

Council Takes Stock of Snow-Plowing Equipment

Road Supt. Davis brought up the subject of snowplowing at Whitchurch Township council meeting on Saturday, and suggested, it might be to the township's advantage to buy one or two trucks to do their own work instead of hiring it done for \$6 per hour.

"If we get a truck big enough to plow snow, would it be too big for the summertime?" Councillor Baycroft queried.

"That's the reason I'm having Harry Ratcliff come up this afternoon," Mr. Davis replied. Mr. Ratcliff of Stouffville Motors furnished information on cost of types of chassis, plow and gravel box suitable for township snowplow work. Mr. Ratcliff pointed out Roberts and Rennie hauled gravel in summer in trucks used for plowing in winter. Some councillors felt the township did not at present require the same trucks for summer work as these men use. Discussion brought out the information that a truck such as Mr. Ratcliff suggested consumes 3 gals. of fuel per hour in heavy snowplowing and that county snowplow trucks receive \$6 per day stand-by time.

Mr. Davis asked if employees' salaries might be paid twice a month instead of monthly, and council felt this would be possible. He also asked for a meeting of King and Whitchurch Councils to discuss drainage problems at Yonge Street.

A letter of complaint was received from Mrs. Burk at Wilcox Lake complaining of pools of dirty water standing around into which her children fell.

Mention was made of the possibility of Whitchurch joining the local Health Unit.

"We are told if we go in, the

building may be located in Stouffville, otherwise it will be in Markham," the meeting was informed. Council was not interested.

Road accounts for the month of September amounted to \$2,873.72. General Accounts reached a total of \$545.52, including payment of \$120 to the Village of Stouffville for 3 fires.

Councillor Legge felt the supply of snow fence should not be allowed to become depleted, and purchase of 20 rolls, and 150 seven-foot steel posts was authorized.

Court of Revision was set for Saturday, Nov. 11th, at 2 o'clock.

Payment to Robt. Forfar of \$500 for garbage collection at Musselman's Lake for 1950 was authorized.

Consideration was given the \$600,000 debenture on Newmarket High School Building.

Net fines for Whitchurch amounted to \$74.42.

Grant Helmky was recorded as being opposed to the closing of the lane at Musselman's Lake, as it provided access to water in dry times.

Sheep claims for the month amounted to \$115. J. A. Clark, lot 14, con 6; one sheep killed \$30; Geo. Druery, lot 30, con. 3, 2 sheep killed @ \$30, \$60; Chas. Dennie, lot 11, con. 7, one sheep killed \$25.

On resolution dated Sept. 27th by Deputy Reeve McLaughlin and Councillor Baycroft the reeve and treasurer were authorized to apply to the Dept. of Highways for interim subsidy on road expenditure in 1950 up to Aug. 31st in amount:

Roads 50%	\$34,876.51
Culverts 80%	678.69
	\$35,555.20

Can't Sleep at Night For Barking Dogs

Never-ending are the complaints received by councillors whether it be the township or town. Monday's meeting of Markham Township Council was no exception. A delegation of ladies from the second concession headed by Mrs. McGraw brought in a petition complaining against Markham's westside greyhound dog kennel.

The ladies claimed that the dogs killed local feines, and were so ill fed they were eating each other.

Council called on Constable Shepherd concerning the complaints and he stated that on the visits he had made to the kennel he had found nothing amiss. He stated that the dogs were penned and the owner had a private race track on his own property.

A deputation waited on council concerning certain improvements in Hunt's Lane which they claimed was in a bad state of repair and required bridge repairs.

The delegation was informed that the Department had turned down a new bridge until the roadway was widened to 33 feet, and this would require an additional strip of land being deeded to the municipality down the one side of the roadway.

Mr. Jackson addressing council stated that he had been making continual trips to Unionville in an effort to have road improvement effected on Lillian St. on the west side of the township, but had never been able to get any action.

Mr. Maldober, sub-divider and owner of much of the property on the north side of Clark Ave. adjacent to Lillian had placed \$1500 at the disposal of the township for the improvement of the streets in that area, but had not definitely designated the streets.

"Can't you bring pressure to bear, we're paying taxes and getting nothing done," Mr. Jackson complained.

"I don't see why we can't go ahead and use the money," stated Councillor Hooper. "We will have to take Lillian St. over anyway as the public's using it. We've got the money, let's go ahead and fix the road, why worry about the deed?"

After considerable discussion, a resolution was brought in by Mr. Hooper and Mr. Clark calling for the expenditure of up to \$500 of the deposit money to repair the road of which Mr. Jackson was complaining.

The next meeting of council was set for Nov. 4th, with Court of Revision on the assessment roll on Oct. 30th, at 3 o'clock.

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Canada Potato Growers Seek Government Aid

Canadian potato growers, fearful of what the future may hold for their product, began the uphill job of seeking financial assistance from the government.

Headed by W. R. Shaw, deputy minister of agriculture for Prince Edward Island, a delegation of potato grower representatives gathered to find out how sympathetic the government is to the idea of granting price-support for Canadian potatoes.

Though there were no official statements, there were indications that the delegation drew a blank when the idea of price support was broached.

The potato growers were expected to get the government's final decision this week when they met with Agriculture Minister Gardiner.

Meanwhile, there were indications that the government feels there should be a reduction in future Canadian potato crops as one means to help solve the continual problem of finding markets for surplus.

This year, the crop is expected to total about 90,000,00 bushels or more. Officials close to the situation have stated the crop should not exceed 75,000,000 bushels.

CANARIES HATCH ROBIN
Shewsbury, Mass. — John R. Sullivan found a bird egg on his front lawn and put it in a cage with his canaries, Brighty and Chipper. They took turns sitting on the egg for two weeks until a baby robin was hatched.

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A MAN'S WAY
The little boy broke the seat on his two-dollar kiddie car but his kind father assured him he would make it as good as new. He did, too, and it was a source of family pride that daddy was so handy. However came the family ironing day and mother found the end had been cut off the ironing board. Father had sacrificed the five-dollar board to fix the two-dollar kiddie car.

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