B. 62 00
- J. Connell, stumping, grading, etc..... 7 00
- W. J. Mitchell, 72 loads gravel..... 3 60
- Henry Argue, 100 loads gravel..... 5 45
- R. Strong, culvert, lots 10 and 11, con. 7..... 8 00
- G. Page, 28 loads gravel..... 1 40
- C. M. Porter, repairs to road, lot 7, con. 7..... 7 09
- J. Byers, road job, lot 6, con. 3..... 10 00
- Geo. White, road job, lot 9, con. 3..... 1 00
- Wes. Staples, 110 loads gravel..... 5 80
- E. Harper, 116 " "..... 5 50
- S. Cain, work on hill, lot 9, con. 3..... 11 75
- J. Goheen, repairing hill, lot 14, con. 2 7 00
- J. Goheen, repairing culvert, lot 16, con. 3..... 2 00
- T. H. Williamson, J.P., committal, J. Leach..... 50
- J. Muirhead, gravelling, lot 1, con. 9 22 00
- T. Coulter, repairing culvert, lot 7, con. 3..... 1 00
- Jos. Byers, culvert, lot 7, con. 3..... 5 00
- Wm. Bigelow, culvert, lot 3, con. 5..... 6 00
- R. Brown, repairing bridge, lot 2, con. 5..... 5 00
- M. Porter, culvert, lot 1, con. 8..... 8 00
- Wm. Jackett, repairing hill, lot 5, con. 14..... 2 00
- John Sholer, 1/2 salary caretaker..... 5 00
- J. Perrin, plank and nails, per bill..... 3 68
- W. S. Given, on account printing contract..... 40 00
- J. Hoskin, repairing damages S. B..... 2 50

Books and Magazines.

—GOOD HOUSEKEEPING for August presents a rich and inspiring table of contents. "Mothers in Council" opens a series of papers made up of vital extracts from the essays read before last season's meetings of the Mother's Club of Springfield; "Cooking by Electricity" by Emily Talbot, is a topic interesting to every housewife, especially during the summer season; and there is an interesting biographical sketch of Mrs. Julia Knowlton Dyer, founder of the Woman's Charity Club Hospital at Boston. Mrs. Burton Smith's paper on "Home Science" deals with "Sanitation of the House"; Margaret Bisland writes of "Fashions and Fabrics," with suggestions for home dress-making, while Mrs. Hester M. Poole describes "The Best Way" in doing all manners of things about the house. Minor articles, practical papers on the duties of the home, interesting departments, a prize anagram; and sound editorial writing make up a valuable number. George D. Chamberlain, Publisher, Springfield, Mass. \$1 a year; 10c. a copy.

A Case of Interest to Hotelmen

A very interesting trial took place in Town hall, Haliburton, on Friday evening, before his wor-ship Police Magistrate Fielding. The case tried was an information laid by Hotel Inspector Pruit against Mr. John Lucas, who keeps hotel in this village, for having on the 12th of July more than one bar in his hotel. On that day the Orange order held a celebration in the village, and there were about a thousand visitors to be entertained. Having only one hotel in the village the crowd there assembled was very large, and Mr. Lucas extended his bar to accommodate his visitors. The Act distinctly states that there shall be only one bar kept in each hotel. It was for this infringement of the law that Mr. Lucas was summoned. Mr. Lucas was represented by Mr. Haverson, of the Licensed Victuallers Association, who at once admitted that the bar in question was extended on the 12th, but pointed out that the extension was made by merely putting up a plank, and that the plank was removed before six o'clock the same evening. He then turned to the law, and said that the case should be dismissed as the Act which declared there should be only one bar applied to licensed houses and there was no evidence that Mr. Lucas was a licensed house. His worship said that he would give this point his consideration. Mr. Haverson then continued and said that the Act stated that there should be only one bar kept in each hotel. It all turned on the word "kept," and he contended that a bar being extended for a few hours on one day could not be construed into meaning "kept." He cited several cases in which the law had been put into operation, and in each case on appeal the judges of the higher courts have decided that a few hours, or even days, could not be considered as meaning "kept." He made several other objections and was very strong on the point that merely extending a bar on one particular day for a few hours, to accommodate the public, was not such a contravention of the law as the Act contemplated. Mr. Pruit, the inspector, replied to these arguments, and the magistrate said that he would require time to consider the law points, and he would deliver judgment on Aug. 1st.


News of the Week

—Two automobiles on Saturday beat the express in a race between Paris and St. Malo, a distance of 226 miles, making the best time ever recorded for an automobile, covering the distance in 7 hours and 35 minutes. The time of the train was 7 hours and 48 minutes.

—Work was begun on the McMillan property at Parry Sound on Monday. This is the first of the Imperial Copper Company's operations, and the results so

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—The government of New Zealand conducts a life insurance department in competition with the corporation methods, and has a surplus of \$10,000,000 in the public treasury besides giving such low premiums that the private companies are slowly but surely being driven from the field. That surplus belongs to the state and is used by the state in public works, because the whole state is behind each policy written.

—Mrs. Goodwin, 24 years of age, wife of Mr. Albert B. Goodwin, manager of the Bowmanville Electric Light Company, died in a dentist's office last week while under the influence of chloroform, which had been administered by the family physician to enable Mrs. Goodwin to have her teeth extracted. No blame is attached to any one having to do with the case. Corner Mitchell, after making a full inquiry into the circumstances, decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

—A sad accident occurred at Salmon Island, Stoney lake, about 9 a. m. Friday, when Hattie, the 9-year-old daughter of R. J. Stuart, grand organizer of the Canadian Order of Foresters, lost her life by drowning. While playing on the rocks she fell in and her little 6 year-old brother jumped in after her. The father and Herbie, an elder brother, hearing the screams ran to the rescue and jumped in after the other two. The father through excitement became helpless, and all four would have been drowned had it not been for Percy Clark, who came to their assistance, but too late to save the life of the little girl.

—The colony of Victoria as the result of the referendum held on the subject of the commonwealth bill, drafted by representatives of the Australian colonies of Great Britain in 1898 and revised by the premiers last January, has decided by an overwhelming majority in favor of federation. Inasmuch as New South Wales, without whose adhesion none of the other colonies is willing to federate, gave a majority of 22,000 for the commonwealth bill at the referendum of June 20th, the action of Victoria as showing the sentiment of the younger colonies assures the union of the Australian states in a commonwealth of Australia. The colony of Queensland will hold its referendum on the question Sept. 2nd.

—A sad drowning accident happened between seven and eight o'clock Saturday evening at Rosstrover, M. J. C. The victim was Maurice Cosbie, a 13-year-old son of Mr. Robert Cosbie of Toronto, who with a companion of the same age was in bathing. Young Cosbie, who could not swim, was playing with a floating log, when either by reason of the swells of the steamer Nipissing, which had just left the adjacent wharf, or from some unknown cause he was carried off his feet and floated into water beyond his depth. His companion, seeing him in difficulty on going to his assistance, found himself out of his depth, but being able to swim a few yards managed to regain the shallower water. In the meantime young Cosbie's father had plunged into the water to rescue his son, but being impeded by having all his clothing failed to reach him before he finally sank, and he was himself taken out of the water much exhausted. A peculiarly sad feature of the fatality is that only 6 or 7 years ago Mr. and Mrs. Cosbie lost a young son of about the same age under somewhat similar circumstances while spending the summer at Kincaidine.

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