Communications were read.

PALMERSTON-CANONTO. Minutes of council meeting held on August 23rd. All members present except McKinnon. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

By-law 284 was passed, levying

the rates as follows: County rate, 18 mills; township rate, 18 mills; school rate, 18 mills; total, 54 mills. Moved, Herman-Mundell, that the following accounts be paid: Whig Publishing Company, printing voters' list, \$63; James Isatt, 200 posts at Sc. each, \$16; James Simpson, for sheep killed and damaged, \$14. William Love, valuating sheep, \$2; Whig Publishing Company, advertising Court of Revision, \$12; John Les, groceries and ticket to hospital for John Mills, \$10; David Olmstead, road work, \$12.83; Robert

Ferguson, road work, \$12. Moved by Geddes-Mundell, that Olmstead and Ferguson road work he charged to the various divisions.

Moved by Geddes-Hermer, that no other business on hand, the council adjourn to meet on December 17th for general business.-Carried.

-T. G. BURKE. Clerk for Townships Palmerston and

HOWE ISLAND. Sept. 6 .- Council met. Members all present. Moved by John Gillesple seconded by Joseph Welsh that minutes of last meeting be adopted as read. Moved by John Gillespie seconded by Thomas Garrah that the following bills be paid: William White, stamps and stationary, \$2; Municipal World, order book and assessment act, \$1.14; Municipal World, statutes book for 1926, \$2 .-38; British Whig, printing voters' lists, \$18.37.

Moved by James Lachance seconded by Joseph Welsh that a by-law be passed to raise money for township and school purposes.

Moved by John Gillespie seconded by Thomas Garrah that by-law 259 be read first time. Moved by Thomas Garrah seconded by James Lachance that by-law 259 be read second and third time.

igned and sealed. Moved by John Gillespie seconded by Thomas Garrah' that the Bell Telephone Co. be given permission to lay a line between lot 5 and 6. Carried.

By-law 259 of the municipal corporation of the township of Howe Island for the purpose of levying and collecting certain sums of money (1) for county purposes, (2) township purposes, (3) separate school purposes, (4) road and bridge pur-

Whereas it is necessary to pass a by-law for the aforesaid purposes it is therefore enacted and it is hereby enacted that the sums of \$4,534 be levied and collected on the whole rateable property in the township of Howe Island; for county purposes \$1,800, for township purposes \$400, for separate school purposes \$1,300, for road and bridge purposes \$1,034, school section No. 1, \$600; school section No. 2, \$300; school section No. 32 \$400; and be it therefore enacted that the above sums be levied and collected on the rateable property in the township of Howe Island, and paid to township freasurer on or before the 15th day of December, 1926.

Moved by John Gillespie seconded by Joseph Welsh that meeting adourn till Sept. 15th at 1 p.m. -WILLIAM WHITE,

Township Clerk.

HINCHINBEOOKE. Council met in LO.O.F. Hall, Parham, Saturday, Aug. 28th. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting ead and approved. Bills and con nunications read and filed. Sotion. Campbell-Botting, the till of Thomas Moran, re work and

ravel, be referred to road superin ent -- Carried. Motion, Botting-Campbell, the tras, and this resolution be authenti-

cated as a by-law.--Carried. otion, Botting-Howes, that under the dircumstances, we take no action on the bill of William Amey.-Car

Motion, Jackson-Howes, that Coun-Hor Campbell be authorized to instruct the road superintendent to finish work on hill on Campbell road.

Motion, Howes-Botting, that bylaw for striking of rates be read a first time.-Carried.

otion, Jackson-Howes, that

and grant of \$50 to Hinchinbros Agricultural Soicety.—Carried.

Motion, Jackson-Botting, that the HOME following order be paid: A. W. Sirett

shool fair, \$20 .- Carried

Motion, Howes-Campbell, 60

ancil adjourn to meet at Piccatilly the last Saturday in September.

order of the day. A great number of

-R. E. BEATTIE.

cursion to Clayton on Monday even- on Sunday. ing making the trip through the islands. They report a very enjoyable EXHIBIT OF FLOWERS time. After spending an hour at Clayton the whistle blew foud and

strong; but all did not respons Earl Burt is improving his res dence by putting on a matallic roof Preemont Mills is relieving one of the men on the oil wagon for the next two weeks. Miss Mildred Ang lin, Belleville, has re-

paring her school to attend the ing a few days here.

day afternoon, by train, to attend little baby, Monday. We are glad to York City, where they will remain a Toronto exhibition. Mrs. Spery see Mrs. Harriet Parrott once again. Shibly accompanied them. K. N. Mr. Brawley and Miss Ila Storms re-opened here on Septer Storms left on Sunday to meet Mrs. were calling on friends Tuesday af Storms in Toronto. The girls soft ternoon, Elwood Thompson and sisball team took in the moonlight ex- ter, were visiting at J. E. Storms

Rev. Mr. Cumberland, Kingston, oc- vote for Mr. Bushell on Tuesday or rriday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. James Keegan, Ri-

short time on their return trip. School

most of the grain was harvested, and the hum of the threshing machin heard again. Mesers. Sherrard and McLellan, also F. Hutchins, are by ily engaged with their threshing fits. Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hoyt and sor Francis, of Antwerp, N. Y., are visit

Rev. Mr. McQuade returned after school fair at Odessa on Tuesday A number from here attended the grows on their lawns. Miss Annie pulpit in this place Sunday evening. here are very anxious to cast their of the L.O.L. No. 72, at Oxford > few days in Ottawa.

next.

The stork visited the home of Mr. residents of this vicinity, who were Falls on Monday after spending their

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PARTIES	1921			
Conservatives -	<sub>-</sub> E1	1925		~ · ~=
Liberals	• • • 117 •	101		- Loss 16
Progressives Independent, Socialists, etc.	(	24	• • • •	- Loss 41
Socialists, etc.	• • • • •	• • • • 4	· · · · ·	Gain 1

## WOTE.

FOR BRIG.-GEN. A. E. ROSS IN KINGSTON FOR HON. J. W. EDWARDS IN FRONTENAC-ADDINGTON FOR H. A. STEWART, K. C. IN LEEDS

and for Stable Government