



AND A SINCERE WISH THAT EVERYONE IN THE DISTRICT WILL HAVE

A Happy New Year

HOLLYWOOD HOTEL NORVAL

Final Meeting for 1945 of Halton County Council

Adjustments in Salaries and Allowances made — By-Laws Passed to Appoint Public Health Nurses and County Assessor — Warden Heslop Eulogized by Fellow Councillors on Splendid Service

All members were present at the final meeting of Halton County Council, Tuesday, Dec. 11th.

Accounts passed by Council were as follows:

Printing	\$ 191.06
Agriculture — Re-forestation	\$ 51.52
County Roads	28,779.31
Hospital Accounts	1,556.80
County Buildings	388.94
Finance — Children's Aid Society	\$27.56
Fees and Expenses of Old Age Pensions and Mother's Allowance Committee	\$280.60
Committee Fees re Children's Aid Society	\$111.20
Total	\$31,387.99

Since County asked approval of a resolution requesting the Dominion Government to direct the War Assets Corporation to pass over to the schools on indefinite loan, all surplus equipment and materials needed for instructional purposes. This letter was endorsed.

There was some discussion regarding the account of the new lighting sys-

tem and it was agreed that the County Buildings Committee request the return of the old fixtures before final payment of the account was made.

The Finance Committee recommended that the salary of the County Clerk be reconsidered, suggested that it be increased to \$1500 per annum, effective Nov. 1, 1945 with \$10 of same being charged to general accounts and the balance of \$500 be charged to Road Accounts. The increase was approved.

The following resolution was moved by Mr. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Pettit, that \$400 as expenses be paid to the Warden, Dr. Heslop, for the year 1946.

Mr. Gilbert, in presenting the motion, explained that, in his opinion and in the opinion of a good many with whom he had consulted, it was ridiculous to expect the Warden to give his time, accept the responsibility incidental to his office, for as small a remuneration as had been given in the past. Formerly the Warden had been given \$200.

The Warden, Dr. Heslop, said that while he approved of the increase in principle, he regretted it had come up during his term of office. Had it come up next year it would have met with his approval. His personal objections being over ruled, the motion was carried unanimously.

By-laws were passed appointing the Public Health Nurses for the Public Schools in the County, also the appointment of a county Assessor.

Mr. Wm. Deans, as secretary of the Old Age Pensions Board, was given a grant of \$150 for efficient services rendered.

As a means of preserving the records of the Lorne Scots, of which Halton County is justly proud, it was moved by Mr. Hillman and Mr. Whitaker, that the authority be given to the Brampton Conservator to print Halton's share of the history of the Lorne Scots at an approximate cost of \$84.00. Carried.

Moved by Robertson and Gilbert, that the car allowance for Roy Smith, County Engineer, be raised from \$500 to \$750 for the year 1946. Carried.

In regard to County Health Services, the Warden announced that he had talked with Dr. Struthers who had expressed great satisfaction at the progress already made in the County and had intimated that the Department had its eye on Halton in the hope that when facilities were available this County would be first in the field to take advantage of the extended health service. Mr. Robertson: "I think this Health Unit is such a splendid service that I feel Halton County should bend over backwards to take advantage of such a proposition. Mr. J. M. MacDonald, who has been very active in getting the present Health Service underway, agreed it was one of the finest things that ever hit the County.

The warden was asked to vacate the chair and with Mr. Gilbert as chairman the wish of the Council was asked as to voicing their individual appreciation to the retiring Warden as had been the custom in the past. Mr. Gilbert told Council that Dr. Heslop had said he would prefer that this not be done. However Mr. Craig thought it was too bad if they were all in such a hurry that they could not take time to voice a few words of personal appreciation to their Warden. Each member therefore spoke as he saw fit and the Warden was the recipient of many words of commendation, obviously in all sincerity as to the appreciation of his services during his term of office. Regret was also expressed by members regarding the pending retirement of Messrs. J. M. MacDonald, N. Gilbert and W. J. Robertson. Mr. Cleave in his remarks, aptly referred to J. M. MacDonald as 'Mr. Hisley.'

The Warden, brief as usual, was none the less obviously sincere in his thanks to his fellow members for their words of commendation. He said he felt it had been a successful year and that much had been accomplished and this, he asserted, was due to the co-operation and good fellowship of the entire council. He also expressed regret that several of the older members with whom it had been a pleasure and privilege to associate with, were dropping out.

Council adjourned following the singing of the National Anthem.

New Year's Message From Halton's Member

New Year's Day, 1946, is the first new year since 1929 that we can look forward to without the anxiety of war. The sacrifices, though not all the hardships, are behind us. Great though the sacrifices in human life and in wealth have been, there is a silver lining. The demands of war have taught us how to achieve full employment and already as a direct result of the war we, as a nation, have become aware of the need for full social and health security. The Family Allowance measure and Unemployment Insurance became law during the war. A Public Health Measure, and forecasted revisions to the Old Age Pension Act will fully round out our social security programme. Full employment, coupled with a complete revision of our tax structure should make Canada the finest place in which to live and rear a family.

Internationally Canada is doing her full part. Our contribution to the San Francisco Conference, our participation in the International Fund to regulate Foreign Exchange and to the International Bank to furnish credit to war ravaged countries as agreed upon at Bretton Woods, our contributions to U. N. R. A., and our contribution to freer trade among the nations means that we as a nation are willing and anxious to help world recovery.

The coming year will perhaps be the most difficult of the post war years. We will have some unemployment and the housing situation is serious, but the over all picture is full of encouragement.

During the war years I had to spend most of the time out of the riding but from now on will be at home excepting when the House is in session and will be glad to give full attention to riding work once again.

Best wishes to all for the New Year and don't forget you have a member who will be glad to serve you when asked.

Yours Sincerely,

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C. J. BUCK

MEATS & GROCERIES

PHONE 28w

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DEBATE FEATURES JOINT MEETING OF NORVAL JUNIORS

"Resolved that Poultry Raising is more profitable than Dairying", was the subject of a debate which was the main feature of a meeting of the Norval Juniors on Tuesday, Dec. 11th, at the home of Mrs. Marion Hunter and Clayton Dick. Craig Reid and John Bird, upholding the negative side of the question were judged winners over Jim Carney and Jack Ruddell. Judges were Bill Tolton of Milton, Ken Marshall and Claude Pickett, and in the Judge's remarks, Mr. Tolton gave the Juniors some valuable constructive criticism regarding debating procedure.

Business meetings of the girls' and boys' groups preceded the joint meeting. After the debate, Christmas carols were sung, with John Bird at the piano and refreshments followed.

To the People of Georgetown and District

We extend our sincere wish that your Holiday Season and the year to come be filled with much Happiness and Joy. May we continue to have your friendship and serve you in 1946.

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