

# Meeting of Directors

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Minutes of a meeting of Directors of Morganston Cheese Co-operative held at the factory at 8 p.m. on October 6, 1947.

Present: P. R. Darling  
N. H. Doidge  
N. Harren  
J. A. McComb.  
Percy Moore.

The President, Mr. P. R. Darling explained how the time had arrived that our cheesemaker, Mr. D. A. Steinberg wished to know whether the Co-op. wished to hire him for 1948.

Mr. Steinberg explained the upward trend in the cost of his supplies and the uncertainty as to 1948 prices.

After some discussion, it was moved by N. H. Doidge seconded by Percy Moore that Mr. Steinberg be hired for the 1948 term at the same price as for 1947, namely 23 mills per lb. cheese manufactured, furnish his own supplies, and 8¢ per lb. whey fat skimmed. The motion was carried and Mr. Steinberg accepted the above offer.

The Chairman then stated that the Cheese Co-operative was liable for filing Income Tax returns for the year 1947 and liable for payment of tax on profits of 1947 unless exemption could be had due to reorganization as a new co-operative.

This filing of forms and payment of tax was very strongly resented by the members and on motion of J. A. McComb seconded by N. H. Doidge, the Secretary was instructed to send copies of the following resolution to The Minister of National Revenue, The Cheese Producers Association,

R. E. Drope, M.P.

"We, the Directors of Morganston Cheese Co-operative do most strongly oppose the filing of Income Tax Forms and payment of taxation if eligible, (by Cheese Factories) with the result that we shall have decreased production of cheese as cheese factories will be unable to compete with the other markets for milk."

The meeting then adjourned.