

MINUTES

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Financial Statement

**OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
OF THE**

Township of Seneca

County of Haldimand

FOR THE YEAR

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W. S. HUDSPETH, Reeve

H. B. SAWLE, TOWNSHIP PRINTER

FOURTH MEETING

TOWN HALL, YORK, MAY 19, 1919.

The Seneca Council met on the above date. The Reeve in the chair. Members all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Clerk, and adopted as read. Communications were read by the Clerk from the following:

1. The United Farmers re Good Roads.
2. The Dominion Good Roads Association re Annual Meeting.
3. The Hydro Radial Union re Convention.
4. Letters from a Number of Firms re Suitable Testimonial for Returned Soldiers.

No action was taken in any with the exception of the last. The Reeve was appointed to interview firms and ascertain prices of something appropriate in order to recognize the services of the men who had served in the army and were residents of Seneca.

Moved by Mr. Martindale, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, that the following accounts be paid, and that the Reeve be and is hereby authorized to issue his orders on the Treasurer for the same: Carried.

Municipal World, supplies.....	\$ 2 62
Shirra Milling Co., 36 posts.	18 00
Canada Ingot Iron Co., 3 culverts.....	142 00
Stratford Corrugated Pipe Co., 5 culverts.....	207 40
G. W. Bishop, burying dog.....	2 00
C. J. Martindale, part salary.	50 00
C. E. Hannah, balance of salary as Assessor, and postage.....	52 50

Moved by Mr. Martindale, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, that this Council now form itself into a Court of Revision, with the Reeve in the chair. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Tomlinson, that the following changes be made in the Assessment Roll, and that the Roll as then revised be the Roll for 1919. Carried.

Mark Abbey, one dog, struck off.

David Smart, changed from non-resident to resident.

Beatrice E. Todd, income assessment struck off, as she is also assessed for her income in Oneida.

Elmer Allemang, struck off, as he has sold his farm.

Edward Sagar, added as owner of the Elmer Allemang farm.

Miss R. Becker, placed on the roll in place of Aden Becker, deceased.

Moved by Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Tomlinson, that this Court of Revision do now adjourn, and that the Council resume business. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Tomlinson, that the members of the Township Council of Seneca desire to express their deep regret at the recent death of Mrs. Fred. Stoneman, the wife of the Township Tax Collector, and that this resolution be embodied in the minutes, and that a copy thereof be forwarded to Mr. Stoneman as an evidence of our sympathy for him and his infant son in their sad bereavement. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Martindale, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet on Monday, June 23, at 1 p.m. Carried.

W. S. HUDSPETH, REEVE.

C. J. MARTINDALE, CLERK.

FIFTH MEETING

TOWN HALL, YORK, JUNE 23, 1919.

The Seneca Council met on the above date. The Reeve in the chair. Members all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Clerk, and adopted as read.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Martindale, that the following accounts be paid, and that the Reeve be and is hereby authorized to issue his orders on the Treasurer for the same. Carried:

Relief of Mrs. Gregory.....	\$17 04
R. A. Winger, gas for lamps for six months.....	10 50
R. A. Winger, care of gas lamps, Caledonia.....	8 60
James Moore, work on streets, York.....	33 23
Thomas Martindale, grading streets, York.....	25 00
R. Young, repairing bridge, R. D. 42.....	5 00
Canada Ingot Iron Co., one culvert.....	21 00
Palmer Bird, operating grader.....	13 50
George Bird, engine on grader on R. D's. 55, 66, 42, T. I.3.....	80 00
N. Gawley, part salary as Treasurer.....	35 00

Moved by Mr. Martindale, seconded by Mr. Tomlinson, that the Reeve be instructed to procure suitable memorials for the returned soldiers who represented Seneca in the C. E. F., and also for the next of kin of those who had paid the supreme sacrifice. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Martindale, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet on Monday, August 4, 1919, at 1 o'clock p.m. Carried.

W. S. HUDSPETH, REEVE.

C. J. MARTINDALE, CLERK.

SIXTH MEETING

TOWN HALL, YORK, AUGUST 4, 1919.

The Seneca Council met on the above date. The Reeve in the chair. Members all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Clerk, and adopted as read.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Martindale, that the following accounts be paid, and that the Reeve be and is hereby authorized to issue his orders on the Treasurer for the same: Carried.

Gordon Hannah, sheep killed by dogs	\$ 50 00
C. Renshaw, levelling streets in York.	4 50
Henry Wolfe, drawing plank and repairing bridge.....	8 50
C. J. Martindale, expenses and railway fare for Mrs. Gregory..	11 70
Mrs Mellon, relief for Mrs. Gregory.....	8 02
Bert Emerson, relief for Mrs. Gregory.....	10 32
Seneca Lumber Co , 3,395 feet of plank, at \$55 a thousand.....	186 72
Canada Ingot Iron Co., 7 culverts.....	228 60
A. Tomlinson, drawing plank.....	3 00
George H. Lees, rings for soldiers.....	411 18
W. G. Adams, part payment for work on Town Line, Seneca and Caistor	65 00
T. McLaughlin, work on R. D. No. 66.....	10 50
G. Long, do do	30 00
R. Lusk do do	12 00
T. Fagan, do do	22 20
T. Connelly, do do and 51.....	35 00
James Moore, cutting weeds and repairing lamps.....	13 50
C. Springer, half of expenses for soldiers' reception.....	79 25
Norman Burrows, bounty for killing sheep dog..	5 00
Park Singer, operating grader on R. D. No. 43.....	3 00
W. Bothwright, bounty for killing sheep dog	5 00

Moved by Mr. Martindale, seconded by Mr. Lee, that leave be granted to introduce Bylaw No. 228, To Levy Rates on All Rateable Property for the Year 1919, and that the same be read a first time. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Martindale, that Bylaw No. 228 be read a second time. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Tomlinson, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, that Bylaw No. 228 be read a third time and entitled a Bylaw as in the original motion. Carried.

The rates are as follows :

MILLS.	MILLS.
S. S. No. 1.....3 4-10	S. S. No. 84 9-10
S. S. No. 2.....1 2-10	S. S. No. 96 1-10
S. S. No. 3.....4	S. S. No. 103 7-10
S. S. No. 4.....5 6-10	S. S. No. 113 8-10
S. S. No. 62 5-10	S. S. No. 12.....7 9 10
S. S. No. 7.....7 7	S. S. No. 13.....3 8-10
County Rate.....12 5-10	General School Rate.....2 5-10
Township Rate.....3 Mills	

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Martindale, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet on September 15 at 1 p.m. Carried.

W. S. HUDSPETH, REEVE.

C. J. MARTINDALE, CLERK.

NINTH MEETING

TOWN HALL, YORK, DECEMBER 15, 1919.

The Seneca Council met on the above date. The Reeve in the chair. Members all present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Clerk, and adopted as read. A number of communications and accounts were read.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Lee, that the following accounts be paid, and that the Reeve be and is hereby authorized to issue his orders on the Treasurer for the same. Carried:

James Lockie, cement account.....	\$ 191 30
J. H. Piper, clevises and rings	1 75
Brown & Brown, contract for Fisher bridge.....	100 00
F. W. Brown, putting lock on Town Hall.....	50
John Hagen, teaming and placing ingot.....	10 00
R. E. French, for glass, lock and knobs.....	2 01
Canada Ingot Co., 1 ingot	24 30
Shirra Milling Co., 100 bags of cement.....	73 80
Treasurer of Caledonia, half work on Town Line, Caledonia.	38 25
R. A. Winger, gas account.....	19 89
Arrell & Arrell, legal advice	7 59
J. W. Robinson, drawing cement and grading.....	52 75
Sam Tyler, operating grader and drawing gravel	8 00
Robert Fisher, teaming cement and returning bags.....	10 00
James Croft, part payment on Lusk bridge..	85 00
James Meehan, dog tax refunded.....	2 00
Adam Beattie, do	2 00
Gilbert Howley, do	2 00
Bert Emerson, do	4 00
R. G. Renshaw, do	4 00
Walter Hannah, do	2 00
E Hannigan, do	2 00
Wm. Tomlinson, error in dog tax.....	2 00
Robert Hamilton, 9 loads of gravel.....	5 40
Harvey Hannah, half day operating grader on R. D. 68.....	1 50
Anson Tomlinson, drawing cement, grading, etc.....	52 00
Harrv Hewitt, grading Lusk bridge	6 00
Ralph Currie, railings for four bridges.....	100 00
R. J. Neale, gravel, stone and levelling.....	20 00
Emmett Singer, labor..	25 13
Park Singer, two stringers and repairing bridge.....	12 00
Standard Bank, loan and interest.....	1523 20
Board of Health..	63 50
C J. Martindale, balance of salary as Clerk, and postage. ..	57 55
H. B. Sawle, printing	80 00
Norman Gawley, balance of salary as Treasurer.....	40 00
F. S. Stoneman, salary as Collector.....	100 00
W. S. Hudspeth, services as Reeve	70 00
W. H. Bradshaw, services as Councillor.....	75 00
Joseph Martindale, do do	85 00
John Lee, do do	50 00
W. A. Tomlinson, do do	50 00
County Treasurer, county rate.....	17580 78

Moved by Mr. Martindale, seconded by Mr. Tomlinson, that the time for the return of the Collector's Roll be extended until the next meeting of the Council. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Hudspeth, that this Council grant the sum of \$10 to the Caledonia Poultry Show. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Bradshaw, that leave be granted to

introduce By-law No. 230, To Appoint Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks for the Township of Seneca for the Purpose of Holding Municipal Elections for the Year 1920, and that the same be read a first time. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bradshaw, seconded by Mr. Tomlinson, that By-law No. 230 be read a second time. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Tomlinson, seconded by Mr. Lee, that By-law No. 230, To Appoint Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks, be read a third time, signed by the Reeve and Clerk, the Corporate Seal attached, and entitled a By-law as in the original motion. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lee, seconded by Mr. Martindale, that this Council do now adjourn sine die. Carried.

W. S. HUDSPETH, REEVE.

C. J. MARTINDALE, CLERK.

During the noon hour the Ladies of the Red Cross presented to the Township of Seneca a Brass Tablet containing the names of all men who were residents of Seneca when they enlisted for service in the Great War of 1914 18. The Tablet was accepted on behalf of the Township by the Reeve, who made a very able and appropriate address. All the members of the Council thanked the Ladies for their gift, as did also ex-Reeves Dills and Shipway.
