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HALIFAX COUNTY COUNCILLORS FOR 1958

<u>District Number</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Post Office Address</u>
7	Granville Snair	Black Point, Halifax County
8	Reginald H. Curren C. Gregory McGrath	Birch Cove, Halifax County Bedford, Halifax County
9	Granville Moser	Glen Margaret, Halifax County
10	Roy E. Longard	326 Spring Garden Road, Halifax
11	Gerald Spears	Ketch Harbour, Halifax County
12	Percy L. Balcome Jr. F. G. H. Leverman Daniel J. McNeil	32 St. Margaret's Bay Road, Armdale, Halifax County P. O. Box 561, Halifax P. O. Box 36, Spryfield, Halifax County
13	Charles A. Myers	Eastern Passage, Halifax County
14	John R. Matthews Ira S. Settle	P. O. Box 82, Tufts Cove, Halifax County Woodlawn, R. R. 1, Dartmouth
15	Russell J. Sellars	West Lawrencetown, Halifax County
16	A. W. Evans	Preston, Halifax County
17	Clyde V. Redmond	Head Chezzetcook, Halifax County
18	Joseph B. Davis	Musquodoboit Harbour, Halifax County
19	Howard Daye	Salmon River Bridge, Jeddore, Halifax County
20	P. Stanley Ferguson	Tangier, Halifax County
21	John S. Donaldson	Sheet Harbour, Halifax County
22	Carl Turner	Moser River, Halifax County
23	George Burris	Upper Musquodoboit, Halifax County
24	Douglas Archibald	Middle Musquodoboit, Halifax County
25	Norman Cruikshank	Eldersbank, Halifax County
26	Alexander C. Isenor	Dutch Settlement, Lants R.R. 1
27	Mrs. Mary T. King-Myers	Wellington, Halifax County
28	G. Roy Flawn	65 Hawthorne Street, Dartmouth

STANDING COMMITTEES

- REVENUE COMMITTEE - Councillors Snair, Burris, Spears
Longard, Redmond, Sellars and Archibald
- PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE - Councillors Myers, Matthews, Settle,
Flawn, Balcome, Curren and Spears
- WELFARE COMMITTEE - Councillors Ferguson, Moser, King-Myers,
Snair, Davis, Archibald and Daye
- TRADE COMMITTEE - Councillors Turner, Daye, McGrath,
Longard, Myers, Sellars and Evans
- RESOURCES COMMITTEE - Councillors Evans, Archibald, Cruikshank,
Myers, Sellars, Spears and Longard
- SAFETY COMMITTEE - Councillors Davis, Moser, McNeil, Turner,
Daye, Redmond and Isenor
- LAW AMENDMENTS COMMITTEE - Councillors Redmond, Balcome, Snair,
Donaldson, Longard, Moser and Burris
- ARBITRATION COMMITTEE - Councillors Cruikshank, Burris and Myers
- JURY LISTS COMMITTEE - Councillors Turner, King-Myers and Isenor
- PARKS AND PUBLIC LANDS
COMMITTEE - Councillors Davis, Isenor, Evans, Sellars,
King-Myers, McGrath and McNeil
- INDUSTRIAL COMMITTEE - Councillors Settle, Matthews, Ferguson,
Flawn, Curren, Spears and Balcome
- COUNTY PLANNING BOARD - Councillors Settle, McGrath, Davis, Snair,
McNeil and Donaldson
- SCHOOL CAPITAL PROGRAM
COMMITTEE - Councillors Flawn, Curren and Matthews
- FINANCE COMMITTEE - Warden Leverman, Deputy Warden Cruikshank,
Councillors Myers, Snair, Ferguson,
Turner, Evans and Davis

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

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| <u>AGENDA</u> | - Councillors Turner and McNeil |
| <u>JUVENILE AND FAMILY COURT</u> | - Councillors Curren, Matthews and Archibald |
| <u>STUDY POOR RELIEF ACT</u> | - Deputy Warden Cruikshank, Councillors Myers and Spears |
| <u>REDISTRIBUTION</u> | - Councillors Redmond, King-Myers, McGrath, Davis and Flawn |
| <u>COMMISSIONERS OF COURT HOUSE</u> | - Warden Leverman and Councillor Donaldson |
| <u>PRINTING AND REPORTING</u> | - Warden Leverman and Councillor Flawn |
| <u>COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH</u> | - Councillors Daye, Balcome and Archibald |
| <u>GARBAGE DISPOSAL</u> | - Councillors Settle, Spears, Flawn, Balcome and Curren |
| <u>UNION OF NOVA SCOTIA MUNICIPALITIES</u> | - <u>Delegates</u>
Warden Leverman, Councillors Evans, Archibald, Spears and Flawn

<u>Alternates</u>
Councillors Turner, Isenor, Balcome, Ferguson and Longard |
| <u>METROPOLITAN SURVEY</u> | - Warden Leverman, Councillors Donaldson and Myers |
| <u>HIGHWAYS</u> | - Councillors Ferguson, Settle and Balcome |
| <u>REGIONAL LIBRARY</u> | - Councillors Burris, King-Myers and Moser |

MUNICIPALITY OF THE COUNTY OF HALIFAX

Warden - F. G. H. Leverman

Municipal Clerk and Treasurer - Rudd G. Hattie

Municipal Collector - Harry G. Bensted

Director of Assessment - Walter M. Purcell

Municipal Solicitors - Hart, Cox, Donahoe, Palmeter, Rogers & MacKinnon

Municipal Health Officers - Dr. Kevin Smith, Spryfield (Western Area)
Dr. Duncan MacMillan, Sheet Harbour
(Eastern Area)

Jail Surgeon - Dr. Kevin Smith, Spryfield

Auditors - F. E. Smith, C.A., and W. A. Stech, C.A.

Clerk of Licenses - J. F. R. McMahon

County Constables - Harvey Veinotte, Charles Mitchell and Clarence
Smith

Board of Appeal - Alan Duffus, Bedford
Roy Archibald, Middle Musquodoboit
Edmund Webber, Lake Charlotte

Halifax County Hospital - Superintendent - Edward V. Smith
Matron - Mrs. Edward V. Smith
Medical Officer - Dr. F. F. P. Malcolm
Visiting Committee -
Rev. J.D.N. MacDonald (Chairman),
Box 266, Dartmouth, N. S.
Rev. A. C. Snow, Port Wallis
Rev. Mgrs. Gerald Murphy, St. Peter's
Glebe, Maple Street, Dartmouth
Mrs. A. C. Pettipas, 150 Windmill Road,
Dartmouth
Mrs. J. T. Cruikshanks, Jollimore

Municipal Building Board - Andrew Thomson, Glen Margaret (Chairman)
Ernest Barrett, Sackville
Adelbert Fredericks, Lilac St., Imperoyal
P.O., Halifax County, N. S.

Municipal School Board - Deputy Warden Norman Cruikshank, Councillor
P. S. Ferguson, Councillor A. W. Evans,
Councillor Percy L. Balcome Jr., appointed
by Council; Joseph E. Maher (1961), 31
Frederick Avenue, Fairview (Chairman),
William A. Russell (1959), Hackett's Cove,
Harry Hall (1960) Sheet Harbour.

County Planning Board - Councillors Ira Settle (Chairman), C. G.
McGrath, J. B. Davis, Granville Snair,
Daniel J. McNeil and J. S. Donaldson

Veterinary Board - George S. Dickey, Middle Musquodoboit
Representatives - Havelock Erskine, Upper Musquodoboit
(Halifax Musquodoboit Area Veterinary Assistance
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Nelson Gaetz, Head Chezzetcook
Donald Turner, R.R.1, Dartmouth, N.S.
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MEETING OF THE FEBRUARY-MARCH SESSION
OF THE THIRTY-SECOND COUNCIL OF THE
MUNICIPALITY OF HALIFAX COUNTY

FIRST DAY MORNING

February 26, 1958.

Council met at 10 a.m.

The meeting opened with the repeating in unison of the Lord's Prayer.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Warden Leverman said that Councillor Ferguson would be unable to attend this session as he was confined to Hospital.

Councillors Flawn and Snair moved:-

"THAT Mr. Wyn Rhydwen be appointed reporter for the session at the usual remuneration of \$15.00 per day." Motion carried.

Councillors McGrath and Moser moved:-

"THAT the firm of Hart, Cox, Donahoe, Palmeto, Rogers and MacKinnon be appointed as Municipal Solicitors for the next twelve month period." Motion carried.

Warden Leverman then reviewed for Council the progress of the County over the past few years. He said that in 1951 the census population was 61,000, which by 1956 had grown to 83,000, while the voting population of the County had increased by three percent (3%) in the past seven months. In the 1951-56 period the assessment of the County had jumped from 38 million dollars to 60 million dollars. Municipal expenditures had grown from \$645,000 in 1951 to \$2,293,000 in 1956. All this has gone on with very little effect on the tax rate.

In 1953 the rate had been \$1.32, which had been maintained until the County had taken on the cost of schools when the rate had moved up to \$2.55. He drew attention to the remarkable collection of current taxes which had reached a high of 98 percent in 1955 and in 1956 was 97.8 percent.

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The Warden pointed out that \$1,971,000 had been spent on new school construction since 1956 with the building of fourteen (14) new school buildings, thirteen (13) additions and six (6) conversions. A total of one hundred and twenty (120) classrooms had been added in 33 different locations. The County had sold \$1,450,000 worth of bonds for carrying out this program.

He said that \$518,000 had been spent on sewer and \$615,000 on water installations and discussed the expansion of sewer and water facilities within the Metropolitan Area. During the past year the County had gone into street paving for the first time. Warden Leverman said he had asked the Finance Committee to study all monies requested or to be spent in 1958 and to prepare a report of where the County is heading dollar-wise.

Councillors Davis and Matthews moved:-

"THAT the Nominating Committee not be appointed or elected until one week tomorrow." Motion carried.

Councillors Snair and Burris moved:-

"THAT the Nominating Committee be appointed from the chair." Motion carried.

The Clerk read a letter from the Nova Scotia Federation of Agriculture, asking support for the proposed Nova Scotia Co-operative Abattoir, and asking permission for a speaker to appear before Council in the matter. Council agreed to hear the speaker.

The Clerk read a letter from the Trustees of Oakfield School Section, containing a motion deploring the lack of a High School in the area and urging immediate construction of such a School. The letter was referred to the Municipal School Board.

First Day Morning Continued

The Clerk read a letter from the George Washington Carver Recreation Association, thanking the County for past grants and asking continuation of the grant. The letter was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Clerk read a letter from School District No. 115 Rate-payers Association, regarding a proposed express highway back of Rockingham and Bedford, enclosing copy of a letter to the Minister of Highways, and asking support of Council for such a highway.

Councillors Curran and McGrath moved:-

"THAT Council endorse the resolutions of School District No. 115 Ratepayers Association with respect to the establishment of the proposed express highway paralleling the Bedford Highway."
Motion carried.

The Clerk read a letter from the Co-ordinator of Civil Defence of Nova Scotia, asking permission for a speaker to appear before Council to discuss Civil Defence Organization with Council.

Warden Leverman referred to the instructions of Council at its previous Session for the Warden and Councillor Flawn to edit an evacuation booklet for the County, and said that this booklet was now on the press. The Civil Defence organization now wanted to discuss organization. Council agreed to hear a speaker on Friday at 2:00 p.m.

The Clerk read a letter from the President of the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities in which he reviewed events which had taken place affecting the various Municipalities in the Province. The letter was filed.

The Clerk read a letter from the Salvation Army, requesting continuance of its grant. The letter was referred to the Finance Committee.

First Day Morning Continued

The Clerk read a letter from the Trustees of the Eastern St. Margaret's Bay Consolidated School Section, favouring the use of fuel oil for heating instead of coal, as called for in the plans.

Councillors Moser and Balcome presented a motion to this effect.

Councillor Flawn said that on two previous occasions the Committee on School Capital Building Program had been instructed to use coal instead of oil in schools of eight rooms and over. The plans for the new school at Indian Harbour had been discussed with the Trustees and the Councillor before tenders were called and they were in agreement. At the meeting when tenders were opened, the Councillor for the District had said that the ratepayers now wanted oil heating. As a result the awarding of tenders had been held up.

Councillor Moser said Councillors of the District should be consulted by the Committee when plans were being drawn up. Councillor Donaldson said Councillors had been consulted. It was at a full meeting of Council that the Committee had been instructed to use coal heating.

Councillor Daye thought Council had been too hasty in making such a decision. He thought oil would be better. In reply to Councillor Snair, Councillor Donaldson said that coal heating was working satisfactorily in the new school at Sheet Harbour.

Councillor McGrath thought the location of schools to coal or oil bunkering supplies should be considered in deciding on which heating system to use. Councillor Burris asked if there were any comparative figures where heating had been changed over from coal to oil. Councillor Redmond said he thought it was a serious problem trying to get the right type of coal for the automatic stokers outside of the suburban areas. Where there was such a problem, oil should be used.

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Councillor Flawn said that there was Government assistance for the Capital Cost of coal heating installations but not for oil. The cost of operation showed coal about eighteen percent (18%) more economical. He then reviewed many other factors to be considered before deciding on coal or oil heating installations. He said he thought the Commission investigating school costs would have considerable to say on the matter when its report is prepared. There were advantages and disadvantages to both systems.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank said he could not understand the about-face of Council on this policy matter in such a few months. Councillor King-Myers agreed that if the change were made for one school there would likely be requests for conversion from other schools. Councillor McGrath said there should be some look into the future in any policy decided, with the possibility of a pipeline for natural gas and atomic energy plants.

Commenting on a suggestion that the matter be left to the School Capital Program Committee, Councillor Curren asked what would happen if the Committee decided coal heating better and the ratepayers agreed that oil heating would be better. "Who wins?" he asked.

Councillor Snair said to continue burning coal was to go back to the horse and buggy days. It was difficult for the householder to get coal deliveries in this area.

Councillor Myers said he had found oil heating twenty-five percent (25%) cheaper in his experience.

Warden Leverman then put the motion by Councillors Moser and Balcome:-

"THAT the new Indian Harbour Consolidated School be heated by oil and not coal."

The vote was ten (10) for and ten (10) against.

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The Solicitor then gave an interpretation of the By-law covering voting. Warden Leverman declared that the vote was decided in the negative.

Councillors Donaldson and Settle moved:-

"THAT the School Capital Program Committee be asked to reintroduce the subject of heating schools in Halifax County when its report is introduced." Motion carried.

The Clerk read a letter from the Department of Municipal Affairs regarding the Consolidated School Loan Fund Borrowings. The letter was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Clerk read a letter from the Department of Municipal Affairs regarding grants for the year 1958. The letter was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Clerk read a letter from the Canadian Paraplegic Association, asking permission for one of its officers to address Council in connection with a grant. Council agreed to hear a speaker and referred the letter to the Finance Committee.

The Clerk read a letter from the Halifax Kiwanis Club, inviting Councillors to attend a luncheon.

Councillors Snair and Evans moved:-

"THAT the kind invitation of the Halifax Kiwanis Club be accepted for next Monday." Motion carried.

The Clerk read a petition from ratepayers residing in Districts No. 17, 18 and 19 of the County, with respect to the levying of a rate toward the operating expenses of the Twin Oaks War Memorial Hospital at Musquodoboit Harbour. The petition was referred to the Assessment Department for checking of signature.

Councillor Archibald moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 2 p.m. today." Motion carried.

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FIRST DAY AFTERNOON

Council met at 2 p.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Councillor Matthews drew attention to a headline in the Mail-Star newspaper of this afternoon, which read "County Council High School Program Rapped." He asked Warden Leverman if he could have a clarification of the matter of a High School on the eastern side of the Harbour.

Warden Leverman said that no one with authority to speak for the Municipality has said that a High School for the eastern side of the Harbour had been dropped. He said the County was still pursuing the matter. It was also pursuing the matter of D.N.D. Schools. He read a letter from a D.N.D. official which he had received, that showed indecision and indicated that financial situation still had to be settled.

The Clerk read a letter from H. F. Sutcliffe of Glen Margaret United Church, asking for an opportunity for the Church to bid on the school there when it is declared surplus. The letter was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Clerk read a letter from the Ratepayers Association of School District No. 115, referring to zoning in the area, which had been previously requested and for which they asked reconsideration. Councillor Curren suggested that a copy of the Zoning By-laws should be sent and the letter referred to the County Planning Board.

The Clerk read a resolution from School Section No. 115 Ratepayers Association referring to the express highway. This was filed because the matter had been dealt with the previous day.

The Clerk read a letter from the Ratepayers Association of School District No. 115 with respect to bringing roads up to standard. The letter was referred to the Committee on Highways.

The Clerk read a letter from the Ratepayers Association of School District No. 115, asking for a report on a survey for water

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and sewer services for the area. The letter was referred to the Public Services Committee.

The Clerk read a letter from the Ratepayers Association of School District No. 115, asking for a diagonal road to bypass the Bedford Highway through Rockingham as an alternative route in case of emergency. The letter was referred to the County Planning Board.

The Clerk read a letter from the Ratepayers Association of School District No. 115, asking that the Provincial Government be approached for assistance in undertaking certain work. The letter was filed.

Mr. Hattie said that a suggestion had been made that Councillors should visit the Halifax County Vocational High School. The matter was left to the Agenda Committee.

Council agreed to suggest Thursday as the day for dinner at the invitation of the Halifax County members of the Legislature.

The Clerk read the report of the Jailor of the Halifax County Jail.

Councillors Snair and Archibald moved:-

"THAT the report of the Jailor be received and filed." Motion carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Commissioners of the Court House.

Councillor Redmond said that he thought any action in suggesting an addition to a building which has become obsolete was premature in view of the possibility of a new Municipal Building.

Councillors Donaldson and McGrath moved:-

"THAT the report of the Commissioners of the Court House be adopted."

Councillors Davis and Settle moved an amendment:-

"THAT the consideration of the report of the Commissioners of the Court House be deferred until after the report of the Finance Committee has been dealt with." Amendment carried.

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The Clerk read the report of the Trade Committee.

Councillors Curren and Turner moved:-

"THAT the report of the Trade Committee
be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillors were given lists of Electoral Districts and
Polling Booths for the Districts with a request that they be
studied and any revisions submitted for Council's consideration
as soon as possible.

Councillor Redmond moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow."
Motion carried.

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SECOND DAY MORNING

Council met at 10 a.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

The Clerk read the minutes of the First Day Morning and Afternoon.

Councillors Archibald and Evans moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the First Day's Session be adopted as read." Motion carried.

Warden Leverman said the matter of parking for Council Sessions had been brought to his attention by Councillor McGrath, who suggested that some arrangement might be made for the use of the Spring Garden Road Merchants Parking Lot. The Warden said that such arrangement had been made and that Councillors could park there for the duration of the Session at a flat rate of two dollars (\$2.00).

Councillor Moser objected, saying that he thought there should be free facilities for parking. The present parking system was a disgrace.

Warden Leverman said that arrangements had been made for Councillors to visit the Halifax County Vocational High School at 11 o'clock.

Councillor Daye suggested that a collection be taken among Councillors to purchase flowers for Councillor Ferguson. Council agreed.

The Clerk read a petition from New Road School Section No. 92, for a "Pound District." It was referred to the Assessment Department for checking of signatures and then to the Resources Committee.

Councillor Moser said that the Finance Committee should bring in a recommendation regarding a new Municipal Building. The

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present building was highly disgraceful. There was even now a suggestion that Mr. Hattie's office be taken over for other purposes. It was time Council got down to business and had its own Municipal Building.

Warden Leverman said there would be a report on the matter by the Finance Committee.

Councillor McGrath moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 2 p.m."
Motion carried.

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SECOND DAY AFTERNOON

Council met at 2 p.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Warden Leverman invited representatives of the Canadian Paraplegic Association to address Council.

Dr. Stevenson explained the meaning of "Paraplegic" and told of the great strides being made in the care and rehabilitation of these persons. He said that now after preliminary treatment at a Hospital they go to a rehabilitation centre where they learn to control complications, which formerly caused many to return to Hospital or caused early death.

Before the formation of the Association, such treatment represented a financial catastrophe for many people. The purpose of the Society was to cover that period from release from Hospital to their re-establishment as useful citizens. Today many such persons are assisted in securing jobs which, in many cases, enables them to become self-sustaining.

Mr. Don Curren spoke on the administrative side of the Association. He said that the Association gets some of its financial support from the Federal and Provincial Governments. The balance of the funds needed were secured from a variety of sources. Speaking as a paraplegic himself, he said that many are doing their utmost to prove they have the ability to become useful citizens.

Warden Leverman thanked the speakers and assured them of Council's interest.

Speaking of the visit to the Halifax County Vocational High School, Councillor Moser said that he thought these types

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of school had a great advantage. Attending High School prepared students for University but did not prepare students for business like if they had to leave school after Grade 12. Those responsible for education should give a lot of thought to the establishment of more Vocational Schools, particularly for Rural students. Many Rural students found it financially impossible to go on to University but Vocational Schools would prepare them with a useful trade.

Councillors Moser and Settle moved:-

"THAT the appreciation of Council be extended to the Principal of the Vocational High School for the courtesy extended in taking the Councillors on a conducted tour through the School and for providing an excellent lunch for members of Council."
Motion carried.

The Director of Assessment read his report to Council and answered questions of Councillors about specific matters of their Districts.

Councillor Matthews asked the Chair if when the County of Halifax talked to the Town of Dartmouth, was the matter of Tax exempt property taken into consideration. Warden Leverman replied that, to the best of his knowledge, this matter had not entered into discussions.

Councillors Flawn and Daye moved:-

"THAT the report of the Director of Assessment be received and filed." Motion carried.

Councillor Davis referred to stories appearing in the Mail-Star of this afternoon, which he thought were somewhat misleading. Pointing out that he had, in the past, extended his support to various Ratepayers and School Organizations, he said he took exception to the attitude of these Organizations as reported in the paper, which he said were misleading and abusive because those responsible had not gone beyond the surface in seeking the facts before making statements. He said that this had been particularly noticeable in recent months. Organizations, instead of organizing

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to assist in carrying out and find ways to carry out plans for more economical government and education were resorting to abuse and criticism. Referring to a story on Silver Sands Beach as a pile of rocks, he said that this was a natural condition caused by the elements at this time of year and it is expected that the Beach will be restored again this summer. Otherwise he was satisfied that the Beach was in excellent condition and was in fact in better condition than in previous years. He said that a similar situation existed at Queensland at this time of year.

Referring to another story about requiring the stopping of traffic behind school busses when stopped to take on or let off passengers, he said such a resolution had been passed by the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities and sent to the Provincial Government. He suggested that instead of finding fault, the Suburban Ratepayers' Council should endeavour to co-operate in finding the solution to the problems now facing the County, and in finding a better way of life for County ratepayers.

Councillor Moser said that passengers on commercial busses were in need of protection. He charged that there was overcrowding of busses in some areas. He said that if any of these busses were involved in an accident there would likely be considerable loss of life.

Councillors Moser and Snair moved:-

"THAT a letter be sent to the Board of Public Utilities calling attention to alleged overcrowding of bus routes in Halifax West."
Motion carried.

The Municipal Collector read his report to Council.

Councillors Flawn and Daye moved:-

"THAT the report of the Municipal Collector be received and filed." Motion carried.

Councillors Myers and Turner moved:-

"THAT Council resolve itself into Committee of the whole." Motion carried.

Council met again in session at 4 p.m.

Councillor Archibald moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.
Motion carried.

THIRD DAY MORNING

Council met at 10 a.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

The minutes of the Second Day Morning and Afternoon were read.

Councillors Curren and Evans moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Second Day's Session be adopted as amended." Motion carried.

The Clerk read a letter from District 14D Ratepayers asking that letters sent to the Municipal School Board, but which were received too late to be included in the Board's report, be read. The letter included a petition asking for a High School for the Dartmouth Suburban Area. Also included was a copy of a letter from Edmund Morris, M.P., concerning a High School in Suburban Dartmouth and the possibility of a Federal Grant for such a school because of the number of children of Service Personnel who would require High School education. Another letter from the Ratepayers to the Municipal School Board pointed out the necessity of a High School for the Dartmouth Suburban Area; the difficulty of teaching higher grades under present conditions, and the fact that it would be easier to recruit teachers if good teaching facilities existed, as a result of a fact-finding survey. Another letter from the 14D Ratepayers Association endorsed the findings of the fact finding committee.

The letters were filed.

Dr. Kevin Smith read the report of the County Medical Health Officer for Halifax West.

Councillors Spears and Balcome moved:-

"THAT the report of the Medical Health Officer for Halifax West be received and filed." Motion carried.

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Dr. Kevin Smith read the report of the County Jail Physician.

Councillors Snair and Archibald moved:-

"THAT the report of the Jail Physician be adopted." Motion carried.

Dr. MacMillan presented the report of the County Medical Health Officer for Halifax East.

Councillors Moser and Turner moved:-

"THAT the report of the Medical Health Officer of Halifax East be adopted." Motion carried.

Mr. William Russell, Acting Chairman, read the report of the Municipal School Board.

Councillor Settle asked for information of the status of a High School for the Dartmouth Suburban Area. He said a large number of people were counting on a High School in that area.

Mr. MacKay, Chief Administrative Officer, said that the question has given the Board a great deal of concern. At the moment there was a pressing need for keeping children in the area attending full-time classes. That is why the Board is recommending Elementary Schools now. A 12-room Elementary School is needed in the area. If a High School were built it would mean five less classrooms at the Westphal School. This would not solve the problem there. He said there was no question but that there would be need of a High School as the area is growing. The Halifax West Municipal High School is opening in September and the Board's policy is to staff that school before considering others.

At the moment the Board has 16 teachers signed for this School. There are 12 more waiting for a decision on teachers' salaries

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before signing agreements. It must be recognized that there is going to be a shortage of High School teachers in the Province. That is another factor to be considered in recommending a High School on the east side of the Harbour. Some of the teachers who signed for the new High School at Fairview are inexperienced.

Councillor Matthews asked if, in view of the fact that a High School in the Dartmouth Suburban area would not come into existence for two or three years anyway, would the Board, at this time, consider recommending to Council the purchase of a site for such a school.

Mr. Mackay said the Board was not ready to make such a recommendation. Councillor Matthews said that as a result of the delay, a very suitable site had already been lost to the County.

Councillor Curren asked the number of pupils from Bedford who would be attending the new High School at Fairview. Mr. Mackay said there would be 124.

Councillor Curren said he understood that all primary classrooms at Bedford and Rockingham were filled to capacity, and asked if any plans were being made to accommodate more children coming in.

Mr. Mackay said that the only school where there was likely to be overcrowding would be Central School in Bedford. Some of the pupils who would be attending there might have to be moved to other schools. Otherwise there would be sufficient accommodation.

Councillor Donaldson said he was rather disappointed that apparently no consideration had been given to improving conditions at Sheet Harbour Passage. He asked if there were any information

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as to what might be done. Mr. MacKay said the Municipal School Board has asked for a full report on the matter. The Board had wanted to move some pupils to Sheet Harbour but the parents had refused. As a result pupils are on staggered time.

Councillor Redmond brought up the matter of inadequate facilities at Hope Ridge School and asked what the Board had in mind in this situation. He also asked if Science Rooms and Libraries were a requisite for Academic Schools.

Mr. MacKay said that the Board had felt that the best plan would be to make repairs at Hope Ridge. However, the cost of the repairs was estimated at \$19,000.00 and the Board was not prepared to recommend that much money for repairs as in a year or two additional classrooms might also be necessary. He said libraries are being recommended in all new schools for upper grades. He said there was nothing in the Education Act which said a school must have libraries or science rooms.

Councillor Redmond said that the Department of Education says that they must have libraries and science rooms to be Academic Schools. He said that it was no wonder that people were confused.

Mr. Silver said that where grades 10 to 12 were being taught, there was a need to install the best science facilities possible. It was the feeling of the Department that where there are grades 9 to 12, science facilities should be improved as much as possible, so that pupils can carry out individual experiments. Wherever and whenever possible science classrooms should not be elaborate, but as economical and as serviceable science classrooms as it is possible to provide.

Councillor Davis said he appreciated the recognition of the needs at Musquodoboit Harbour. These needs had existed for

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fifteen (15) years. The well there does not provide enough water in the dry season and it was necessary to go around the village borrowing water. Sewage facilities were very much needed. Land is now being acquired for disposal fields. It is hoped to bring this matter to a conclusion shortly.

Councillor Flawn referred to the number of new classrooms now available as shown in the report, together with the number of new pupils registered and asked if this meant that a standard of twenty-two (22) pupils per classroom had been reached.

Mr. MacKay said that most classrooms have between thirty (30) to thirty-five (35) pupils and many had more than that number. New classrooms had helped in eliminating staggered classes.

Councillor Flawn asked if subsequent classrooms would accommodate thirty-five (35) pupils. Mr. MacKay said that the Board worked on a basis of classrooms accommodating thirty-five (35) pupils.

Councillor Flawn then asked if the County had reached the position where school room population was beginning to level out and new classrooms will accommodate new pupils coming in. Mr. MacKay said this was being reached.

Councillor Flawn said he was very disappointed that no consideration had been given to a new school to replace the one being closed by Imperial Oil. The Board had, had ample notice, and these pupils will still require schooling. He said he could see no action contemplated in this situation. The Council was always being faced with crash programs where they were told three to six months in advance that a school was needed immediately. In this case five years warning had been given and still no action has been taken. Children of South Woodside now had to travel over one of the busiest highways to reach North Woodside School. This had been brought forcibly to the attention of the Board.

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Mr. MacKay said the Board has the matter under consideration but was not ready to make a recommendation. He said that in this area there was not the proper distribution of pupils. The Board was trying to leave the lower grades at South Woodside, so that they did not have to travel that highway. However, the Board has no say in the distribution of pupils since this is a prerogative of the Trustees. The Board maintains the schools.

Councillor Flawn said it seemed that if the Trustees were to look into the situation they could direct some of the pupils to South Woodside school, but if they do so they will have to hold open-air classes. Major action would have to be taken to effect repairs at South Woodside where the ceiling plaster was falling. Action would have to be taken early if Imperial Oil closed its school in 1960. The situation was not satisfactory to ratepayers in the area.

Councillor Snair asked if arrangements were being made to transport pupils from as far as the Halifax-Lunenburg County line to the new High School at Fairview. Mr. MacKay said that the Board had been asked not to include pupils from Hubbards and Black Point as they wanted to teach pupils to Grade 11 in their present schools. Transportation would therefore, begin at Boutilier's Point. The Board would have to purchase 18 busses to provide the necessary transportation to the new High School.

Councillor Snair said he did not think that ratepayers of Black Point were in agreement on teaching higher grades in the schools there. Councillor Matthews said he did not think the meetings where these decisions were taken, represented the feeling of the people as a whole. He asked how the situation could

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be improved. Councillor Snair said that he knew of one area where the Councillor had not been approached in the matter. He thought a Councillor would know the general feeling better than a meeting attended by 10 persons.

Mr. Russell pointed out that by law only three persons were needed to constitute a meeting and they could set the rates and make decisions which affected the whole area. Councillor Snair said it should be the duty of the Trustees to find out the wishes of the people in these matters.

Councillor Curren said the Annual Meeting of any School Trustees is always advertised and it was the duty of ratepayers to attend, but it was impossible to get some people to take any interest. As a result, the Trustees had no alternative but to make the requests for what they thought was needed. In answer to a question from Councillor Snair, Mr. Russell said that the schools at Black Point and Hubbards would not have some of the facilities for teaching the upper grades which were available at the new High School at Fairview. He said the Board consulted with Trustees in all matters as they are the elected representatives of the people.

Councillor Myers said he was interested in the difference of the cost per classroom of various schools. He pointed out two instances where two-room schools would cost \$35,000.00 each, whereas a twelve-room school was to be built for \$60,000.00. Warden Leverman pointed out that the \$60,000.00 mentioned in the report was the cost of four additional classrooms to what was originally intended as an eight-room school.

Warden Leverman said he had recently listened to a report at an Annual School Meeting by a School Principal about the matter of failures, and that report stated that one of the reasons was the

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distraction caused by public address systems. In view of the recommendations in the report he asked Mr. Silver for an opinion on the matter.

Mr. Silver said he did not think the public address system would have any adverse affect if it were properly used.

Councillor Matthews asked Mr. Silver if public address systems were absolutely necessary or highly desirable.

Mr. Silver said that where schools had twelve-classrooms or over, it was very desirable. Lack of a system meant that time was lost in visiting the individual classrooms.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank asked how the Capital Cost recommended in the report compared with last year. Mr. Hattie said that so far as the report is concerned, the amount was down slightly.

Councillor Snair moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 2 p.m."
Motion carried.

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Council met at 2 p.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Warden Leverman invited Mr. Barnstead, representing the Co-ordinator of Civil Defence for Nova Scotia, to address Council.

Mr. Barnstead said that the Minister in charge of Civil Defence believed that some misunderstanding existed in regard to Civil Defence. As a result he felt there should be some explanation of the requirements of Civil Defence on the Provincial and Municipal levels. Civil Defence was set up to minimize the effects of a disaster upon the population.

There was only one target area in Nova Scotia and this was the Halifax-Dartmouth area and that area within a radius of fifteen miles. The only way to save people in an emergency would be to move them out of the area.

He said that the Federal Government was assisting in organization by sending trained people into any area which wanted help. The Government was also paying fifty percent (50%) of the cost of training and equipment. This year's contribution to Nova Scotia will amount to about \$30,000.00. As well, the Provincial Government was prepared to assume twenty-five percent (25%) of the cost to the Municipalities.

The present problem is organization for evacuation of people and making certain they know the proper evacuation routes in order to prevent confusion in an emergency. He said the problems of rush hour traffic were not the same as traffic out of the area in an evacuation scheme. Traffic would be controlled so as to allow two lanes of traffic outwards from the City and then what many people do not realize is the fact that the Railways will also co-operate in any evacuation scheme and, of course, could move a large number of people in a short time.

Outside of the target area there was a need to protect people against fall out. Nova Scotia is quite far behind other

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Provinces in Civil Defence Planning. Mr. Barnstead hoped that the County would soon appoint a representative to the Halifax-Dartmouth Civil Defence Committee.

Warden Leverman pointed out that the Civil Defence Organization was prepared to send speakers out to any Association interested. He asked that Councillors in the target area supply the Civil Defence Organization with names of key persons interested in Civil Defence, so that arrangements could be made for training.

Council resumed debate on the report of the Municipal School Board.

Councillor Matthews said he felt that public address systems in the schools should be eliminated. He was not convinced of their necessity. He moved an amendment to the adoption of the report, seconded by Councillor Curren, that the last paragraph of the report be deleted.

Councillor King-Myers expressed appreciation of the ratepayers in her District, in including Wellington School addition in the estimates and improvement to the Beaver Bank Schools. However, she said there was nothing about a High School for the Bedford-Sackville area which was urgently needed. She stated she was disappointed and asked what action was being taken.

Councillor Flawn moved an amendment that a new school for South Woodside in place of the present school be investigated by the Municipal School Board and the Local Board of Trustees, as to the feasibility and necessity of the construction of a new school of suitable size to accommodate pupils of South Woodside presently required to travel to North Woodside and pupils who would be denied accommodation due to the demolition of the present Imperoyal School. Councillor Redmond seconded the amendment.

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Mr. MacKay said that it was planned to take grades 10 to 12 to Fairview. A survey will be taken in September of the enrollment from the area for further study. Councillor King-Myers asked for the earliest and kindest consideration for a High School for the area.

Mr. Russell said that he could assure the Councillor that the Board had given great thought to a High School in the area, as well as in the Dartmouth Suburban Area, and that the matter was causing the Board great concern. The Board is very conscious of the problem and it is in mind constantly and under discussion. The Board was proceeding as fast as humanly possible with the schools that were needed.

The financial burden, however, which Council would have to deal with, is staggering. Council would have to raise the major portion of the money needed, and the Board had given minute scrutiny to the estimates before presenting them.

In reply to a question from Councillor McGrath, Mr. MacKay said that Trustees only have the responsibility of moving pupils between schools within their Section and not from one area to another. Replying to a question about the situation with regard to Hubbards, he said that as a result of a request from the Local Trustees, the Board had found it practicable to make use of the facilities at the school there and as a result had agreed not to transport pupils from there to the new High School at Fairview. A similar situation existed with regard to Black Point.

Referring to a new 12-room school at Woodlawn, Councillor McGrath asked what assurance the Board had that the one thousand (1,000) lots in the area would be built on. Mr. MacKay said that

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checks had been made among contractors and as a result the Board was satisfied that there would probably be one hundred and seventy-five (175) new homes next year alone. The present enrollment from the District was four hundred and fifty (450) and there would be an additional one hundred and twenty (120) pupils entering the primary grades next year. It was estimated that the enrollment would reach at least nine hundred (900) pupils in the near future.

Councillor Moser said the County was continuing with its program of building schools without teachers to put in them. He said that the County had some teachers now who should be scrubbing floors or doing something else instead of teaching. The County was putting the cart before the horse.

Councillor Redmond agreed saying that every report from the Board stressed the need for teachers and despite this the building program was going ahead. He asked how the situation was to be relieved. He asked what thought the Board had given to the matter. If nothing were done the situation was going to worsen and it will continue to grow worse in years to come. The County had attracted all the teachers possible but had done nothing to get younger people to take up teaching.

Mr. Russell said that there was no need for panic. Across Canada more persons than ever were going into teaching but not enough yet to meet the rising school population. There were improvements suggested in the report which the Board hoped would have some effect. More teachers were coming out of Normal College but they were not staying in the Province as long as they could get more money elsewhere. Much thought has been given to recruiting and retaining teachers. It is a matter of much concern to the Board.

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When schools are planned it was with the belief that teachers for the school would be available. He said many teachers had come out of retirement and they were doing a marvellous job but that they were very much underpaid. Last year forty (40) teachers had been brought from Great Britain and about ten (10) of them had located in the County. They have been here one year and three are planning to move west.

Councillor Moser thought mansions were being built for schools. He thought more attention should be given to the erection of Vocational Schools. Pupils who go to grades 12 and cannot go on to College have to go back to hauling cod or using a pick and shovel.

Councillor Curren said that when the School Building Program had begun two years ago, there were a number of classes on half-time. He asked if the situation had improved and how many classes were still on half-time.

Mr. MacKay said that staggered classes were gradually being eliminated. However, they were still badly staggered in Spryfield. With a new addition there, it was hoped staggered classes would be eliminated, although there would probably be quite a bit of overcrowding. Spryfield was one of the fastest growing areas. Staggered classes were still in effect at Tufts Cove, Woodlawn, Wellington Station, Sheet Harbour Passage and Sober Island. With the construction of new schools, only Sheet Harbour Passage and Sober Island would still have staggered classes.

Councillor Curren observed that great improvement had been made.

Mr. Russell said one of the greatest items of expenditure was for transportation brought about as a result of Consolidated Schools. They were necessary because it was just about impossible to get

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teachers to go into isolated schools, even with bonuses. He said the teachers could not be blamed for wanting to make more money. The whole tone of the education system was being improved. Today there are more teachers and better teachers.

Councillor Redmond said that he assumed Mr. Russell was referring to the increases recommended when he said the Board had a recommendation as to how the teacher situation might be improved. He did not think this was a cure. This alone was not going to induce youth to take up teaching as a career. He had advocated more schools for teaching teachers. He wondered why this could not be done. If the schools were handier, more girls would go into the profession, but they did not want to leave home and go to Truro to study. Proper training schools in strategic places would get more to take up teaching. He thought this matter should be taken up by the School Board with the Department of Education.

Mr. Russell said the matter had been discussed in Board Meetings, but that it had many ramifications. He thought the offering of scholarships was one way of solving the problem. It was a step in the right direction.

Councillor Myers said he could not understand how the Board could go on planning more schools when it claimed it was impossible to hire enough teachers. He wanted to know what kind of a weapon was being held over the County. Mr. Russell said more teachers could be attracted if they were given good pay. Many were waiting to see whether the County was going to raise salaries before deciding. Many teachers came to the County, hoping to be able to move into Halifax or Dartmouth schools.

Referring to the \$100.00 increase above the scale, as recommended in the report, Mr. Russell said it was unfortunate that it

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had been termed a bonus. He said it was simply a case of setting a salary scale in the County that was \$100.00 above the Leonard Scale.

Councillor Davis referred to bonuses as a legalized system of bribery. The education system was going to fall apart if this situation grows. He felt that the Teachers' Union had pushed the County to its endurance and to push the County beyond this would be dangerous. If there were to be a showdown, it should be now. He thought Council should take a stand about being pushed around. If the Provincial Government could not assist in meeting the demands, how was the County to meet them.

In reply to a question from Warden Leverman, Mr. Russell said the Union has said it will go all out to have the bonus system abolished if they can get reasonable salaries. He admitted the present system could grow and get out of hand. He agreed that the principle of bonuses was unhealthy, but until there was legislation against it, he thought local areas would continue to offer bonuses to try and get teachers.

Councillor Curren said he wanted to be sure that the \$100.00 increase recommended over the proposed Leonard Scale was not a bonus but a permanent increase in teachers' salaries. Mr. Russell said that was so and the money was figured in computing pensions. Councillor Myers said there was a lot of confusion as to whether it was a bonus and the matter should be cleared up.

Councillor Snair questioned whether the County was ready to install libraries in schools or whether the Regional Library would serve the purpose. Referring to the recommended increase, he said a few years ago the County was paying a bonus and later agreed it should be abolished. He did not think a bonus should be paid now.

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If there were going to be any bonus it should be on a sectional basis. As far as public address systems were concerned, they should be eliminated and all frills cut out in order to get ample classrooms. He moved an amendment, seconded by Councillor Daye, that libraries in schools and teachers' bonuses be deleted from the report.

Councillor Curren said he thought it was clearly understood that the \$100.00 increase was a salary increase and not a bonus.

Councillor Evans said that every consideration had been given the matter by the Teachers' Committee of the Board and that they had, had pleasant relations with the Teachers' Representatives. The word bonus had never been mentioned at these meetings. The \$100.00 was considered a salary increase. He said the interests of the teachers in the classrooms was important because it was in the interests of the children. If the children were not taken care of now, he questioned what type of men and women they would be. The County is going all out building fine schools, but it was not willing to go out and help the teachers. It might well cost more in the end if the increase were eliminated now.

Councillor King-Myers asked if there were a teacher shortage at present and if any schools were closed for lack of teachers.

Mr. MacKay said that at present there are 53 permissive teachers. Only one school had to take studies by correspondence. Referring to negotiations over salaries, he said the Board had never been at loggerheads with the Teachers' Union. They had turned down the first offer but when a counter-proposal was brought in the teachers had compromised. He pointed out that a bonus for teachers could not be offered in the new High School at Fairview,

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but it would have to compete with adjacent areas where bonuses were offered.

Councillor Davis thought all Councillors were in sympathy with the pressure on the Board. He said Council was not being critical. He would be the first to go along with the salary increase if it would not upset the economy. He felt that the County would shatter its own framework of economy if it went along with the increases in view of the tremendous Capital School Program. Council was under pressure also and in the present state of the County economy it could only go so far in its appropriation. Beyond that it would be misappropriations.

Councillor Myers said that yesterday Mr. Hattie had called the \$100.00 increase a bonus and today he was saying it was not a bonus but a salary increase. He asked that the matter be cleared. He doubted if some Councillors were aware of what they were voting on in Committee.

Councillor Evans said he knew what he was voting on. He knew it was an increase.

Warden Leverman said that the misunderstanding of the Deputy Warden was over whether the \$100.00 was a shareable increase with the Province. He had been advised that it was not.

Councillor Redmond claimed if the County paid above the Leonard Scale then it would be a bonus.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank said he had thought previously that the \$100.00 was a shareable expense, but that he had found out later it was not. He said the report from the Board clearly indicated it was a \$100.00 salary increase. The total cost of that increase would be \$68,000.00. He said that it was agreed that the

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scarcity of teachers was a problem the County had to remedy, but that finances might not be the only remedy. He suggested that aptitude tests be given High School students and those who would make good teachers be induced to go into the teaching profession. He believed the situation would improve.

Councillor Spears said he was disappointed that one or two schools in his District had not been mentioned in the report. For two years the Trustees of Ketch Harbour School had recommended indoor sanitation. Dr. Cameron had recommended it. Children come to the school from as far away as six miles. At present there are only outdoor privies. It had been recommended by the Department of Health that the work be done immediately. Children do not have water with which to wash. They did get a wash basin and a bucket but the bucket was no good without water. He thought that the Department of Health might order the school closed next September if the sanitary facilities were not improved.

Mr. MacKay said a report from the Department of Health in the past two weeks had shown that a disposal field was not practical and that chemical toilets had been suggested.

Councillor Spears said that as Secretary of the Board of Trustees he had, had no notification that a disposal field was not practical. He asked who had made the investigation. He thought the Secretary should be notified of what was going on. If he were not notified as a Councillor, he should at least be notified as Secretary. He said he understood that it had been necessary to truck water to Purcell's Cove School.

Mr. MacKay said the situation at Purcell's Cove had given concern. The Board had paid to have water trucked there twice when the well had gone dry. He agreed that facilities were lacking and said the Board had the matter under consideration.

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Councillor Moser said he saw nothing in the report that indicated that the Board was going to seek more money for the Provincial Government. He said the Government had more ways of raising money than the County and that the County should go after a better break.

Councillor Burris said he was not opposed to raising teachers' salaries but he did not think this alone was going to solve the problem as long as school districts could levy an area rate and bid one against the other for teachers. He thought the bonus system should be eliminated so that there would be an equal opportunity for all. He thought pressure should be brought to bear on the Provincial Government to eliminate the bonus system.

Warden Leverman said that an approach had been made twice already. Apparently Halifax was the only County in which the bonus system exists. The Department apparently feels it alright for one area to compete against the other. He thought it was a vicious system.

Councillor Sellars asked what the Board had in mind for his District. He said that at Upper Lawrencetown or Mineville there was no school, while that at West Lawrencetown was overcrowded. Mr. MacKay said that consideration had been given to the problem. There had been some thinking of a three-room school, but further study was needed. He said the situation was not good.

Mr. MacKay continued that the ratepayers of East and West Lawrencetown were not agreed on taking higher grades into a larger school. With pavement going through the areas, there was bound to be growth in the area and this would need further study.

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Councillor Matthews raised a question about the amount of monies required to maintain the schools. Warden Leverman said that the Board found it impossible to maintain the schools under the scale for sharing of costs and therefore, funds over and above that amount were needed.

Councillor Flawn asked if it would be reasonable to ask the School Board to keep increases for maintenance in the same ratio as the increase of revenue resulting from increased assessment. He said while the increased revenue from this source would be about \$55,000.00, the costs of school maintenance were increased nearly three times that amount over last year. It appeared as though the growth of the County was costing more money than could be afforded.

Warden Leverman said that Council could not make the Board cut down on its maintenance expenses. Under the Education Act, the County could not tell them what was excessive. He thought Council could only ask the Board to be prudent.

The Solicitor explained the Act in this regard. Mr. Russell said that although the Board has the power to get the money, every dollar asked for is considered before being placed in the estimates, but although the County Council could not reduce the money asked for, he nevertheless considered the discussions very healthy, pointing out that the Board and the Council could learn much.

Councillor Matthews asked if Council could have assurance that the estimates did not contain too many items of Capital Expenditure for erection of fences and so forth.

Mr. Russell said the Board had only been constituted for two years and that it had fell heir to a lot of schools of which many were run down and in a dilapidated condition. The Board was

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trying to bring them up to standard where it was possible. He thought this situation would continue for a number of years.

He gave as example 12 schools where the basements were flooded regularly due to faulty construction. Schools and heating systems were often inadequate because the Trustees had apparently tried to build with economy which proved false.

Mr. MacKay said that the Province would share in the cost of a drilled well where it was needed, but not in the replacement of a furnace even if it had been inadequate, but it would share in the cost of installing a furnace in place of a space heater. The Board had found it impossible, in view of increased costs, to maintain the schools within the limit of shared costs. Every County was in the same situation.

Warden Leverman said he had brought the matter up before the Cabinet and was told some Municipalities were keeping within the scale. He felt the comparison unfair. Some Municipalities do not have to pay the prevailing rate of Halifax County for labour or janitor services; or do not keep the classrooms painted or in repair.

Councillor Archibald asked if the percentage-sharing scale would ever come under review. Warden Leverman said he believed something was being done about this now.

Warden Leverman put the amendment by Councillors Snair and Daye for the deletion of school libraries and the \$100.00 increase. Confusion arose because of the two items in the amendment, and Councillor Snair asked that the amendment be split.

When this was done, Warden Leverman put the amendment for the deletion of school libraries. Confusion arose over the intent of the amendment and Councillor Daye withdrew as seconder. Mr. Hattie

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told Council that school libraries were not replaced by a regional library. Councillor Snair withdrew his amendment.

Warden Leverman then put an amendment by Councillors Snair and Daye:-

"THAT the flat increase of \$100.00 per teacher above the Provincial Salary Scale, as recommended by the Municipal School Board, be deleted from the report of the Municipal School Board."

Councillors Balcome and Longard asked for a recorded vote, which resulted as follows:-

FOR - Councillors Snair, McGrath, Moser, Myers, Matthews, Settle, Redmond, Davis, Daye, Turner, Donaldson, Sellars and Flawn.

AGAINST - Councillors Curren, Longard, Spears, McNeil, Balcome, Evans, Burris, Archibald, Deputy Warden Cruikshank, Councillors Isenor and King-Myers.

Warden Leverman declared the amendment carried.

Warden Leverman then put the amendment by Councillors Flawn and Redmond:-

"THAT there be added to the report, following the paragraph concerning Shad Bay on page 4 of the report -

NEW SCHOOL AT SOUTH WOODSIDE

A complete investigation by both the Municipal School Board and the Local Board of Trustees will be conducted as to the feasibility and necessity of the construction of a new school of suitable size to accommodate the pupils of South Woodside, presently required to travel to North Woodside and the pupils who will be denied accommodation due to the demolition of the present Imperoyal School." Amendment carried.

Councillors Spears and Longard moved an amendment:-

"THAT the report be tables until all other reports have been considered."

Councillors Matthews and Curren moved:-

"THAT the last paragraph of the Municipal School Board dealing with Public Address Systems be deleted." Motion carried.

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Warden Leverman pointed out that tabling of the report would not affect the eventual striking of the tax rate because Council had amended practically everything in the report that Council could amend. Estimates for salaries and maintenance could not be amended, as Council was required to supply these funds.

Councillors Spears and Longard withdrew the amendment.

Warden Leverman put the motion by Councillors Balcome and

Evans:-

"THAT the report of the Municipal School Board, as amended and including the appended estimates, be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillor Spears moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 10 a.m. Monday." Motion carried.

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FOURTH DAY MORNING

Council met at 10 a.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

The Clerk read the minutes of the Third Day Morning and Afternoon.

Warden Leverman drew attention to an amendment by Councillors Flawn and Redmond during discussion of the Municipal School Board report, and said that the amendment had been out of order. He said, however, that it was not until after Council adjourned that it had been brought to his attention. He said Council could only make amendments to the motion to adopt the report, that would change or delete from the report but not add to it. The Solicitor confirmed this and said that it could be corrected by bringing in a resolution after the adoption of today's minutes.

Councillors Evans and Daye moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Third Day be adopted as amended." Motion carried.

Councillors Flawn and Redmond moved:-

"THAT whereas the following amendment was made to the report of the Municipal School Board, and it now appears that this should have been a separate resolution;

THAT a new school for South Woodside in place of the present school be investigated by the Municipal School Board and the Local Board of Trustees, as to the feasibility and necessity of the construction of a new school of suitable size to accommodate the pupils of South Woodside presently required to travel to North Woodside and the pupils who will be denied accommodation due to the demolition of the present Imperoyal School." Motion carried.

Councillor Settle asked for some assurance that the matter of a grant by the Federal Government toward the cost of Educational facilities on the east side of Halifax Harbour, as outlined in a letter by Mr. Edmund Morris to the District 14D Ratepayers Association, was being followed up by County Representatives.

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Warden Leverman said he had, had a conference with Mayor Akerley of Dartmouth last week over the matter of a High School. He had pointed out that any delay on the part of the County in the matter was caused by lack of sufficient information at present upon which to base a decision. They had agreed that a meeting with Mr. Morris in an effort to get clarification on the matter should be attempted. If Mr. Morris were unable to provide the necessary information, it was felt he might be able to bring pressure on those responsible in order to get the matter cleared up. Mr. Morris had later agreed to a meeting at the earliest date possible.

Councillor Myers said an effort should be made to have Mr. Morris appear before Council in regard to the matter. Councillors agreed to ask Mr. Morris to address Council.

Councillor Burris asked if, as a result of Council's action on Friday, the 53 Permissive Teachers in the County would be denied an increase. Warden Leverman said this was so as the Leonard Scale, which Council approved, only applied to licensed teachers. Warden Leverman said it had been pointed out to him that many of the Permissive Teachers could acquire licenses if they applied themselves to study at Summer Schools.

Councillor Davis said he thought the idea behind having the Leonard Scale apply only to Licensed Teachers was to try and get Permissive Teachers to study for a license.

The Clerk read a letter from Mrs. Lamont, thanking Councillors on behalf of her father, Councillor Ferguson, for flowers sent to him during his recent stay in Hospital.

The Clerk read a letter from E. L. Bignell, asking assistance in getting permission to increase fares on the Jollimore Ferry,

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due to increased operating expenses. The letter was referred to the Public Services Committee.

The Clerk read a letter from the Commissioners for Fire Protection and Street Lighting of Woodside, enclosing a resolution asking Council to defray taxes to the extent of up to \$35.00 for each of the twenty-four (24) volunteer firemen. Council agreed to seek an opinion of the legality of the matter from the Solicitor who was asked to report at Tuesday's meeting.

The Clerk read a report on the Plebiscite held in District No. 12, showing 444 persons had favoured division of the District into three with a separate Councillor for each, while 219 persons had favoured retention of the present system.

The Clerk read a special report of the Finance Committee on a site for a new Municipal Building.

Councillor Settle asked what thought had been given to providing additional facilities on the eastern side of the Harbour. He pointed out the very large development taking place there and suggested that in view of the recommendation contained in the report that consideration be given to the establishment of a branch office for some departments on the eastern side. He said this would have many advantages.

Councillor Davis said there was a lot of merit in the suggestion. A sub-office would be a great convenience for many ratepayers. He recognized the need for a new building in order to relieve the congested conditions at the present offices.

Warden Leverman pointed out that the staff was working under a terrific handicap in the present building. An office originally intended for one person now had six persons working in it. He said the staff was forced to work under conditions, the like of which he had never seen in any other business. He said in his own

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case he had to discuss municipal matters in the halls because of the congestion of the offices. He reviewed matters leading up to the selection of the site recommended. Many hours had been spent on this and after visiting many sites and taking into consideration all conditions, the present recommendation was felt to be the only recommendation feasible.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank said that he had many happy memories of the present building but realized that it was inevitable that there must be a new building in the light of progress and the County's growth. It was needed to provide, not only better service, but service expected by the taxpayers.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank and Councillor Daye moved:-

"THAT the Special Report of the Finance Committee re a site for a new Municipal Building be tabled."
Motion carried.

Councillors agreed to visit the proposed site after lunch.

Councillor Matthews moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until after lunch."
Motion carried.

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FOURTH DAY AFTERNOON

Council met at 3 p.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Councillors Spears and Archibald moved:-

"THAT Council express their appreciation to the Kiwanis Club of Halifax for entertaining Council at lunch today." Motion carried.

Councillors Davis and Snair moved:-

"THAT the Special Report of the Finance Committee re site be adopted." Motion carried.

The Solicitor said that a formal resolution to acquire the property for a new Municipal Building would be brought in later.

Councillor Redmond said that a branch office for the eastern side of the Harbour was a necessity. He hoped it would be kept in mind in the designing of the new Municipal Building.

Warden Leverman said he thought the Finance Committee might check into the matter and bring in a report at the June Meeting. He said decision on a branch office was not affected by the design of the new Municipal Building. Councillor Settle said he hoped that a branch office would be kept in mind for the fast developing eastern side of the Harbour.

The Clerk read the report of the School Capital Program Committee. Councillors Flawn and Matthews moved its adoption. Councillor Moser protested that some of the new schools were not being built, so that there could be adequate grading for drainage. He thought the fault lay with the Architects. He also said he thought oil should be used in heating new schools.

Councillor McGrath and Balcome moved an amendment for expropriation measures to be taken for the acquisition of the Pearl Property for High School purposes. The Solicitor suggested that a formal resolution for this purpose should be introduced. The amendment was withdrawn.

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Councillor King-Myers asked what other sites in the area had been investigated.

Councillor Flawn said that the Committee has no recommendations to make regarding sites at this time. He said that another site near the Truro Road had been suggested as a possibility. He hoped that acquisition of land in this area would not be hurried. He said that the Committee was simply bringing to Council's attention that the Pearl Property can only be had by expropriation, so that only the Municipality or a higher governing body would be the only ones who could get it. Because of legal entanglements, it was impossible for the land to be sold. The Municipal School Board had said it was not prepared to make any recommendation regarding a High School there at this time.

Councillor Flawn said he saw no urgency in acquiring the land. The Committee had made an investigation of the Pearl Property because it had been told it might be lost. Now it has been found out that this is not so. There are other sites; one is now up for sale for taxes.

Councillor King-Myers questioned whether the Pearl Property was the right location for a High School. If there were no urgency about acquiring the property there was no need to go ahead with the matter at this time.

Warden Leverman said that adoption of the report did not commit Council to expropriation now.

Councillor Davis said he appreciated the consideration given the Musquodoboit Harbour School. He said there was a state of urgency about the need of water. He asked Councillor Flawn if he could give any date as to when the service would be ready.

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Councillor Flawn said there was no doubt but that the incoming Committee would get at the matter as soon as possible. From his experience he did not think the service would be ready until the opening of school next September.

Councillor Davis reiterated that this was an urgent matter. It was not very good to have to go around the village borrowing water. Water was needed now. He asked if it would not be possible to go ahead with the drilling for water now. He understood this would only take about two weeks.

Councillor Flawn said there was more involved than the drilling of a well. There was the matter of acquiring plumbing fixtures and their installation, and this is done by tender. He would not like to give any assurance that this could be done before the 15th of May, or that drilling for water facilities could even be started now.

Councillor Davis said he thought it would be physically possible to get the matter underway before late spring, and possibly they could get use of water during this term.

Councillor King-Myers asked about the possibility of the erection of a fence for Waverley Memorial School. Warden Leverman suggested it was a matter for the Municipal School Board.

Councillor Flawn said his Committee had, had fences erected under special circumstances where safety was involved or it was required by contract. At the time the contract was let for the Waverley School a fence was not considered, and it was not included in the original contract.

Councillor King-Myers said she was not being critical but that the land of an adjacent property owner was involved and it was desirable to get a fence built as soon as possible.

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Councillor Ealcome said he would take the matter up at a meeting of the Municipal School Board.

Councillor Snair asked where the responsibility of finishing a school lay, when the work had not been completed. He said a school in his District has everything ready for hot water service, but that no hot water tank had been installed. He also asked about the erection of plaques in the schools.

Councillor Flawn said that in the case of this school, hot water installation was not included in the contract. However, during the installation of plumbing fixtures the sub-contractor had put hot water taps on the wash basins. If they wanted hot water in the school a request should be made to the Municipal School Board. He said he believed that the County plaques were now available. However, at the time it was decided to install them, it had been thought that a suitable unveiling ceremony might be held. His Committee did not think that this was its responsibility. He suggested Council might appoint one of its members, or elect a Committee, to arrange suitable ceremonies.

Warden Leverman said he had offered at one of the Committee meetings to arrange such ceremonies in conjunction with the Local Trustees and Councillors. He thought the history of the County Crest should be told at that time, so that students and teachers would be familiar with the meaning of the County Coat of Arms.

Councillor Redmond brought up the matter of the removal of trees in front of Lakeview School. He said they provided a hiding place for cars for illicit purposes. Councillor Davis thought the trees provided a safety factor in that they prevented the school children from darting unto the highway from many places in front of the school. If the trees were removed it might be necessary to erect a fence.

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Councillor Redmond disagreed and thought the situation more dangerous as it now exists. Councillor Flawn said his Committee had taken up the matter of safety and visibility there for motorists. As a result, some trees at the driveway entrance had been cut away. Councillor Daye supported Councillor Redmond. The way children dart out from among the trees is like rabbits running out of a briar patch.

Warden Leverman put the motion by Councillors Flawn and Matthews:-

"THAT the report of the School Capital Program Committee be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillor McGrath charged the report was the "nicest political football" he had seen in a long while. It was time there was some action with regard to a site for a High School for the Bedford-Sackville area. He moved, seconded by Councillor Balcome, that expropriation measures be undertaken to acquire in 1958 a site for a High School in his area. He said that the Municipal School Board had recommended the purchase of land.

Councillor King-Myers said that nobody was more concerned about a High School in the area than she was. The new Halifax West Municipal High School might serve the pupils of District No. 8 but it would not serve the needs of District No. 27 - the District in which the property lay. If this were an urgent matter she would recommend the spending of the \$25,000.00 now, but she was concerned with the location of the property which was not central so far as District No. 27 was concerned. There were other potential sites better situated. Councillor King-Myers claimed she was being put on the spot. It was not property that the pupils and the parents were looking for but a school. The Municipal School Board had not recommended a school because they wanted to determine just what areas the new High School at Fairview would serve. Councillor

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King-Myers said there was no advantage to the ratepayers in acquiring a site at the present time. There were other sites which have not yet been investigated. The Pearl property site might have been alright when it was first suggested but in view of developments and the growth of the Kelly Lake Airport and the R.C.A.F. Station at Beaver Bank, it was no longer suitable.

Councillor Matthews referred to the 1956 June Report of the Municipal School Board and said there was no definite recommendation to purchase the property.

Councillor Davis said that when the two Councillors of the area would not agree it put Council on a spot. He suggested it be referred back to the Municipal School Board. Councillor McGrath said if action were not taken at once, there would be ten High Schools in the Dartmouth Suburban Area before there was one for Bedford.

Councillor Flawn said this was one of the first matters to come before his Committee when it was first formed but that from time to time schools were also recommended along with the completion date required. As a result, the Committee had to take first things first. He did not think any urgency existed in acquiring the Pearl Property. He reviewed events leading to the investigation of the Pearl Property and test borings. He said the Municipal School Board was not prepared to say what size school might be required in the area, although they may be after next September.

Councillor King-Myers introduced an amendment to have the School Capital Program Committee investigate other sites and report to the June Session of Council. The Solicitor said that expropriation proceedings cannot be taken until Council was told by the Municipal School Board that the land was required for school purposes.

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Councillor McGrath asked why the Committee was making test borings if no recommendation had been made. Warden Leverman said money voted previously was to secure an option. Councillor Matthews read from the report of the Municipal School Board about acquisition of sites at Bedford-Sackville area, Dartmouth Suburban area and Chezzetcook area. Only the last one had been acted upon and the Dartmouth site had been lost to the County.

The Solicitor ruled the amendment by Councillor King-Myers was not in order.

Councillors Davis and Settle moved an amendment that the matter be referred to the Municipal School Board.

Councillor Balcome said he was sure there was a recommendation of purchase from the Municipal School Board.

Mr. Hattie read from the report of the Municipal School Board concerning the property in question.

The Solicitor said he did not think that this could be interpreted as a request to purchase the Pearl Property site for school purposes.

Warden Leverman put the amendment by Councillors Davis and Settle:-

"THAT the matter of the acquisition of the Pearl Property be referred to the Municipal School Board." The amendment carried.

Warden Leverman declared the motion lost.

Councillor Spears produced correspondence and reports concerning sanitary conditions at Ketch Harbour School. He said recommendations of two Health Inspectors and Dr. Cameron had been ignored by the Municipal School Board. He was not able to argue whether the ground there was suitable for a disposal field, but he was certain that water could be obtained.

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Councillors Spears and Longard moved:-

"THAT this Council direct a letter to the Municipal School Board requesting the Board to rectify the deplorable sanitary conditions that exist at Ketch Harbour School." Motion carried.

Councillor Moser moved that oil be used for heating all new schools in Halifax County.

Councillor Davis said there might be occasions when it would be advantageous to have a choice of oil or coal heating. If Council adopted only oil heating, then it would cover itself with a blanket policy which it had found already handicapped decisions. He thought the matter might be left to the discretion of the Municipal School Board, the School Capital Program Committee and the Local School Trustees. He introduced an amendment to this effect.

Councillor Spears asked who had the final say in the matter. Warden Leverman said Council had up to now.

Councillor Moser said he thought it should be left to the ratepayers. He did not think it should have to be considered by three bodies. It would just be kicked around. The County's biggest taxpayers were Oil Companies - and there are no coal mines in the County. The Oil Companies should be seriously considered.

Warden Leverman put the amendment by Councillors Davis and McGrath:-

"THAT the use of oil be permitted for heating purposes in all new schools; the type of fuel to be used to be decided between the Local Board of Trustees, the Municipal School Board and the School Capital Program Committee."

Warden Leverman declared the amendment lost on the vote. He then put the motion by Councillors Moser and Balcome:-

"THAT oil be used for fuel in heating all new schools in Halifax County." Motion carried.

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Councillor Flawn asked how far back **this policy** would apply. There were schools where construction had **just begun** where a change could be made.

Warden Leverman said he interpreted the motion as applying to all new schools for which contracts had **not yet been let**.

Councillors McGrath and Redmond moved:-

"**THAT the Spryfield nine-room school be heated by oil and that the use of oil in heating new schools shall apply in all future cases where tenders have not yet been awarded.**" Motion carried.

Councillor Spears moved:-

"**THAT Council adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow.**" Motion carried.

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FIFTH DAY MORNING

Council met at 10 a.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Council agreed to defer reading of the minutes until after Public Hearings on Zoning.

The Clerk read the portion of the County Planning Board report pertaining to Zoning recommendations.

The Clerk read a letter from Mr. W. S. Hart, requesting rezoning of property on the St. Margaret's Bay Road, in order to permit the building of a Motel. The Clerk read the notice of intention to hold a Public Hearing on the matter.

The Clerk read a letter from the Armdale Ratepayers Association, expressing concern over rezoning of the property and read a petition of adjacent property owners objecting to rezoning.

Mr. Reardon, the County Planning Engineer, explained with the use of the map showing the Armdale Zoning areas, the present zoning lines, and pointed out the property in question on which there is presently a house and a garage.

Mr. Downie, a Solicitor, appeared for Mr. Hart and pointed out that buildings on adjacent properties were there when the Zoning By-law was passed. The value of the Motel would be about \$125,000.00, including land. He agreed that there might be some problem of sewage at the present time but thought that this would be cleared up before construction of the Motel. The traffic problem had been discussed with the Department of Highways, although nothing concrete had come of this yet.

Mr. MacDonald, whose home was near the property, objected to the rezoning. He said that when he purchased his property, he was restricted, through an agreement with the former owners. He now had a \$25,000.00 home there. He said that there was a problem with seepage from disposal beds in the area at the present

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time. A Motel would complicate the problem.

Mr. Robertson, appearing on behalf of petitioners against rezoning, outlined a number of objections to rezoning. One of the greatest is that it is an area of great traffic density on a narrow and curving road. It would create a dangerous situation. The ratepayers had asked for zoning in order to protect themselves against what they were now fighting for.

The Municipal Solicitor pointed out that if the assessed owners of twenty percent (20%) of adjacent property affected, signed a petition objecting to rezoning, it would require a two-thirds vote of Council to change the Zoning By-law.

The petition was passed to the Assessment Department for the checking of signatures.

Council considered the matter of Industrial Zoning at Burnside.

The Clerk explained that the matter had come up previously and that at Public Meetings in the area there had been objection to the proposed zoning. The Zoning area now recommended by the County Planning Board was considerably reduced from what had originally been proposed.

Mr. Reardon agreed that at Public Meetings objections had been raised. The present recommendation did not contain any of the area to which objection had been raised and there were no individual lots in the proposed area to be zoned.

There were no representations for or against.

In answer to Councillor Burris, Warden Leverman said that there had been some objection to the proposed zoning area when it was first recommended. Since the property in question had been dropped there was no longer any interest on the part of the objectors.

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The Clerk read the minutes of the Fourth Day Morning and Afternoon.

Councillors Archibald and Turner moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Fourth Day Session be adopted as amended." Motion carried.

Councillor Flawn referred to a motion in the minutes concerning the Pearl Property and asked if it were the understanding that his Committee was not to look at other sites pending a request from the Municipal School Board.

Councillor Curren pointed out that a motion passed in 1956 requested the Committee to investigate sites for a High School in the Bedford-Sackville area.

Warden Leverman said it appeared that until such time as the Municipal School Board declared its intentions, there was not much purpose of investigating sites in this area further. The Solicitor said that until the Municipal School Board said it had need of property for a school site, no property could be acquired. However, there was nothing to prevent the Committee from investigating possible sites.

Councillor Curren asked if the Committee had been instructed to take option on desirable property. Warden Leverman agreed.

In reply to a question from Councillor Snair, Warden Leverman appointed Councillors Redmond and Settle to arrange for treats for the patients at the Halifax County Hospital during Council's visit.

Reporting on the check of signatures on the petition presented earlier, the Solicitor said that three names on the petition were not those of the assessed owners. However, the number did not affect the validity of the petition.

The Clerk read the report of the County Planning Board.

Councillors Settle and Davis moved a motion for its adoption.

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Councillor King-Myers asked for further information about zoning for the Kelly Lake Airport as recommended in the report. Councillor Settle said it had been included as a means of getting Council to consider possible zoning of the property in the area.

Councillor King-Myers said she objected. If people there wanted zoning they could ask for it. It should not be forced on them.

Mr. Hattie said that Council could only give notice of its intention at this time. Councillor Settle said he thought it should be considered by Council and decide if it had any intention to zone the area.

Councillor Myers brought up the matter of the Naugle property at Eastern Passage and the difficulty in having a subdivision approved because of a narrow access road over Federal property to the Naugle property. He recalled the various difficulties which had been brought up. The Federal Government had expropriated part of the Naugle property and had only built a 48-foot wide road as access to the Naugle property. The County Planning Board required a 66-foot road. As a result the owner was paying taxes on property which he could not dispose of.

Councillor Settle said it was the Department of Highways that required the 66-foot width road. The Committee was only acting within the framework of the Act which it had to go by. Councillor Settle said he would bring the matter up again at the next meeting of the Board and try to find a solution.

Referring to the recommendation for zoning at Kelly Lake, Councillor King-Myers asked why the people should be put to the expense of having to attend a Public Hearing if Council gave intention of zoning. She had heard a lot about attracting industry

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to the County but apparently there had not been much impression made on industry. She asked why this land should be tied up for industrial purposes. She moved an amendment to have the paragraph deleted.

Councillor Moser seconded the amendment and claimed there was discrimination. The people there had paid their taxes and if they wanted to build homes on the property it was up to them.

Councillor Davis said unless Council did some thinking about the future and planned against haphazard development, the County could only have detrimental development. He said there was one town which had zoned itself out of industrial sites and was now reaching out into the County for a plum. He thought the International Airport would attract industry to the area. There was also a safety factor to be considered. He did not think the request for zoning was unfair. The regulations were set up to prevent abuses in development. Councillor Snair said although he had opposed restrictions at first, he was now in favour after hearing all sides of the question. He said he understood there had been airports which had been prevented for developing because of building right up to the airport boundaries.

Councillor Myers questioned why the Federal Government subjected Service Personnel to the dangers if there were risks involved in building close to an airport. He pointed out that at Shearwater the Government had just built 200 new homes.

Councillor Davis objected to the charge that there was discrimination.

Councillors King-Myers and Moser asked for a recorded vote on the amendment.

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Warden Leverman put the amendment by Councillors Settle and Snair:-

"THAT the paragraph with respect to rezoning the Hart Property at Armdale be deleted from the report of the County Planning Board and be brought in as a separate resolution."
Amendment carried.

Warden Leverman put the amendment by Councillors King-Myers and Moser:-

"THAT the paragraph with respect to Industrial Zoning at Kelly Lake Airport be deleted from the report of the County Planning Board."

FOR: Councillors Moser, Balcome, Myers, Sellars, Evans, Redmond Daye, Turner, Deputy Warden Cruikshank, Councillors Isenor and King-Myers.

AGAINST: Councillors Snair, McNeil, Settle, Matthews, Davis, Burris, Archibald and Flawn.

The amendment carried.

Warden Leverman put the motion by Councillors Settle and Davis:-

"THAT the report of the County Planning Board be adopted as amended." Motion carried.

Councillor Balcome moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 2 p.m."
Motion carried.

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FIFTH DAY AFTERNOON

Council met at 2 p.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Councillors Davis and Settle moved:-

"THAT Chapter 22 of the Revised By-laws -
The Armdale Zoning By-law - is amended by
rezoning the property of W. S. Hart on
St. Margaret's Bay Road from R-1 zone to
Commercial Zone on the zoning plan attached
to and forming part of the said By-law."

Councillor Davis said that the County Engineer and the County Planning Board had investigated the matter very thoroughly. It had been discussed on several occasions in Committee. He understood from the Department of Highways that there was no objection to the location of a Motel there. He said the approaches could be made safer according to the County Engineer.

As far as sewage disposal is concerned, the Board had been assured that proper facilities would be installed. It was anticipated by some of the Councillors that the water and sewage disposal systems would be extended to the area. Meanwhile he thought there would be little danger from contamination.

The value of the property as a Motel had been estimated at \$125,000.00. Revenues from the assessment on property like this were necessary to the County. He thought the Motel would be an asset to the area.

Councillor Moser asked Mr. Reardon if he had not said during the morning meeting that the Department of Highways had not approved of a Motel site there. Mr. Reardon said the Department had examined the site but had not yet committed itself.

Councillor Moser said the Motel would be built on one of the most congested and dangerous highways. It was hard enough to get out of the City now. The land should be bought by the Provincial Government and the highway widened for the safety of pedestrians.

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The Motel would only create another bottleneck and a hazard.

Councillor Redmond said his interpretation of zoning was that it was to provide for the orderly development of the County. Just a few months ago the County Planning Board had said it was desirable to have this area zoned residential. Now Council was being told they think it should be commercial. If the Zoning By-laws were going to keep changing, it was going to create chaos. The County Planning Board should make up its mind.

Councillor Davis said there never could be a plan to serve for the next 10, 50 or 100 years as far as zoning is concerned. It could only be laid down in principle. Then individual cases must be considered on their merits as in this case. To do otherwise is to defeat the purpose of zoning.

Pointing out that Motels were not the quietest places, Councillor Myers said that to rezone this property was not fair to the people who already have built nice homes in the area. The Government had spent a lot of money to build a rotary to eliminate a bottleneck and a Motel would just create a death trap declared Councillor Moser.

Councillor Longard contended there was not enough room to place a tent on the property, let alone build a Motel.

Warden Leverman put the resolution to a vote. He declared the resolution lost.

Councillors Settle and Matthews moved:-

"THAT notwithstanding the provisions of Section 4 of this By-law all those lands lying on the eastern side of highway number seven at Burnside in District No. 14, outlined on a plan annexed hereto as Appendix "C" shall be an Industrial Area." Resolution carried.

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Councillors Balcome and Matthews moved:-

"THAT Council give notice of its intention to rezone the present J. B. Hayes property on the Dutch Village Road at Armdale, commonly known as "Kelavi" from R-1 to Commercial."

Councillor Davis said that Council was being asked to do what it had just defeated in the first resolution - that is the rezoning of an individual property. Council was defeating its own purpose. He was prepared to move an amendment that the matter be deferred.

Warden Leverman declared that this case was an entirely different matter. There being no seconder for the amendment, Warden Leverman put the resolution. On the vote he declared the resolution carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Industrial Committee.

Councillors Settle and Balcome moved:-

"THAT the report of the Industrial Committee be adopted." Motion carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Garbage Disposal Committee.

Councillors Settle and Spears moved:-

"THAT the report of the Garbage Disposal Committee be adopted." Motion carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Committee on Parks and Public Lands.

Referring to a recommendation concerning the purchase of property and the construction of a wharf at Petpeswick, the Solicitor asked what thought had been given to liability of the County in the event of an accident.

Councillor Davis said he had spoken to Mr. Battie with the intention of getting an opinion from the Solicitor on what liability the County might be responsible for and what cost might be involved.

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He said it was not the intention to build a wharf in the sense of the old government wharf but simply to plank over some of the existing wharf to make a wharf for small boats and to provide diving facilities.

Councillor Daye asked what is being done about Clam Harbour Beach. If the Council were going to build wharves he would like to have one at Jeddore.

With regard to Clam Harbour, Councillor Davis said there was difficulty in finding out the owners of the property involved. The Committee believed there was a road to the Beach there, and if such existed as the Committee believed it did, then there was free access to the Beach. Expropriation proceedings had been talked about but a large piece of land, involving several hundred acres, was involved. He thought this bigger than the County was prepared to take over. At Petpeswick there was no intention to build a wharf but the Committee was just trying to preserve public access to the Beach at Petpeswick Bay.

Councillor Daye said they were not interested in acquiring hundreds of acres of land at Clam Harbour but in preserving a public road to the Beach which was one of the finest in Nova Scotia.

Councillor Redmond thought that the Committee was going beyond the purpose for which it was originally set up. If it goes into purchase of property it will be defeating the purpose for which it was set up - that of looking after lands donated. Purchasing land would be setting a precedent and everyone would be wanting land purchased for parks in their areas.

Councillor Davis denied that the Committee had ever suggested going out on a buying spree. All it wanted was to assure the right-of-way to the water which might otherwise be lost to the public.

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The amount asked by Crown Assets Disposal Corporation was only a token amount. The money for purchase would not affect the tax rate, as it would come from the sale of lands for which no owners or heirs could be found. The County had got special legislation to use this money when it was held in trust for more than three years.

Councillor Redmond said if Crown Assets were interested in the County it could donate the land. The money still belongs to the taxpayers and it was up to Council to protect it.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank said he was prepared to move an amendment to exclude the paragraph referring to the purchase of a wharf at Petpeswick. He inferred that there might be other motives intended in the recommendation to purchase.

Councillor Davis declared he resented any personal remarks that he had an ulterior motive or personal gain in the matter. His own property was considerable distance from the area in question. If he refused to recommend it, he stood to gain as people would have to use his property to get access to the Bay. The land recommended was the only land for public access left. There was no personal or ulterior motive behind the recommendation which he said was the duty and responsibility of the Committee.

Warden Leverman said that the rules and regulations governing Council gave the Warden the right to censure any Councillor whose remarks impeach the motives of any other Councillor. He did not think the remarks of the Deputy Warden in good taste.

Councillor Moser said the land at Peggy's Cove did not have to be purchased. It could be expropriated at no cost. Warden Leverman said in view of remarks tossed back and forth, which he felt were in bad taste, he would ask the Clerk to read a letter

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addressed to Mr. Hattie personally from Crown Assets Disposal Corporation. Mr. Hattie read the letter concerning an offer to sell the property to the Council under a priority. He also read a letter from W. S. Dickie, expressing the hope of a local group that Council would acquire the property.

Councillor Curren asked if approval of the wharf also meant approval of \$995.00 for repairs. Warden Leverman said this recommendation was in the report.

Councillor Davis said it was hoped to encourage a Service Club to come in and take over the administration and care of the land as a Park.

In reply to a question from Councillor McGrath, Warden Leverman said that the \$995.00 would come from the fund set up for monies received from sale of lands at Tax Sales. The County would be liable for any amounts from the funds if the rightful claimants showed up.

Councillors Donaldson and Turner moved an amendment that the land be purchased and leased back to the community, which would also assume responsibility for improving and maintaining the land.

Councillor Davis said he had always supported parks for the fringe areas. His was a small community. He did not think such a restriction was quite fair. In reply to Councillor Myers, Councillor Davis said commercial fishermen would not use the wharf.

Councillor Myers said he thought public wharves were built by the Department of Public Works. A wharf was badly needed at Eastern Passage but they cannot get one. He did not want to have to ask Council for one. In reply to a question from the Solicitor, Councillor Davis said there was no organization in the community to which the property could be leased.

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Warden Leverman put the amendment by Councillors Donaldson and Turner:-

"THAT the Municipality purchase the property at West Petpeswick at the stated purchase price of \$110.00 and that the matter of improvement of the site be left to the local District or some local organization, to whom the property could be leased."

Warden Leverman declared the amendment carried.

Since the amendment by Deputy Warden Cruikshank and Councillor Daye was declared by the Solicitor to be contradictory to the amendment carried, this amendment was declared out of order by Warden Leverman.

Councillors McGrath and Evans moved:-

"THAT the report of the Parks and Public Lands Committee be adopted as amended."
Motion carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Safety Committee.

Referring to the appointment of a dog catcher, Warden Leverman said he objected to the suggestion that the Clerk should be made responsible for this man's work. The Clerk already had enough work to carry out.

Councillor Davis said the idea was that the Clerk would simply assume the responsibility and delegate the actual administration to another member of his staff.

Councillor Myers charged Council would simply be creating another "cushy" job for someone. He asked how one man could pick up all the stray dogs in the County. To hire a man and buy a truck for an experiment was foolishness. Councillor McGrath suggested that if the experiment were to be tried, the truck should be rented. He asked what was to be done with the dogs when they were caught.

Councillor Moser said he would move an amendment to delete this part of the report. Councillor Curren thought a Constable

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might be appointed as dog catcher and he would then be able to collect the dog taxes also. Councillor Davis said to designate present Constables working on tax warrants for the job would be detrimental to the policy under which Constables were hired. He thought most of the complaints came from the more densely populated areas. Councillor Daye said he had not signed the report and he seconded the amendment.

Councillor Redmond said that even in his Rural District, stray dogs were a nuisance. He doubted the recommendation was a cure-all. If the situation were to be alleviated there should be some other suggestions. Just to be critical was not going to improve the situation.

Councillor Burris said he was not quite in agreement with the recommendation but he thought Council had some responsibility. Perhaps the matter should be referred back to the Committee for further study. Councillor King-Myers said the recommendation did not assist her District but said she was unable to make a suggestion at this time.

Councillor Snair said a recommendation to buy a gun might have been better. He thought if Local Constables were paid a fee to follow up complaints there might be better results.

Councillor Curren said in his District there had been trouble with dogs hanging around the schools and that in three or four cases pupils had been bitten. The Constable had gone in uniform to the school and told the children that if the dogs were not left at home they would be taken away. This had, had a good effect.

Councillor Turner said that the Committee had other similar complaints and that was why the recommendation had been made.

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Warden Leverman put the amendment by Councillors Moser and Daye:-

"THAT the section of the Safety Committee report dealing with a stray animal patrol be deleted." Amendment carried.

Councillors Curren and Redmond moved:-

"THAT the report of the Safety Committee as amended be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillor Snair moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow at the Halifax County Hospital." Motion carried.

March 5, 1958

SIXTH DAY MORNING

Roll called.

Council met at 10 a.m. and adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow; the Councillors spending the day touring the Halifax County Hospital.

March 6, 1958.

SEVENTH DAY MORNING

Council met at 10 a.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

The Clerk read the minutes of the Fifth Day Morning and
Afternoon.

Councillors Curren and Matthews moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Fifth Day Session
be adopted as amended." Motion carried.

The members of the Revenue Committee retired.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank in the chair.

The Deputy Clerk read the minutes of the Sixth Day.

Councillors McGrath and Daye moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Sixth Day be
adopted." Motion carried.

The Deputy Clerk read the report of the Welfare Committee.

Referring to the part of the report concerning bringing the
Institution up to standards, he asked what specifically was
needed to do this.

Mr. Smith said that the Institution was up to standard at
present except for the problem of overcrowding. The construction
of a Nurses' Residence would relieve this situation.

Councillor Settle asked whether the Committee felt the four
dollar (\$4.00) per day per patient grant, which would be avail-
able from the Provincial Government for the T.B. Unit was sufficient
to meet the expenses of the T.B. Unit.

Councillor Davis pointed out that the Hospital was not operated
to make a profit. The Committee's investigations seemed to in-
dicate that the Municipality would gain.

Councillor Flawn asked about the significance of the grant
of \$1,500.00 per bed and said he presumed minimum standards
would have to be met in order to qualify for the grant towards
a Nurses' Residence. He asked how many beds would be provided.

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Councillor Davis said that the hope was for a 100-bed residence. There were not that many of the staff who would make use of it now, but additional staff would be required to meet the requirements of new patients who would be admitted when staff vacated Hospital quarters.

Councillor Flawn suggested that there was something misleading, as the report said it was necessary to move the staff out in order to alleviate overcrowding. He could not see where there could be an influx of new patients if the staff were being moved out to alleviate overcrowding. He asked about the cost of a residence.

Councillor Davis said that the cost would be brought out later when plans and specifications were prepared. He agreed that the residence was to relieve overcrowding. However, if a T.B. Ward were proceeded with there would be accommodation there for 50 T.B. Patients. There were only 18 T.B. Patients at present. Eventually there would be room for approximately 50 additional patients in the Hospital if the Staff were moved out of quarters they now occupy.

Councillor Donaldson asked if the Committee had considered a bungalow type small community to provide quarters. He presumed that some of the staff were married and would prefer to live in separate quarters of their own.

Councillor Davis said this had been considered and it would appear that Nurses' Quarters would be necessary in any case to attract the type of help needed. Mr. Smith said that in previous plans, which had been prepared, provision had been made for quarters of up to 5 rooms for married staff. However, he did not know if these plans would be acceptable. He said any improvement would be good.

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Councillor Donaldson said that in his experience he did not think staff houses had worked out for married persons. Mr. Smith agreed and pointed out that they had tried not to employ married couples or married persons. He said the bungalow community was the ideal situation but he thought it too much to ask for at this time.

Councillor Settle asked if it had not worked out in practice that married persons had established their own homes in the vicinity. Mr. Smith said that under a salary system change, help was now paid gross salary but charged rent if they lived in the Hospital, and staff was charged for meals eaten at the Hospital.

Councillor McGrath asked if there were an approximate cost of the change necessary to provide a separate dishwashing machine for T.B. Patients. Mr. Smith said he thought it might be from \$1,500.00 to \$1,800.00.

Councillor Curren asked if there had been any increase in staff at the Hospital during the past year. Mr. Smith said that 10 Graduate Nurses had been hired and another Doctor was employed part-time.

Councillors Curren and Davis moved:-

"THAT the report of the Welfare Committee be adopted." Motion carried.

The Deputy Clerk read the report of the Farm Manager.

Referring to the increase in farm acreage cleared, Councillor Settle thought this was a step in the right direction and would increase the asset value of the farm. Mr. Schaad pointed out that it would be some considerable time and expense before it could all come under cultivation because many rocks had still to be moved. Only part of the land would be ready for cultivation this year.

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Questions about the size and quality of the cattle herds, additions to the herds, production of the herds and work carried out on the farm were answered by Mr. Schaad.

In reply to a question from Councillor Evans, Councillor Davis said the Welfare Committee had the right to authorize the Farm Manager to hire extra seasonal help if it were required.

Councillors Davis and Daye moved:-

"THAT the report of the Farm Manager be adopted." Motion carried.

The Deputy Clerk read the report of the Medical Health Officer of the Hospital.

Councillors King-Myers and Evans moved:-

"THAT the report of the Medical Health Officer be adopted." Motion carried.

The report of the Visiting Committee was read by Rev. Dr. J.D.N. MacDonald.

Councillors Evans and Spears moved:-

"THAT the report of the Visiting Committee be received and filed." Motion carried.

The Clerk read a petition from ratepayers of Enfield Border Section No. 19, District No. 27, requesting that \$200.00 be paid the Enfield Fire Department and that the money be raised in the Section by a sectional rate of twenty cents (20¢) for the year 1958 only.

The petition was referred to the Assessment Department for checking of signatures.

The Clerk read a letter from C. Carl Ford, requesting an opportunity for his services in any future construction planned by the County. The letter was referred to the School Capital Program Committee.

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The Clerk read a letter from the Nova Scotia Rehabilitation Council, inviting Council to visit the Rehabilitation Hospital at 2:00 p.m., March 6th. Council agreed to thank the Council for the invitation but pointing out that at this time there was not sufficient time for Council to make the visit.

The Clerk read a petition from ratepayers of Districts No. 23, 24, 25 and part of District No. 26, requesting a local levy on those Districts and part of District No. 26 of ten cents (10¢) with the amount raised to be paid to the Musquodoboit Valley Memorial Hospital. The petition was referred to the Assessment Department for checking of signatures and then to the Finance Committee.

The Clerk read a request that the Public Relations Officer of the Salvation Army be permitted to address Council. Councillor Flawn said that he did not think it necessary to hear the speaker if he were appearing in support of a request for a grant, as Council would undoubtedly act favourably upon the request. He thought unnecessary time would be taken up. Councillor Myers said he thought that the Council had a duty to hear those who wanted to appear before Council. Council agreed to hear the representative of the Salvation Army.

Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Warden Leverman appointed the following to the Nominating Committee:-

Councillors McGrath (Chairman), Archibald, Flawn,
Turner and Balcome.

Councillor Longard moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 2 p.m. today."
Motion carried.

SEVENTH DAY AFTERNOON

Council met at 2 p.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Members of the Nominating Committee retired.

Warden Leverman invited Mr. Ritchie to address the Council on the proposed abattoir to be built in Halifax.

Mr. Ritchie reviewed the events leading up to the present appeal for funds for construction of the abattoir. He said that a Quebec authority had recommended that an abattoir and not a killing plant, be built. The City was prepared to put into effect By-laws requiring inspection of all meat when the abattoir was in operation.

People of Halifax County had subscribed the \$30,000.00 allocated to this County but other Counties had not met their objectives. As a result they were appealing for more money from Halifax County. Mr. Ritchie said he felt the County should support the proposed abattoir and that it would be prepared to invest up to \$5,000.00 in it. The plant would cost \$900,000.00 to \$1,000,000.00.

Mr. Ritchie also appealed to individual Councillors to purchase shares in the proposed abattoir. It would not only serve the farmers but the general public by providing inspected meats.

Councillor Snair asked if it were a stipulation of the Province that Municipalities should contribute. Mr. Ritcey said it was not; and that any contribution would not be a gift but an investment in shares.

Councillor Moser contended that some of the butchers who presently buy from the farmers would be put out of business if they had to buy meat through an abattoir. Mr. Ritchie said one of the reasons for building an abattoir was the fact that butchers were taking advantage of the farmers. The abattoir would not put a butcher out of business. Only the City of Halifax would require inspected meat

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to be sold. The rest of Nova Scotia has no legislation requiring inspected meat. It would mean that butchers who go around buying from the farmers would have to meet the abattoir price and so give the farmer a fair deal.

In reply to a question from Councillor Donaldson, the Solicitor said he doubted if the County had the authority to invest in such an undertaking. However, he would have to check into the matter and report later.

Replying to Councillor Curren, Mr. Ritchie said farmers would not be forced or required to sell to the abattoir. Butchers who buy directly from the farmer would not be able to sell their meat in the City of Halifax.

In reply to Councillor Myers, Councillor Settle said every effort had been made by the Industrial Committee to have the abattoir located in the County.

The Clerk read the report of the Board of Appeal.

Councillors Curren and Cruikshank moved:-

"THAT the report of the Board of Appeal be adopted as read." Motion carried.

Councillors Settle and Daye moved:-

"THAT the report of the Building and Sanitary Inspectors be received and filed." Motion carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Revenue Committee.

Referring to watershed lands of the Town of Dartmouth, Councillor Settle said that the fact they were not taxable was a sore spot with the taxpayers of the County area. It now appeared as though they might extend the watershed area to include Lake Major. He said that watershed property of the City of Halifax was taxed. He would like to see some action taken

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to make these lands of the Dartmouth watershed be made taxable. He did not think a Public Utility should be in the possession of any one Municipality but in a Public Service Commission.

Councillor Curren raised a question of exemption from taxation for the fire apparatus at Hammonds Plains. He said that the community looked after its own fire fighting problems. He asked if they formed an organized brigade could they get exemption.

Mr. Hattie said it would require special legislation.

Councillor Snair said he thought that the two small units at Hammonds Plains had been bought out of community funds but that the title had not been vested in the Municipality and therefore, not exempt from taxation.

Councillor Davis referred to watershed lands and the fact that the Municipality lost revenue whenever a property was added to the watershed. He suggested that the County should get some compensation and urged the matter be investigated.

Mr. Hattie said that under the Assessment Act, the Dartmouth Watershed was exempt because it was owned by the Town. If it were under a separate Commission with a separate entity, such as in Halifax, it would be taxable.

Councillor Moser asked for some way of getting more taxes from the floating population of the County. He said they are getting education and services free. Councillor Snair said this was one of the reasons for tax changes recommended.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank said that Poll Taxes were one of the most difficult to collect. He wondered if there were not better ways of collecting them when the County depended on them for revenue.

Councillor Matthews asked about Service Personnel, particularly single persons. Mr. Hattie said they are taxed.

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Councillors Snair and Curren moved:-

"THAT the report of the Revenue Committee be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillors Davis and Settle moved:-

"THAT the Revenue Committee seek legislation to have the Watershed Property owned by the Town of Dartmouth, within the County, made assessable." Motion carried.

Area School Rates, which would be required to be levied, were distributed. They had been approved by the School Sections concerned, according to Mr. Hattie, but approval of Council would be required to set the Area Rate. The matter was deferred when Councillor Longard questioned rates for School Section No. 10, which he thought had been confused with a request from School Section No. 3.

Warden Leverman asked for nominations for members of the Civil Defence Metropolitan Committee.

Councillors Settle and Evans moved:-

"THAT Councillor Matthews be appointed by this Council as a member of the Civil Defence Metropolitan Committee." Motion carried.

Councillors Spears and Burriss moved:-

"THAT Councillor Curren be appointed by this Council as member of the Civil Defence Metropolitan Committee." Motion carried.

Councillor McGrath reported verbally that the Nominating Committee was recommending that the same members be appointed to the various Committees as were appointed last year. With respect to a recommendation that Councillors should be sworn in at the December Session, Mr. Hattie said that the Solicitor was looking into legal aspects of the matter.

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Councillors McGrath and Balcome moved:-

"THAT the report of the Nominating
Committee be adopted." Motion carried.

Warden Leverman said that there had been some misunderstanding over the time agreed upon for Mr. Morris to address Council and for that reason he had not been advised to appear this afternoon. Effort would be made to set a new time.

Councillor Snair moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow."
Motion carried.

EIGHTH DAY MORNING

March 7, 1958.

Council met at 10 a.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

The Clerk read the minutes of the Seventh Day Morning and Afternoon.

Councillors Spears and Curren moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Seventh Day Morning and Afternoon be adopted as amended." Motion carried.

The Solicitor explained the circumstances which resulted in Edmund Morris not appearing to speak to Council yesterday. He took the blame for the misunderstanding which he said had resulted in Mr. Morris not receiving the invitation to speak.

The Solicitor said that special legislation would be required in order for Council to spend monies for Civil Defence purposes. He said a Bill had been stood over in the Legislature, which would have given Municipalities the necessary authority to spend monies.

Warden Leverman invited Major Dyck of the Salvation Army to address Council.

Major Dyck reviewed the work of the Salvation Army with regard to operation of Grace Maternity Hospital and Homes for Unwed Mothers. He said that last year these places had operated at a deficit. He appealed to Councillors for an increase in the annual grant.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank in the chair.

Councillors Balcome and Longard moved:-

"THAT this Council take necessary action to carry out the wishes of ratepayers of District No. 12 in accordance with the result of the Plebiscite held on March 1, 1958."

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Councillor Matthews said he had yet to be convinced that the vote in the Plebiscite really expressed the wishes of the ratepayers of the District. He pointed out that just over ten percent (10%) of the eligible voters had voted. He said in view of this, he was not convinced it was in the interests of the District or the County to divide the District at present.

Councillor Myers said Council could not ignore the vote, even if only a small number had voted because everyone eligible had, had an opportunity to vote. Councillor Balcome said he interpreted a Section of the Municipal Act to say that a majority of voters at a Plebiscite carried the same weight as a majority of ratepayers on a petition. In view of the fact that there was an overwhelming majority of those who had voted, in favor of dividing the District into three separate Districts, Council should give them what they asked for.

Councillor Burris said there was quite a difference between a majority of ratepayers signing a petition, and a majority of ratepayers on a Plebiscite where only ten percent (10%) of those eligible had voted. It placed Council in an awkward spot.

Councillor Davis said he did not think twelve percent (12%) was a representative vote of the 5,000 people in the District. Council had previously decided redistribution was not in the interests of the County after getting a report from the Redistribution Committee on the pros and cons of redistribution.

Councillor Longard did not think Council had the right to take away from the people what the majority had asked for. Warden Leverman, sitting as a Councillor, said that although there had been a difference of opinion among the three Councillors of the District as to division of the District, there had been no animosity.

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He said that in the kind of Plebiscite held, only certain classes had been permitted to vote. Others who would normally vote were not permitted to do so under the Act. The question in the Plebiscite had been so worded that many persons did not know exactly what they were being asked to vote for. They had been asked to vote on dividing the District when they did not know how the District would be divided, if they favoured it. He said that the situation had been confused.

Councillor Balcome thought the time of year had been one reason for the light vote. If the Plebiscite had been held last October or November there would have been a greater vote, but generally the percentage of voters in Halifax County who vote at any Municipal Election is very low. He said in his case the vote by which he was elected meant actually that he represented only about twenty-five percent (25%) of eligible voters. The people who do get out and vote are the ones who are really interested and they should be listened to.

Councillor Curren asked if the motion passed would division of the District take place in time for the election in October.

The Solicitor explained the Municipal Act in this respect and said that in the case of District No. 12 Special Legislation would be required.

Councillors Balcome and Myers asked for a recorded vote.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank put the motion. The vote was:-

FOR - Councillors Snair, Curren, Moser, Longard, Balcome, Myers, Redmond and King-Myers.

AGAINST - Councillor Spears, Warden Leverman, Councillors McNeil, Matthews, Settle, Sellars, Evans, Davis, Daye, Turner, Burris, Archibald, Deputy Warden Cruikshank, Councillors Isenor and Flawn.

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The Deputy Warden declared the motion lost.

Warden Leverman in the chair.

The Clerk reported that signatures had been checked on a petition from ratepayers of Sheet Harbour and Watt Section School Sections for a rate not exceeding twenty-five cents (\$0.25) for purchase of fire equipment. He said a resolution would be brought in.

A letter from Dr. Reardon, with a list of names of persons supporting a Regional Library attached, was referred to the Regional Library Committee.

Councillors Spears and Longard moved:-

"THAT a letter be written to the Members of the Legislature representing Halifax County in the Legislature, thanking them for the excellent dinner tendered to the County last night." Motion carried.

Councillors Balcome and Evans moved:-

"WHEREAS a great need has arisen for the Municipality to acquire new premises to more effectively carry out its administrative functions and better serve the public;

AND WHEREAS the Council has indicated its intention to acquire property for such a purpose;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Warden and Clerk be and they are hereby authorized to enter into an agreement and to execute all necessary documents and to do all things required for the purchase of the property known as "Kelavi," situate on the Dutch Village Road in the County of Halifax, in accordance with the terms and conditions contained in an agreement dated the 28th day of February, A.D. 1958." Resolution carried.

The Solicitor reported on a petition requesting tax exemption for members of the Woodside Fire Brigade and said that under the Assessment Act the County does not have the authority to grant tax exemption to a fireman.

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Councillor Flawn moved:-

"THAT this County Council make a grant of \$840.00 to the Woodside Voluntary Fire Department."

There being no seconder for the motion the Warden could not accept the motion.

Councillors Flawn and Spears moved:-

"WHEREAS Bill Number 22 of this year A.D. 1958, presently before the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, contains an amendment which would enable the Council of every Municipality to authorize such Committee as the Council may determine, on behalf of the Municipality, to change the rate of interest from that set out in the resolution of the Council, which provides for the issue of debentures, to such other rate as the Committee may determine;

AND WHEREAS it is further provided by this proposed amendment in Bill Number 22 that a resolution of the Committee under this Subsection must be passed before the debentures are sold and shall not be effective unless a copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the Municipality as having been duly passed unanimously, or certified by members purporting to be all the members of the Committee, has been filed with the Minister and the Minister has approved thereof;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Finance Committee be and the same is hereby authorized by and on behalf of the Municipality to change the rate of interest from that set out in any resolution of Council, which provides for the issue of debentures to such other rate as the Committee may determine." Motion carried unanimously.

Council agreed to re-open the report of the Court House Commissioners.

Commenting on it, Warden Leverman said the part he objected to was the part which would mean that the Clerk would be forced to vacate his office, and that Municipal work would have to be carried on, on conditions even more difficult than at present.

Councillor Flawn asked how long it would be before work would begin if Council approved a vault addition to the Registry of Deeds.

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Warden Leverman said that if the three bodies concerned approved, it would probably begin as soon as possible. He thought Council could give its approval conditional that work not begin for one year.

Councillor Settle asked about the possibility of the Province sharing in the cost. Mr. Hattie said this had not been clarified. Councillor Redmond asked about that part of the report referring to possibility of the Province building a new Registry of Deeds.

Warden Leverman said that a request for a meeting with the Province on the matter had gone forward through the Chairman of the Court House Commission and they were waiting to hear about it.

Councillor Redmond said in view of this he thought that the County was being premature in taking any action now. If Council agreed to its share of providing increased space, it might have an adverse affect on any decision by the Province.

Councillors Flawn and Curren moved:-

"THAT the report of the Commissioners of the Court House be adopted, providing construction does not start for the period of one year."

Councillors Matthews and Redmond moved an amendment:-

"THAT the report of the Commissioners of the Court House be tabled until the next meeting of Council."

The amendment carried.

Councillors Spears and Turner moved:-

"THAT Mr. J. F. R. McMahon be re-appointed Clerk of Licenses for the ensuing year." Motion carried.

Councillors Turner and Evans moved:-

"THAT the Warden and Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to arrange with the Royal Bank of Canada, Spring Garden Road, for an overdraft at such Bank for a sum not exceeding \$350,000.00 and the Treasurer is authorized to use such overdraft to defray ordinary expenses of the Municipality for the coming year." Motion carried.

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Councillors Curren and Balcome moved:-

"THAT the Municipality of the County of Halifax be exempted from the provisions of Section 23 (1) of Chapter 3 of the Statutes of 1954 - the Poor Relief Act - and that money raised for purposes of poor relief be raised and administered by the Local Poor Districts in the same manner as in the past, for the year 1958." Motion carried.

Councillors Spears and Turner moved:-

"THAT the Annual Poll Tax of thirty cents (\$0.30) for the support of the poor, as provided by Section 4 (3) of Chapter 100 of the Acts of Nova Scotia, 1938, be not levied for the year 1958." Motion carried.

Councillors Turner and Curren moved:-

"THAT the Municipal Clerk and Treasurer and the Warden or the Chairman of the Finance Committee be authorized to sign the Royal Bank of Canada forms re Safety Deposit Box and that the Clerk and Treasurer and the Warden or the Chairman of the Finance Committee have access to the said Safety Deposit Box." Motion carried.

Councillors Curren and Daye moved:-

"THAT the Municipal Clerk and Treasurer be authorized to take delivery of paid coupons and bonds charged to the account operated in the name of the Municipality of the County of Halifax, Bond Redemption Accounts (both Municipal and School) in the Royal Bank of Canada, Spring Garden Road, Halifax, N.S." Motion carried.

Councillor Spears moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 2 p.m." Motion carried.

Council met at 2 p.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Warden Leverman invited Mr. Edmund Morris to address Council.

Mr. Morris said he was present at the invitation of Council to discuss with Council the possibility of a Federal grant for education purposes. He reviewed events as he understood them leading up to the present situation with regard to the possibility of the County taking over D.N.D. schools or providing High School education for children of D.N.D. personnel. He said that the Government realizes it is a business coming into the area and the additional High School age children placed an extra burden on education facilities, and that the Government is willing to pay for this.

He said that the Federal Government is waiting for a reply from the County as to whether it will apply for a grant in respect of education facilities. He said that the Town of Dartmouth would only be considered for a grant if it were turned down by the County.

Warden Leverman said that Council had a feeling that it had nothing tangible upon which to work. Council agreed to hear correspondence in the matter to date. Mr. Hattie read the correspondence.

Mr. Morris agreed that it takes a great deal of time to work these matters out. He said, however, that the County's right to the grant had not in any way been compromised. He thought the right way to approach the question would be to get both sides together to discuss the matter.

Warden Leverman said he had offered to go to Ottawa in November to discuss the matter but had been advised against it as the Government was not ready to deal with the situation. Mr. Morris said that one of the things that would have to be discussed would be education

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standards. He said teachers at D.N.D. Schools are now paid in excess of the scale paid by the County. This could theoretically create a serious problem.

Mr. Morris said he would not suggest Council waiting until April to do anything. He said he would be willing to assist in any way possible. If Council wanted someone to come here to conclude negotiations he would arrange it. If Council wanted to go to Ottawa, he would be glad to accompany its representatives if they so desired.

Mr. Morris said that D.N.D. wants to leave education to those who are in the education business as long as standards can be maintained. They wanted children of Service personnel to be educated alongside those of non-service personnel. Apparently both sides wanted information from the other. It seems that both sides should be brought together.

Councillor Davis foresaw difficulties with regard to Teachers' salaries at these schools since either they would have to be subsidized or the salaries reduced to the Leonard Scale. Mr. Morris said this was one of the serious problems but that it would also exist for the Town of Dartmouth. He emphasized that no commitment had been made to the Town of Dartmouth. He said that Federal officials were not interested in having teachers' salaries reduced, and that there would be strong objection to the children being taken to Fairview High School.

Councillor Settle wondered if something could not be done at the High School level to start, because that was where the problem was most acute. Later negotiations could be continued with regard to D.N.D. schools at Shannon Park and Shearwater.

Mr. Morris said that as long as the present standard of the schools was maintained, the Government wanted to get out of the education field.

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Councillor Flawn questioned a press report in which Mr. Morris is reported to have said that a grant of \$455.00 per pupil had been arrived at. He said that he had been advised by the Clerk that the County had not been advised of this figure. He wondered if Mr. Morris, being in Ottawa, had any later information than the County.

Mr. Morris said he had not given out any figure. However, during a meeting of the Mayor of Dartmouth with D.N.D. officials a figure of thirty-five percent (35%) of capital cost and \$440.00 per pupil, per year, operating cost had been broached as figures upon which negotiations might begin, if the Department ever did begin negotiations with the Town for High School accommodation.

Councillor Flawn commented that it appeared as though the County was in the position of having to ask for something definite without having anything definite to go on.

Warden Leverman thanked Mr. Morris for appearing before Council.

The Clerk read the Preliminary Report of the Finance Committee.

Councillor King-Myers said she was disappointed that there had not been a greater salary increase considered for Mrs. Jennex who had many years service.

Councillor Davis said that the revised Salary Scale had been studied very carefully by the Finance Committee and recommendations made by Mr. Hattie had been taken into consideration in making the recommendations for the revised Salary Scale.

Councillor King-Myers said she was not criticizing Mr. Hattie, but she thought every Councillor had a right to make observations on any report. She was glad to see that Miss Harnish and Miss Leonard were to receive increases but felt that not enough consideration had been given to Mrs. Jennex. In answer to her

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question, Mr. Hattie said Mrs. Jennex had been with the County for about twenty years.

Councillors Cruikshank and Evans moved:-

"THAT the Preliminary Report of the Finance Committee, including the revised Salary Scale, be adopted." Motion carried.

Mr. Hattie said that he was pleased that Council had agreed to revising the salaries of the staff who had proved to be hard working, well experienced people.

Councillor Longard paid tribute to the work of Mr. Hattie.

Councillors Flawn and Turner moved:-

"WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax was authorized by law to borrow or raise by way of loan by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality a sum not exceeding One Million Four Hundred Eighty-one Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$1,481,600.00) for the purpose of erecting, acquiring, purchasing, altering, adding to, improving, furnishing or equipping buildings for schools, garages or other buildings for school purposes and acquiring or purchasing or improving land for such buildings;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 (1) of the Municipal Act, the said Council postponed the issue of debentures and resolved to borrow a sum not exceeding One Million Four Hundred Eighty-one Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$1,481,600.00) from the Royal Bank of Canada (Spring Garden Road Branch) for the purpose aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS by resolution passed by the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax on the 13th day of September A.D. 1957, and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 30th day of October A.D. 1957, the Municipality

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issued its debentures in the principal amount of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) to repay the Bank a portion of the sum so borrowed;

AND WHEREAS there was authority remaining to borrow an amount not exceeding Nine Hundred Eighty-one Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$981,600.00) for the school purpose aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS it is now deemed necessary to issue and sell debentures to repay the Bank a further portion of the sum so borrowed;

AND WHEREAS the said Council deems that the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to an amount of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) as hereinafter mentioned will be necessary to raise that portion of the sums required;

AND WHEREAS Bill Number 22 of this year A.D. 1958 presently before the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, contains an amendment which would enable the Council of every Municipality of a County to authorize such Committee as the Council may determine, on behalf of the Municipality to change the rate of interest from that set out in the resolution of the Council, which provided for the issue of debentures, to such other rate as the Committee may determine;

AND WHEREAS it is further provided by this proposed amendment in Bill Number 22 that a resolution of the Committee under this Subsection must be passed before the debentures are sold and shall not be effective unless a true copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the Municipality as having been duly passed unanimously, or certified by members purporting to be all the members of the Committee, has been filed with the Minister and the Minister has approved thereof;

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BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that 500 debentures of the said Municipality for One Thousand Dollars each be accordingly issued and sold;

THAT the said debentures be numbered consecutively 58-A-001 to 58-A-500 inclusive, be dated the 1st day of May A.D. 1958, and be payable as follows:-

Debenture No. 58-A-001 to 58-A-025 incl. in one year from date thereof;
58-A-026 to 58-A-050 incl. in two years from date thereof;
58-A-051 to 58-A-075 incl. in three years from date thereof;
58-A-076 to 58-A-100 incl. in four years from date thereof;
58-A-101 to 58-A-125 incl. in five years from date thereof;
58-A-126 to 58-A-150 incl. in six years from date thereof;
58-A-151 to 58-A-175 incl. in seven years from date thereof;
58-A-176 to 58-A-200 incl. in eight years from date thereof;
58-A-201 to 58-A-225 incl. in nine years from date thereof;
58-A-226 to 58-A-250 incl. in ten years from date thereof;
58-A-251 to 58-A-275 incl. in eleven years from date thereof;
58-A-276 to 58-A-300 incl. in twelve years from date thereof;
58-A-301 to 58-A-325 incl. in thirteen years from date thereof;
58-A-326 to 58-A-350 incl. in fourteen years from date thereof;
58-A-351 to 58-A-375 incl. in fifteen years from date thereof;
58-A-376 to 58-A-400 incl. in sixteen years from date thereof;
58-A-401 to 58-A-425 incl. in seventeen years from date thereof;
58-A-426 to 58-A-450 incl. in eighteen years from date thereof;
58-A-451 to 58-A-475 incl. in nineteen years from date thereof;
58-A-476 to 58-A-500 incl. in twenty years from date thereof;

THAT the said debentures be payable at any branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in Nova Scotia and at the principal office of the said Bank in Saint John, Charlottetown, Montreal or Toronto at the option of the holder;

THAT the said debentures bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum payable semi-annually at any said office at the option of the holder;

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THAT if the assent of the Governor in Council is given to Bill 22 of the year A.D. 1958, the Finance Committee of the Municipality is hereby authorized on behalf of the Municipality to change the rate of interest from the rate set out in the issuing resolution;

THAT any resolution of this Committee changing the interest rate must be passed before the debentures are sold and shall not be effective unless a true copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the Municipality as having been duly passed unanimously, or certified by members purporting to be all the members of the Committee, has been filed with the Minister and received his approval;

THAT the Warden of the said Municipality do sign and the Clerk thereof do countersign the said debentures, that they do seal the same with the corporate seal of the said Municipality, and that the said Clerk do sign the interest coupons or if the same are lithographed, either sign the same or have them impressed with a facsimile of his signature;

THAT the Warden and Clerk of the said Municipality do sell and deliver the said debentures at such price to such person and in such manner as they shall deem proper;

THAT the proceeds of the debentures when sold, so far as necessary, be used to repay any sum so borrowed as aforesaid from the Royal Bank of Canada (Spring Garden Road Branch) in Halifax."
Carried.

Councillors Turner and Moser moved:-

"WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax was authorized by law to borrow or raise by way of loan by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality a sum not exceeding Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000.00) for the

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purpose of equipping a Fire Department for Sheet Harbour and acquiring or purchasing apparatus, machinery and implements for use in extinguishing fires in or near Sheet Harbour and for acquiring, purchasing, or improving land or buildings for such equipment;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 (1) of the Municipal Act, the said Council postponed the issue of debentures and resolved to borrow a sum not exceeding Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000.00) from the Royal Bank of Canada, (Spring Garden Road Branch) for the purpose aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS it is now deemed necessary to issue and sell debentures to repay the Bank the sum so borrowed;

AND WHEREAS the said Council deems that the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to the amount of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000.00) as hereinafter mentioned will be necessary to raise the sum required;

AND WHEREAS Bill Number 22 of this year A.D. 1958 presently before the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia contains an amendment which would enable the Council of every Municipality of a County to authorize such Committee as the Council may determine, on behalf of the Municipality to change the rate of interest from that set out in the resolution of the Council, which provided for the issue of debentures, to such other rate as the Committee may determine;

AND WHEREAS it is further provided by this proposed amendment in Bill Number 22 that a resolution of the Committee under this Subsection must be passed before the debentures are sold and shall not be effective unless a true copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the Municipality as having been duly passed unanimously, or

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certified by members purporting to be all the members of the Committee, has been filed with the Minister and the Minister has approved thereof;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that twelve (12) debentures of the said Municipality for One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each be accordingly issued and sold;

THAT the said debentures be numbered consecutively 58-C-01 to 58-C-12 inclusive, be dated the 1st day of May A.D. 1958, and be payable as follows:

Debenture No. 58-C-01 in one year from the date thereof;
58-C-02 in two years from the date thereof;
58-C-03 in three years from the date thereof;
58-C-04 in four years from the date thereof;
58-C-05 in five years from the date thereof;
58-C-06 in six years from the date thereof;
58-C-07 in seven years from the date thereof;
58-C-08 in eight years from the date thereof;
58-C-09 in nine years from the date thereof;
58-C-10 in ten years from the date thereof;
58-C-11 in eleven years from the date thereof;
58-C-12 in twelve years from the date thereof;

THAT the said debentures be payable at any branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in Nova Scotia and at the principal office of the said Bank in Saint John, Charlottetown, Montreal or Toronto at the option of the holder;

THAT the said debentures bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at any said office at the option of the holder;

THAT if the assent of the Governor in Council is given to Bill 22 of the year 1958 A.D., the Finance Committee of the Municipality is hereby authorized on behalf of the Municipality to change the rate of interest from the rate set out in the issuing resolution;

THAT any resolution of this Committee changing the interest rate must be passed before the debentures are sold and shall not be effective unless a true copy thereof certified by the Clerk of

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the Municipality as having been duly passed unanimously, or certified by members purporting to be all the members of the Committee, has been filed with the Minister and received his approval;

THAT the Warden of the said Municipality do sign and the Clerk thereof do countersign the said debentures, that they do seal the same with the corporate seal of the said Municipality, and that the said Clerk do sign the interest coupons or if the same are lithographed, either sign the same or have them impressed with a facsimile of his signature;

THAT the Warden and Clerk of the said Municipality do sell and deliver the said debentures at such price to such person and in such manner as they shall deem proper;

THAT the proceeds of the debentures when sold, so far as necessary, be used to repay any sum so borrowed as aforesaid from the Royal Bank of Canada (Spring Garden Road Branch) in Halifax." Carried.

Councillors Curren and McGrath moved:-

"WHEREAS by Section 6 of Chapter 186 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1954, The Municipal Affairs Act, it is enacted among other things, in effect, that notwithstanding any of the provisions of any general or special Act of the Legislature of Nova Scotia, every incorporated Municipality shall have full power and authority to borrow or raise by way of loan from time to time on the credit of such Municipality, such sum or sums as the Council thereof deems necessary for the purpose of equipping a Fire Department for the whole or any portion of the Municipality or acquiring or purchasing apparatus, machinery and implements for use in extinguishing fires in the Municipality or any part thereof and for acquiring, purchasing or improving land or buildings for any such equipment;

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AND WHEREAS by Section 8 of said the Municipal Affairs Act it is enacted among other things, in effect, that no money shall be so borrowed until such proposed borrowing has been approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs;

AND WHEREAS by said the Municipal Affairs Act the said sum shall in the discretion of the Municipal Council be borrowed or raised in one sum at one time or in instalments at different times and the sum required shall be borrowed or raised by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to such an amount as such Council thereof deems necessary to raise such sum;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed necessary by the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax to borrow the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) for the purpose of equipping a Fire Department for Rockingham in the Municipality or acquiring or purchasing apparatus, machinery and implements for use in extinguishing fires in Rockingham and for acquiring, purchasing or improving land or buildings for any such equipment;

AND WHEREAS the said Council deems that the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to the amount of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) as hereinafter mentioned will be necessary to raise that sum;

AND WHEREAS Bill Number 22 of this year A.D. 1958 presently before the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia contains an amendment which would enable the Council of every Municipality of a County to authorize such Committee as the Council may determine, on behalf of the Municipality to change the rate of interest from that set out in the resolution of the Council which provided for the issue of debentures, to such other rate as the Committee may determine;

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AND WHEREAS it is further provided by this proposed amendment in Bill Number 22 that a resolution of the Committee under this Subsection must be passed before the debentures are sold and shall not be effective unless a true copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the Municipality as having been duly passed unanimously, or certified by members purporting to be all the members of the Committee, has been filed with the Minister and the Minister has approved thereof;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that under and by virtue of said the Municipal Affairs Act the said Municipality does, subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, borrow or raise by way of loan on the credit of the Municipality the said sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) for the purpose aforesaid;

THAT under and in accordance with said the Municipal Affairs Act the said sum be borrowed or raised by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to the said amount of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00);

THAT eight (8) debentures for One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each, be accordingly issued and sold; that the said debentures be numbered consecutively 58-B-1 to 58-B-8 both inclusive, be dated the 1st day of May A.D. 1958 and be payable as follows:-

Debenture No. 58-B-1 in one year from the date thereof;
58-B-2 in two years from the date thereof;
58-B-3 in three years from the date thereof;
58-B-4 in four years from the date thereof;
58-B-5 in five years from the date thereof;
58-B-6 in six years from the date thereof;
58-B-7 in seven years from the date thereof;
58-B-8 in eight years from the date thereof;

THAT the said debentures be payable at any branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in Nova Scotia and at the principal office of the said Bank in Saint John, Charlottetown, Montreal or Toronto at the option of the holder;

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THAT the said debentures bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at any said office at the option of the holder;

THAT if the assent of the Governor in Council is given to Bill 22 of the year A.D. 1958, the Finance Committee of the Municipality is hereby authorized on behalf of the Municipality to change the rate of interest from the rate set out in the issuing resolution;

THAT any resolution of this Committee changing the interest rate must be passed before the debentures are sold and shall not be effective unless a true copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the Municipality as having been duly passed unanimously, or certified by members purporting to be all the members of the Committee, has been filed with the Minister and received his approval;

THAT the Warden of the said Municipality do sign and the Clerk thereof do countersign the said debentures, that they do seal the same with the corporate seal of the said Municipality, and that the said Clerk do sign the interest coupons or if the same are lithographed, either sign the same or have them impressed with a facsimile of his signature;

THAT the Warden and Clerk of the said Municipality do sell and deliver the said debentures at such price to such person and in such manner as they shall deem proper;

THAT the proceeds of the debentures when sold be used for fire purposes as set out hereinbefore, at Rockingham in the Municipality." Carried.

Councillors Evans and Settle moved:-

"WHEREAS by Section 6 of Chapter 186 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1954, The Municipal Affairs Act, it is enacted

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among other things, in effect, that notwithstanding any of the provisions of any general or special Act of the Legislature of Nova Scotia, every incorporated Municipality shall have full power and authority to borrow or raise by way of loan from time to time on the credit of such Municipality, such sum or sums as the Council thereof deems necessary for the purpose of erecting, acquiring, purchasing, altering, adding to, improving, furnishing or equipping buildings for hospitals, and acquiring or purchasing or improving land for such buildings;

AND WHEREAS by Section 8 of said the Municipal Affairs Act it is enacted among other things, in effect, that no money shall be so borrowed until such proposed borrowing has been approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs;

AND WHEREAS by said the Municipal Affairs Act the said sum shall in the discretion of the Municipal Council be borrowed or raised in one sum at one time or in instalments at different times and the sum required shall be borrowed or raised by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to such an amount as such Council thereof deems necessary to raise such sum;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed necessary by the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax to borrow the sum of Thirty Three Thousand Dollars (\$33,000.00) for the purpose of purchasing, altering, adding to, improving, furnishing or equipping buildings for hospital purposes, and improving land for such buildings;

AND WHEREAS the said Council deems that the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to the amount of Thirty Three Thousand Dollars (\$33,000.00) as hereinafter mentioned will be necessary to raise that sum;

AND WHEREAS Bill Number 22 of this year A.D. 1958 entitled "An Act to Amend Chapter 186 of the Revised Statutes 1954, the Municipal Affairs Act" and presently before the Legislative Assembly of the

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Province of Nova Scotia, contains an amendment which would enable the Council of every Municipality of a County to authorize such Committee as the Council may determine, on behalf of the Municipality and subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs to change the rate of interest from that set out in the resolution of the Council which provided for the issue of debentures, to such other rate as the Committee may determine;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that under and by virtue of said the Municipal Affairs Act the said Municipality does, subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, borrow or raise by way of loan on the credit of the Municipality the said sum of Thirty Three Thousand Dollars (\$33,000.00) for the purpose aforesaid;

THAT under and in accordance with said the Municipal Affairs Act the said sum be borrowed or raised by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to the said amount of Thirty Three Thousand Dollars (\$33,000.00);

THAT 33 debentures for One Thousand Dollars each, be accordingly issued and sold; that the said debentures be numbered consecutively 58-D-01 to 58-D-33 both inclusive, be dated the 1st day of May A.D. 1958 and be payable as follows:

Debenture No. 58-D-01 to 58-D-03 inclusive	in one year from the date thereof;
58-D-04 to 58-D-06 inclusive	in two years from the date thereof;
58-D-07 to 58-D-09 inclusive	in three years from the date thereof;
58-D-10 to 58-D-12 inclusive	in four years from the date thereof;
58-D-13 to 58-D-15 inclusive	in five years from the date thereof;
58-D-16 to 58-D-18 inclusive	in six years from the date thereof;
58-D-19 to 58-D-21 inclusive	in seven years from the date thereof;
58-D-22 to 58-D-25 inclusive	in eight years from the date thereof;
58-D-26 to 58-D-29 inclusive	in nine years from the date thereof;
58-D-30 to 58-D-33 inclusive	in ten years from the date thereof;

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THAT the said debentures be payable at any branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in Nova Scotia and at the principal office of the said Bank in Saint John, Charlottetown, Montreal or Toronto at the option of the holder;

THAT the said debentures bear interest at the rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum payable semi-annually at any said office at the option of the holder;

THAT if said amendment contained in said Bill 22 is enacted by the Legislature the Finance Committee of the Municipality is hereby authorized on behalf of the Municipality to change the rate of interest from the rate set out in this resolution;

THAT any resolution of this Committee changing the interest rate must be passed before the debentures are sold and shall not be effective unless a true copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the Municipality as having been duly passed unanimously, or certified by members purporting to be all the members of the Committee, has been filed with the Minister and received his approval;

THAT the Warden of the said Municipality do sign and the Clerk thereof do countersign the said debentures, that they do seal the same with the corporate seal of the said Municipality, and that the said Clerk do sign the interest coupons or if the same are lithographed, either sign the same or have them impressed with a facsimile of his signature;

THAT the Warden and Clerk of the said Municipality do sell and deliver the said debentures at such price to such person and in such manner as they shall deem proper;

THAT the proceeds of the debentures when sold be used for hospital purposes as set out hereinbefore, in the Municipality."
Carried.

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Councillors McGrath and Curren moved:-

"WHEREAS the Council is of the opinion that the hereinafter described lands are required by the Municipality for the purpose of widening and extending Hillcrest Road at Lower Sackville in the County of Halifax;

AND WHEREAS the Council is of the opinion that no agreement can be made for the purchase thereof;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council expropriate the hereinafter described lands and that the compensation for the said lands be \$1.00.

ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being at Lower Sackville, in the County of Halifax and Province of Nova Scotia, being a part of Hillcrest Road and Lot "E" adjacent to it as shown on a plan showing proposed widening of Hillcrest Road, Lower Sackville, Halifax County, prepared by John A. McElmon, P.L.S. and dated February 24th, 1958, and more particularly described as follows:-

BEGINNING at a point on the eastern boundary of Hillcrest Road at the southwestern angle of the Garfield Hartley Subdivision;

THENCE along the prolongation westerly of the southern boundary of said Hartley Subdivision to the centre of the travelled way;

THENCE southerly along the centre of the travelled way one hundred thirty-two (132) feet or to the prolongation westerly of the southern boundary of Lot D;

THENCE easterly along the last mentioned prolongation to the southwestern angle of Lot D;

THENCE northerly in a straight line to the point of beginning.

ALSO all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being at Lower Sackville, in the County of Halifax and Province of Nova Scotia, being a part of Hillcrest Road and a portion of the land of one Stopford adjacent to it as shown on a plan showing proposed widening of Hillcrest Road, Lower Sackville, Halifax County, prepared by John A. McElmon, P.L.S., and dated February 24th, 1958, and more particularly described as follows:-

BEGINNING at the point of intersection of the centre line of the travelled way and the easterly prolongation of the southern boundary of lands of one Walsh;

THENCE westerly along the said prolongation to a point sixty-six (66) feet, measured at right angles, from the eastern boundary of land to be acquired from G. M. Hilchie as shown on said plan;

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THENCE southerly parallel to and sixty-six (66) feet from the said land to be acquired from G. M. Hilchie to the northern boundary of lands of one Shaw;

THENCE easterly along the prolongation of the said southern boundary to the centre of the travelled way;

THENCE northerly along the centre of the travelled way to the point of beginning.

ALSO all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being at Lower Sackville, in the County of Halifax and Province of Nova Scotia, being a part of Hillcrest Road and a portion of the land of one P. Breakspeare adjacent to it as shown on a plan showing proposed widening of Hillcrest Road, Lower Sackville, Halifax County, prepared by John A. McElmon, P.L.S., and dated February 24th, 1958, and more particularly described as follows:-

BEGINNING at the intersection of the centre line of the travelled way and the westerly prolongation of the southern boundary of land owned by the Director, the Veterans Land Act under Agreement of Sale to Lewis Breakspeare;

THENCE easterly along said prolongation to a point thirty-three (33) feet, measured at right angles, from the centre of the travelled way;

THENCE southerly parallel to and thirty-three (33) feet from the centre of the travelled way to the northern boundary of land owned by one Gorman;

THENCE westerly along the westerly prolongation of said northern boundary of Gorman to the centre of the travelled way;

THENCE northerly along the centre of the travelled way to the point of beginning." Carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Committee on Jury Lists.

Councillors Curren and McGrath moved:-

"THAT the report of the Committee on Jury Lists be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillors Curren and McGrath moved:-

"THAT the reports of Canadian-British Engineering Consultants with respect to future water supply for the Bedford area be referred to both Public Services Committee and the County Planning Board for report at the June Session." Motion carried.

Councillors Curren and Spears moved:-

"THAT the Rockingham Preliminary Survey be referred to the Public Services Committee for study." Motion carried.

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Councillors Moser and Balcome moved:-

"THAT Mr. Andrew Thomson, Glen Margaret, be named a member of the Municipal Building Board for the ensuing year." Motion carried.

Councillors King-Myers and McGrath moved:-

"THAT Mr. Ernest Barrett, Sackville, be named a member of the Municipal Building Board for the ensuing year." Motion carried.

Councillors Flawn and Settle moved:-

"THAT Mr. Adelbert Fredericks, Woodside, be named a member of the Municipal Building Board for the ensuing year." Motion carried.

Councillors Spears and Moser moved:-

"THAT Dr. Kevin Smith be appointed Medical Health Officer for Halifax West and Jail Physician at the same salary as last year." Motion carried.

Councillors Daye and Redmond moved:-

"THAT Dr. Duncan MacMillan be appointed Medical Health Officer for Halifax East at the same salary as last year." Motion carried.

Councillors Snair and McNeil moved:-

"THAT Rev. J.D.N. MacDonald (Chairman), Rev. A. C. Snow, Rev. Father Murphy, Mrs. A. C. Pettipas and Mrs. J. T. Cruikshanks, be members of the Visiting Committee at the Halifax County Hospital for the ensuing year." Motion carried.

Councillor Archibald moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 10 a.m. Monday." Motion carried.

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NINTH DAY MORNING

Council met at 10 a.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Councillors Turner and Moser moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Eighth Day Morning and Afternoon be adopted."
Motion carried.

Councillor Settle asked if there were any assurance for Council that the matter of a Federal grant for High School education purposes on the eastern side of the Harbour would be investigated as soon as possible. Warden Leverman said the Finance Committee would be meeting during the noon hour recess to discuss the matter.

Referring to a request made Friday that Council invest in shares of the Nova Scotia Co-operative Abattoir, the Solicitor said he could find no authority for Council to do so. In reply to a question from Councillor Evans he said to make a grant, or to invest in shares, would require special legislation. He said that if Council did not make a grant or invest in shares it would have no effect on the campaign.

Councillors Balcome and Turner moved:-

"THAT the Area School Rates as recommended by the Municipal School Board and placed before Council this date, be approved and levied for the year 1958." Motion carried.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank in the chair.

The Clerk read the special report of the Public Services Committee.

Referring to the two different rates to be levied in the Tufts Cove area for sewage, Councillor Settle said that it was the hope that these would eventually be levelled off as the assessment in the area grows. He said they were not fixed rates.

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Councillor Snair asked Mr. Hattie to explain how water and sewage systems are financed in the County.

Mr. Hattie said that on the western side the water system was financed entirely by the Public Service Commission and that the users paid water rates to the Commission. On the eastern side the County pays for the installation and recovers the cost through water rates. Under a County policy adopted in 1948, the County pays half of the cost of principal and carrying charges of sewers installed on either side of the Harbour.

He said that this did not apply in the case of trunk sewers for which special legislation was obtained.

Councillor Curren asked that where an area adopted the Village Services Act, would the County pay half the cost of sewer installation. Mr. Hattie said that it did not. The County could only guarantee the bonds required. If the area failed to redeem them, then the County would become responsible.

Councillor Curren observed that there was apparently little advantage to adoption of the Village Services Act by a community.

Councillors Flawn and Daye moved:-

"THAT the special report of the Public Services Committee be adopted, with the exception of the rate for Fire Fighting District in District No. 27." Motion carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Welfare Committee regarding rates.

Warden Leverman in the chair.

Councillors Settle and Redmond moved:-

"THAT the report of the Welfare Committee re rates be adopted." Motion carried.

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Council agreed to discuss a proposal from Industrial Estates Limited.

Warden Leverman said the Company had approached the Revenue Committee with regard to entering into an agreement in principle re taxation of certain lands if the Company decided to purchase properties in the Halifax Metropolitan Area. The matter had been discussed informally in Revenue Committee. It had not been intended to do anything until legislation had been approved in the Legislature, setting out what municipalities can do in this regard.

The Company was meeting this morning prior to departure of officials for Europe in an attempt to interest industry in locating in the Province. The matter of the purchase of farm lands of Nova Scotia Hospital was under discussion, and the Company wanted to know if the County would agree in principle to setting the amount of taxes based on the cost of buildings, in accordance with special terms. The Company officials wanted to list the property for their European trip.

The Solicitor described the lands in which the Company was interested and would purchase if the County entered into an agreement in principle. The Company proposed that no taxes be levied on the property until an industrial tenant was obtained, and then only on the portion occupied. There would be no taxation on improvements such as water, sewage, fire protection, parks and landscaping, and roads provided by the Company. The taxation when it came into effect would be on the basis of one percent per annum based on the cost of the buildings on which rental would be calculated.

Warden Leverman explained the purpose of Industrial Estates Limited was to bring industries to the Province. He pointed out that the lands of the Nova Scotia Hospital were now tax exempt. If industry established there it would bring taxes into the County.

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Councillor Settle thought any taxes collected, plus the location of industries in the area, would be a big help to the County. It was what the Industrial Committee was trying to do.

Councillor Flawn observed that it would appear that any additional services required would have to be borne by ratepayers of District No. 28. He listed what he considered some of these services would be. In reply to a question from Councillor Burris, the Solicitor said that the cost used for determining rentals would be the actual cost to the Company of the buildings. The Company was not set up as a profit making organization.

Councillor Settle asked about taxation on equipment or other inventory of industries who located there. The Solicitor said he understood this to be included in the one percent taxation.

Councillor Redmond pointed out that industries presently located in the District were paying District Rates and wondered what the effect would be if Council set a precedent in the matter of industries obtained by Industrial Estates.

Councillor Flawn said he realized that the agreement in principle must be necessarily vague, but if District No. 28 has to bear some extra costs as a result of industries being located there, he would like some undertaking from Council that the District would receive favourable consideration of a rebate to the District from the taxes collected under the agreement to cover any actual costs to the District as a result of the industries being located there. The District certainly was not in favour of subsidizing any European firms. Councillor Davis said he thought it fair not to put any extra charges on the District.

Councillor Davis said that the property was now tax exempt. The County could expect some revenue from any industry. He would favour some compensation for the District for any extra burden

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imposed upon it by location of any industry to which tax concessions have been granted.

Councillor McGrath said the County must be careful in any agreement to take into account taxation of any canteens, restaurants or other services located on the property.

Councillor Burris asked when the final agreement would be ready. The draft was not very explicit. Warden Leverman pointed out that by adopting the agreement in principle Councillors were not bound to support the final agreement if it did not meet with their full approval.

Councillor Settle observed that there might be other advantages to the District as a result of industry locating there, which might offset some of the extra costs that might result. He mentioned the use of parks and the possibility of schools being established. He thought Council would deal fairly with District No. 28 if there were any increased costs as a result of industry coming in.

Councillors Turner and Settle moved:-

"THAT this Council approve in principle the matter of this Municipality entering into an agreement with Industrial Estates Limited setting taxes on a basis of one percent per annum of the cost of the buildings erected on the land of Industrial Estates Limited; the cost referred to being the costs as those on which rental are calculated." Motion carried.

Councillors Flawn and Redmond moved:-

"THAT this Council agree in principle that if, as and when the one percent tax is collected from Industrial Estates Limited, that Municipal District No. 28 be reimbursed for any district rates that the District can prove have accrued as a result of Industrial Estates Limited being located in District No. 28." Motion carried.

Councillor Turner moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 2 p.m."
Motion carried.

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Councillors King-Myers and Flawn moved:-

"THAT a rate of twenty-five cents (\$0.25) be levied on the ratepayers of Middle Sackville, Lower Sackville, Beaver Bank and Upper Sackville for Fire Fighting purposes." Motion carried.

The Clerk read the report of the Regional Library Committee.

Councillors Burris and King-Myers moved a motion that the report be received.

Councillor Turner asked clarification of the report as to how the cost of the bookmobiles was to be met.

Mr. Hattie said that the proposed budget to establish a Regional Library was for a full year. However, since it would take some time to establish such a library, the money not used while putting the library into operation would pay for the cost of the bookmobiles. He said this had been the experience of other Counties where regional libraries had been installed.

Warden Leverman asked if the Province paid its grant for a full year if the service were not started until later in the year. Mr. Hattie said it had been the understanding it would.

Councillor Daye said he would not like to tell the taxpayers of his District that the County was going to tax them for a bookmobile. He said there was something wrong when Council was asked to provide funds for bookmobiles when the County needed everything but bookmobiles. He referred to the County turning down an increase in salaries for teachers.

Councillor Myers said he had a request from the Hampton Gray Home and School of his District to oppose a regional library.

Councillor Settle said that as he understood the report, County taxpayers, as Provincial taxpayers, were being asked to pay for regional libraries in other parts of the Province when they have none in their own County. Councillor Myers said his ratepayers pay for a shopmobile but they never see it in his District.

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Councillor Redmond said there were other educational facilities as desirable as regional libraries but that the County was not in a position to provide all the services needed in the County.

Councillor Redmond said that all the children in the County were not getting the basic education facilities they require.

Councillor Curren said he had a number of letters endorsing the library. Ratepayers felt it was necessary to the education of their children.

Councillor Davis pointed out that the County was feeling the full impact of educational costs this year and he felt that the matter should be deferred for a year, although he generally was in favour of a regional library. Councillor King-Myers deplored the loss of a \$10,000.00 grant because Council had not established the library earlier.

Councillor McGrath contended that the cost of the operation of a library would not be the straw that breaks the camel's back. He said that only \$31,000.00 was required to put the service into operation. In reply to a question by Councillor Snair, he said that the amount included the cost of the three bookmobiles. Councillor Snair thought there was discrimination in the report, which said the bookmobile would visit urban areas twice a month and rural areas only once a month.

Councillor McGrath pointed out that because of the density of population, it would take twice as long to service the people in the urban area.

Councillors Burriss and King-Myers moved:-

"THAT the report of the Regional Library Committee be received and filed." Motion carried.

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Councillor Burriss and McGrath moved:-

"THAT Council approve an amount of \$31,000.00 as its share for the establishment of a regional library service; such service to be established August 1, 1958."

Councillors Davis and Daye moved an amendment to defer the matter for one year.

Councillor Burriss said this was one service the County could ill afford to be without. It would only cost about five cents (\$0.05) on the rate. Where there was a regional library service additional reference books could be loaned to schools which otherwise would have to buy them. There was a tremendous amount of support for such a service.

Councillor Davis said he did not deny the service was needed, but he doubted the ability of the ratepayers to provide it in view of increased taxes and other heavy burdens on the taxpayers. Councillor Redmond said he was in support of a library but doubted the County's ability to provide for it in view of other things that were necessary. He did not think there was any more pressure on Council than for a High School in the Dartmouth Suburban Area. It was up to Council to decide which was most necessary but he wondered if it were putting the library as of main importance and other educational facilities secondary.

Councillor King-Myers said District No. 27 did not have a High School, although it was needed, but she had never heard the taxpayers complain if they were receiving service for the taxes paid, and the only service they received for their taxes was for educational facilities. Deputy Warden Cruikshank felt the present was an inopportune time to establish a library since it had been decided earlier that all frills must be cut out of the schools. He felt

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the matter should be delayed until the County was over the peak of demands for educational facilities.

Councillor Myers said it looked like another "cushy" job for someone. He said bookmobiles were not needed for educating the children. The schools were being built for that. He was concerned about the taxpayers who had difficulty meeting their taxes each year.

Councillor Redmond claimed that the \$30,000.00 annually required for operation of a bookmobile would finance the cost of a High School on the eastern side of the Harbour. Councillor Archibald suggested that if a vote on the matter were delayed, it would give time to circulate petitions to find out whether the majority of the ratepayers did want the library service.

The Warden asked if Council were ready to vote on the amendment by Councillors Davis and Daye - "To defer recommendation for one year for reconsideration at that time."

Councillors King-Myers and Redmond moved for a recorded vote.

Warden Leverman put the amendment. The vote:-

- FOR - Councillors Moser, Longard, Myers, Sellars, Evans, Redmond, Davis, Daye, Turner, Archibald, Deputy Warden Cruikshank and Councillor Flawn.
- AGAINST - Councillors Snair, Curren, McGrath, McNeil, Balcome, Matthews, Settle, Burris, Isenor and King-Myers.

Warden Leverman declared the amendment carried. Since the amendment was for deferment, the motion was not put to vote.

The Deputy Clerk read the report of the Resources Committee.

Councillor Evans and Deputy Warden Cruikshank moved:-

"THAT the report of the Resources Committee be adopted as read." Motion carried.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank in the chair.

Councillor Evans asked if Council could get special legislation to permit the County to invest in the proposed Abattoir. Councillor Redmond suggested that the County would be treading on dangerous

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grounds in investing in a private enterprise. He doubted that such an investment, as proposed, would be sound in any case. He doubted the value of an Abattoir to the County. He thought it would be too large to be a profitable operation. There would also be difficulty of staff since much of the work would be seasonal. Councillor Evans thought the Abattoir would be of value to the average farmer. Councillor Snair thought ratepayers had been canvassed for all they could afford.

Councillor Myers said an Abattoir would not help the fishermen in his District. Councillor Archibald thought an Abattoir would be a profitable operation in view of the studies that had been made.

Councillors Evans and Archibald moved:-

"THAT the Municipality of the County of Halifax ask for special legislation to enable the Municipality to make an investment of \$1,000.00 to assist the Abattoir Company in construction of an Abattoir." Motion lost.

Councillors Burris and Archibald moved:-

"THAT George S. Dickey and Havelock Erskine be appointed as members of the Halifax-Musquodoboit Area Veterinary Assistance Board." Motion carried.

Councillors Settle and Daye moved:-

"THAT Nelson Gaetz and Donald Turner be appointed as members of the Halifax South-East Veterinary Assistance Board." Motion carried.

Councillor King-Myers brought up the matter of signs that had been approved for erection at the entrance to the County. The sign on Highway No. 2 was about three miles inside the County line and that the location of the sign was misleading because of the wording. Mr. Hattie said that it had not been the intention to put them exactly at the County line. Councillor King-Myers claimed that the wording was misleading in that case.

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Councillor Snair said in his case he was concerned with the sign in his District being erected on a curve. The St. Margaret's Bay Road had enough curves to worry about without adding to the dangers by erecting a sign on a curve. He said he understood the signs would only be about ten feet by five feet and not twenty-six feet by ten feet. He said he was not familiar with the pros and cons of the situation but would like assurance the signs could be moved if better locations could be found.

Mr. Reardon admitted he had been responsible for picking the sites and that the roads had been travelled several times before the sites were chosen. He did not understand that the signs were to be on the County line. In his opinion they were in the best possible location.

Council agreed to refer the matter back to the Industrial Committee to work out a solution with the County Planning Engineer and a Department of Highway's Engineer, and the Councillor of the District concerned.

Warden Leverman in the chair.

The Deputy Clerk read the report of the Committee on Highways.

Councillors Settle and Balcome moved:-

"THAT the report of the Committee on Highways be adopted." Motion carried.

The Solicitor read the form of new petitions and agreement recommended in the report. Council agreed to their use.

Councillors Evans and Myers moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow."

On a standing vote, there was a tie vote. Warden Leverman declared the vote in favour of the negative and the motion lost.

Considerable discussion ensued as to whether Council would recess for supper and the Finance Committee meet. It appeared that there would not be a quorum for a meeting of the Committee,

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although members indicated there would be a quorum for Council.
Warden Leverman said he would accept another motion to adjourn.

Councillors McNeil and King-Myers moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 10 a.m. tomorrow."
Motion carried.

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TENTH DAY MORNING

Council met at 10 a.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

The Clerk read the minutes of the Ninth Day Morning and Afternoon.

Councillors Turner and Archibald moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Ninth Day Morning and Afternoon be adopted as amended. Motion carried.

The Clerk read the Special Report of the Finance Committee.

Councillors Snair and Archibald moved:-

"THAT the Special Report of the Finance Committee re Area Rates for support of Hospitals at Musquodoboit Harbour and Middle Musquodoboit be adopted."

Councillor Redmond related events leading up to the circulation of the petition for a rate for support of the Hospital at Musquodoboit Harbour. He said he had attended a meeting of the Hospital Board. It had been agreed at the meeting that a petition would be circulated and presented only if 66 2/3% of all rate-payers favoured the rate. Councillor Redmond said he had been informed at the meeting that this Hospital was no longer operated by the Red Cross but was now under a Board of Management of fifteen (15) members. It had been known for a number of years that this Hospital was in financial difficulties. If the Board of Management had, had any confidence in the Red Cross why did it not do something about the situation before the Red Cross got into financial difficulties. He quoted from a letter sent to canvassers who had circulated the petition. He claimed it was most misleading in the description of the Districts for which Hospital services were provided and it led people to believe that people of this great area would support the Hospital.

Councillor Redmond referred to the part which said that the Hospital could get a grant of \$4,000.00 a bed from the Federal

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and Provincial Governments. He said that only the other day Council had been told they could only get \$1,500.00 a bed for additions to the Halifax County Hospital. The letter also said that X-ray equipment could be had free of charge. This was not at all in accord with the facts, he said.

He said that even with all the pressure that had been brought to bear only 49.83 percent of the resident ratepayers of the Districts had signed the petition. Ratepayers with an assessment of only \$100.00 had signed the petition, but no consideration had been given to non-resident ratepayers - many of whom were residents of Halifax and Dartmouth and only had summer homes in the area - and who paid taxes on as much as \$3,000.00 and \$4,000.00 assessments.

Councillor Redmond said if this organization were sincere why did it not have some thought of the Red Cross when it was in dire straits. He said he had great confidence in the Red Cross and he believed that the Red Cross was better qualified to operate the Hospital. In view of all this he did not think consideration had been given to the people of the District or the Red Cross. He moved an amendment for deletion of the first paragraph of the report which dealt with a special rate of twenty-two cents (\$0.22) per \$100.00 of assessment for the support of the Hospital.

Councillor Davis said it was his opinion that the intent of the Red Cross was only to start an outpost Hospital and develop it only to where it could eventually be turned over to Local Board of Management. His area had been invited several times to take over operation of the Hospital. This was the transitional year and it had been estimated that there would be a \$5,000.00 operating deficit.

When it had been decided to circulate the petition, canvassers had been told to get at least 66 2/3 percent of the ratepayers to sign in order to give everyone a chance to express an opinion. On

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the basis of the signatures obtained, 90 to 95 percent of the people had been given the opportunity to support their views. Only from 5 to 10 percent of the ratepayers were not available to express their views - these would be people away, sick or for some other reason could not be contacted.

He said that as far as support from other sources was concerned they could only guess. It was reasonable to expect assistance when the Federal-Provincial health plan came into existence. The Board was asking for this money through a special rate only for this year. There was nothing misleading about it. He referred to the Hospital at Sheet Harbour which had been taken over from the Red Cross and which he said was now a highly successful financial operation.

Councillor Davis said that 2,700 patients had been given attention at the Twin Oaks Hospital and he wondered what might have happened to many of these people if the Hospital facilities had not been available there.

He suggested that this was a very necessary service. The Board was not trying to impose a hardship on the ratepayers, but if there were no Hospital facilities when the National Health Plan came into existence it would be placing a hardship on the people.

Councillor Moser seconded the amendment of Councillor Redmond. When the petition had been circulated the petition should have pointed out that the ratepayers would have to pay a rate of twenty-two cents (\$0.22). Too many things were done in a way that left the people confused as to what they were supporting. He did not think the Government would take over the Hospital if the Health Scheme came into existence.

Councillor Daye, who said he represented the biggest District involved, told of attending three meetings of the Board. At the last meeting there had been representatives from all three Districts

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present. At that time it had been decided that the burden of raising money would not be put on the taxpayers, but that the Board would try to raise the money by donations. He had 400 non-resident ratepayers in the District. He did not feel like imposing a tax on them without giving them a chance to have a say in the matter. He had heard by the grape vine a few days after the meeting that the Board had decided to ask for a tax for support of the Hospital, and that the decision of the meeting had been over-ruled. Later he had found out that only four to five Board members were involved in trying to go over the heads of those who had made the decision at the meeting. The people in his District did not like the way this thing was done.

Councillor Redmond said that Councillor Davis had stated that the Board did not know what help would be available. He was a member of the Board of Management. He asked why the Councillor had agreed then to the letter to the canvassers in which they had been told, in presenting the petition, that help was evidently available from other sources. He suggested it was the greatest attempt to mislead that he had ever seen.

He said that due to lack of proper records this Hospital could not collect money for outstanding bills of patients who did not pay for treatment. The Hospital had not kept itemized accounts of services rendered to the patients. He suggested that there had been many maternity cases in his District who had gone to the Hospital there instead of other Hospitals, only because they felt it would not cost as much.

Councillor Davis referred to the statement that there had been no inefficiency on the part of the Board of Management. He said he had not wanted to bring any inference in, but since the statement had been made, he said that the information on the lack of itemized

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information on accounts was because the Red Cross did not keep properly itemized accounts which were required if the County were asked to pay the bills of those who had not been able to pay.

He said the Hospital is a \$75,000.00 structure, fully paid for and with no debts outstanding. He said eventually it was hoped to enlarge the facilities because it was needed. Expansion costs would not come out of this tax but from capital borrowing on the structure. To take the Hospital away would be doing the wrong thing to the people of the community.

Warden Leverman asked for clarification of the areas included in the letter as part of the Districts concerned. Mr. Hattie read the list of places contained in the letter and Councillor Redmond said that five of the places mentioned were not in the Districts concerned. In reply to another question, it was admitted that people from the five Districts not included, did get Hospital service from the Musquodoboit Harbour Hospital.

Councillor Redmond referred to the inference that failure to keep proper records was the fault of the Red Cross. He asked why the Board of Management had not directed the Red Cross in this matter. He asked if the present Board of Management had been in office then. Councillor Davis said it had not.

In reply to Warden Leverman, Mr. Hattie said that the approved signatures on the petition were those of the people in the Districts concerned.

Councillor Settle asked what the consequences would be - "would the Hospital close?" - if the rate were not adopted.

Warden Leverman said that apparently the deficit of \$5,000.00 had been anticipated and that it had been decided to ask the rate-payers to assume the rate of twenty-two cents (\$0.22).

Councillors Redmond and Moser moved for a recorded vote.

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Councillor Flawn asked to be excused from voting as he would not know how to vote when the elected Councillors of the Districts were arguing the pros and cons of the matter. Warden Leverman agreed that there was confusion but pointed out that if Councillor Flawn were excused he would undoubtedly have many more requests from Councillors asking to be excused.

Councillor King-Myers said she was confused. She asked for a breakdown of the percentage of figures by Districts as affixed to the petition.

Councillor Daye said he was not so much against the Hospital as he was against the manner in which it had been decided to circulate the petition.

Mr. Hattie gave the breakdown as:-

District	Resident Ratepayers	Good Signatures	Percentage
17	592	295	49.82
18	299	216	72
19	486	252	52

Warden Leverman put the amendment to vote. The vote was:-

- FOR - Councillors Curren, Moser, Balcome, McNeil, Myers, Sellars, Redmond and King-Myers.
- AGAINST - Councillors Snair, Settle, Matthews, Evans, Davis, Daye, Turner, Burris, Archibald, Deputy Warden Cruikshank, Councillors Isenor and Flawn.

Warden Leverman declared the amendment lost and the motion carried.

The Clerk read an affidavit from a Mr. Richardson, asking for relief of taxes. It was referred to the Revenue Committee.

The Clerk read the report of the Public Services Committee.

Councillors Myers and Curren moved:-

"THAT the report of the Public Services Committee be adopted." Motion carried.

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The Clerk read a letter from Engineering Services re Sewers.
Council agreed to refer the report to the Public Services Committee.

The Solicitor read the report of the Law Amendments Committee.

Councillors Redmond and Curren moved:-

"THAT the report of the Law Amendments Committee
be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillor Myers moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn until 2 p.m. today."
Motion carried.

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Council met at 2 p.m.

Roll called. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Councillor Snair referred to a news story appearing in the Mail-Star of today, and said he took exception to a statement in the story which reported Councillors as voting for or against a motion, which was contrary to what had occurred in Council. The story gave a wrong impression of the stand of Councillors on the matter of a regional library. He moved that a correction be made.

Councillor Flawn said if it were a paid advertisement he would second the motion. Councillor Snair said it was not the intention to have a paid advertisement but a demand that the correct information be printed.

Warden Leverman said that the press cannot be directed.

Councillor Snair said they could demand a correction. He said Councillors had been made monkeys of too often the way things get out to the public.

Warden Leverman put the motion by Councillors Snair and Curren:-

"THAT the Halifax Mail-Star correct the statement that appeared in the press of today's date quoting Councillors as voting for or against a motion of Councillor Burris to include an amount of \$31,752.00 in the budget to establish a regional library as this motion was never put; but instead an amendment to defer the matter until next year." Motion carried.

Council considered the financial statement of the County.

Mr. Hattie said there had been criticism for not giving sufficient information in these statements but that the statements were a standard form used throughout the Province of Nova Scotia and largely designed as a result of Provincial Departments of Municipal Affairs meeting with the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in an effort to have Municipal Financial Statements similar to set up right across Canada. Such standardization means that Municipal Statistics can be compared on the same basis right across the Country. The Organization which had been critical, he stated,

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had never approached him for information. The County's books of account were public documents and were open to examination by anyone interested. In fact we are glad to give any person information at any time.

Mr. Hattie explained the Financial Statements.

Councillors Flawn and Redmond moved:-

"THAT the Financial Statements of the Municipality of the County of Halifax for the year 1957, including the Revenue Fund Balance Sheet, the Revenue and Expenditure Statement, the Capital Fund Balance Sheet, the Continuity of Investments in Capital Assets and the Continuity of Surplus, be approved." Motion carried.

Council considered the report of the Finance Committee re Sinking Funds.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank and Councillor Turner moved:-

"THAT the report of the Finance Committee on Sinking Funds be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillors Flawn and Settle moved:-

"THAT the Detail of the Halifax County Hospital Investments and Municipal Investments be received and filed." Motion carried.

Council considered the Financial Statements of Halifax County Hospital.

Councillors Moser and Snair moved:-

"THAT the Financial Statements of the Halifax County Hospital, including Balance Sheet, Revenue and Expenditure Statements and various exhibits, be approved." Motion carried.

Council considered the report of the County Water Utility.

Councillors Curren and Daye moved:-

"THAT the Financial Report of the Water Utility be approved." Motion carried.

Councillors Flawn and McGrath moved:-

"THAT the Statement of Poor and District Balances be approved." Motion carried.

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Council considered the lists of District Officers.

Councillors Balcome and Curren moved:-

"THAT the District Officers, as recommended by the Councillors of the Districts concerned to this Council, be appointed for the ensuing year." Motion carried.

The Clerk read the Auditors' Report.

Councillors Flawn and Burris moved:-

"THAT the report of the Auditors for the year 1957 be received and filed." Motion carried.

Councillors Matthews and Settle moved:-

"THAT Walter Stech, C.A., and Frank E. Smith, C.A., be re-appointed Auditors for the coming year." Motion carried.

Councillors Redmond and Turner moved:-

WHEREAS by Section 218 of Chapter 7 of Nova Scotia Laws, 1955, the Municipal Act, it is provided, among other things, that all debentures, bonds, promissory notes and other indebtedness of trustees of a school section incurred for the purpose of erecting, acquiring, purchasing, altering, adding to, improving, furnishing or equipping buildings for public schools or for the acquiring, purchasing or improving of lands for such buildings shall be an obligation of the Municipality in which such school section is situated;

AND WHEREAS the Municipality of the County of Halifax assumed the outstanding obligations as to the 1st day of January, A.D. 1956, on amounts borrowed by various school sections in the Municipality from the School Loan Fund at an interest rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum;

AND WHEREAS the Municipality has made payments to reduce the amounts outstanding on these borrowings, and as at the 31st day of December, A.D. 1957 balances remained outstanding on borrowings at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum by various school sections in the Municipality as set out in the attached schedule;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed advisable that the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax consolidate the amounts outstanding on these borrowings by these named school sections from the School Loan Fund;

AND WHEREAS it is agreed by all concerned, that this can best be accomplished by the execution of a promissory note in the form of an agreement with Her Majesty the Queen to repay the total amount outstanding on these borrowings in equal annual instalments for a period of years;

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BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Warden and Clerk of the Municipality do execute a promissory note in the form of an agreement with Her Majesty the Queen, represented in this behalf by the Provincial Treasurer, to repay the amount of Two Hundred and Sixteen Thousand Thirty-six Dollars and Nineteen Cents (\$216,036.19), which is the total amount due by the Municipality to the Fund on behalf of the borrowings made from the said Fund by the school sections as set out in the attached schedule with interest thereon at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum;

THAT the promissory note have affixed thereto twenty-one instalment coupons for Sixteen Thousand Two Hundred and Seventeen Dollars and eight Cents (\$16,217.08) each;

THAT the Warden and Clerk do sign the instalment coupons on behalf of the Municipality;

THAT the amount of Two Hundred and Sixteen Thousand Thirty-six Dollars and Nineteen Cents (\$216,036.19) with interest as aforesaid, be repaid to the Fund in twenty-one equal instalments of Sixteen Thousand Two Hundred and Seventeen Dollars and Eight Cents (\$16,217.08) each, upon presentation and surrender of the instalment coupons affixed to the said promissory note, at the office of the Municipal Clerk;

THAT the first of such instalment coupons be due and payable on the first day of October, A.D. 1958 and one instalment coupon become due and payable on the first day of October in each subsequent year for twenty years; or until the full amount borrowed is repaid." Motion carried.

SCHEDULE OF LOANS REFERRED TO IN ABOVE AGREEMENT

Loan No.	School Section	Original Date of Loan	Date of Maturity	Original Amount of Loan	Int. Rate	Balance Dec. 31, 1957	Date Last Payment Made
297	Ostrea Lake	Sep. 5/51	Aug.31/71	5,000.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	4,164.98	Aug.30/57
307	Lake Loon	Jan.11/52	Nov.19/72	25,000.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	23,875.49	Oct.31/57
329	Terence Bay	Apr. 1/53	Apr. 1/78	42,362.19		43,999.93	Apr. 1/57
				43.50			
				6,979.67			
334	E.Ship Hbr.	Aug.27/53	Aug.21/73	13,600.00			
		Feb.19/54		2,400.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	13,430.64	Aug.30/57
335	East Dover	Sep. 8/53	Sep. 1/64	3,500.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	2,284.06	Sep. 5/57
347	Tangier	Nov. 9/53	Nov. 1/73	46,750.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %		
		Aug. 4/54	Nov. 1/74	8,250.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	47,158.88	Oct.31/57
368	DeBay Cove	Aug.31/54	Sep. 7/64	1,000.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	774.41	Sep. 5/57
381	E. Ship Hbr.	Feb. 2/55	Feb. 1/75	1,000.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	936.65	Feb. 7/57
388	Partridge River	July28/55	Sep. 1/75	21,250.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %		
		Apr. 1/56	Apr. 1/76	3,750.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	23,373.52	Sep. 5/57
390	Partridge River	Nov.21/55	Nov.15/75	17,000.00			
		Apr.11/56	Apr.19/76	3,000.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	18,588.02	Oct.31/57
391	New Road	Nov.28/55	Dec. 1/75	9,000.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	8,383.70	Oct.31/57
395	New Road	Apr.11/56	Apr.11/76	30,000.00	$4\frac{1}{2}$ %	29,065.91	Apr.17/57
						<u>\$216,036.19</u>	

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Councillors Burris and Settle moved:-

"WHEREAS by Section 218 of Chapter 7 of Nova Scotia Laws 1955, the Municipal Act, it is provided, among other things, that all debentures, bonds, promissory notes and other indebtedness of trustees of a school section incurred for the purpose of erecting, acquiring, purchasing, altering, adding to, improving, furnishing or equipping buildings for public schools or for the acquiring, purchasing or improving of lands for such buildings shall be an obligation of the Municipality in which such school section is situated;

AND WHEREAS the Municipality of the County of Halifax assumed the outstanding obligations as at the 1st day of January A.D. 1956 on amounts borrowed by various school sections in the Municipality from the School Loan Fund at an interest rate of $3\frac{1}{2}$ per centum per annum;

AND WHEREAS the Municipality has made payments to reduce the amounts outstanding on these borrowings, and as at the 31st day of December A.D. 1957 balances remained outstanding on borrowings at $3\frac{1}{2}$ % by various school sections in the Municipality as set out in the attached schedule;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed advisable that the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax consolidate the amounts outstanding on these borrowings by these named school sections from the School Loan Fund;

AND WHEREAS it is agreed by all concerned, that this can best be accomplished by the execution of a promissory note in the form of an agreement with Her Majesty the Queen to repay the total amount outstanding on these borrowings in equal annual instalments for a period of years;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Warden and Clerk of the Municipality do execute a promissory note in the form of an agreement with Her Majesty the Queen, represented in this behalf by the Provincial Treasurer, to repay the amount of One Hundred Ninety-four Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-seven Dollars and Seventy-four Cents (\$194,357.74), which is the total amount due by the Municipality to the Fund on behalf of the borrowings made from the said Fund by the school sections as set out in the attached schedule with interest thereon at $3\frac{1}{2}$ % per annum;

THAT the promissory note have affixed thereto fourteen instalment coupons for Eighteen Thousand Forty-six Dollars and Twenty-three Cents (\$18,046.23) each;

THAT the Warden and Clerk do sign the instalment coupons on behalf of the Municipality;

THAT the amount of One Hundred Ninety-four Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-seven Dollars and Seventy-four Cents (\$194,357.74) with interest as aforesaid, be repaid to the Fund in fourteen equal instalments of Eighteen Thousand Forty-six Dollars and Twenty-three Cents (\$18,046.23) each, upon presentation and surrender of the instalment coupons affixed to the said promissory note, at the office of the Municipal Clerk;

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THAT the first of such instalment coupons be due and payable on the first day of October A.D. 1958 and one instalment coupon become due and payable on the first day of October in each subsequent year for thirteen years; or until the full amount borrowed is repaid.

SCHEDULE OF LOANS REFERRED TO IN ABOVE AGREEMENT

Loan No.	School Section	Original Date of Loan	Date of Maturity	Original Amount of Loan	Int. Rate	Balance Dec. 31, 1957	Date last Payment Made
13	Tangier	Feb. 4/43	Nov. 30/58	\$ 2,800.00	3½%	158.79	Oct. 31/57
28	West Quoddy	Feb. 20/43	Oct. 15/58	3,000.00	3½%	1,057.41	Oct. 16/57
34	St. Andrew's	Jan. 4/44	Jan. 1/64	5,000.00	3½%	2,171.44	Feb. 7/57
36	Quoddy	Apr. 13/44	Apr. 4/59	600.00	3½%	44.05	Apr. 1/57
48	Upper Hammonds Plains	Sep. 20/44	Sep. 25/64	3,000.00	3½%	1,621.07	Sep. 20/57
49	Goodwood	Sep. 20/44	Sep. 20/64	10,000.00	3½%	5,598.29	Sep. 20/57
50	Brookside	Sep. 21/44	Sep. 25/59	3,500.00	3½%	665.80	Sep. 20/57
56	Head Hbr.	Oct. 25/44	Oct. 27/59	3,000.00	3½%	505.97	Oct. 16/57
63	Brookside	Jan. 5/45	Jan. 10/60	1,500.00	3½%	379.42	Feb. 7/57
71	Partridge River	June 4/45	Sep. 1/65	7,000.00	3½%	3,480.04	Sep. 5/57
100	Head Jeddore	Apr. 23/46	Sep. 5/66	5,000.00	3½%	2,748.42	Sep. 5/57
103	West Dover	June 12/46	June 7/61	4,500.00	3½%	1,444.13	June 4/57
104	Cole Hbr.	June 12/46	June 7/66	12,000.00	3½%	10,185.42	June 4/57
113	Oakfield	Aug. 22/46	Aug. 5/61	9,000.00	3½%	1,571.20	Aug. 6/57
117	Bayside	Sep. 18/46	Sep. 10/66	4,500.00	3½%	2,939.98	Sep. 5/57
134	N. Ship Harbour	July 22/47	July 22/67	7,500.00	3½%	5,512.79	July 23/57
147	New Road	Oct. 27/47	Sep. 10/67	10,000.00	3½%	9,466.21	Sep. 5/57
181	New Road	Oct. 28/48	July 24/68	12,000.00	3½%	12,000.00	
191	Beechville	Jan. 12/49	Dec. 16/69	10,000.00	3½%	8,009.31	Oct. 31/57
192	W. Chezzet-cook	Jan. 21/49	Oct. 20/69	13,000.00	3½%	8,125.23	Oct. 16/57
194	Little Hbr.	Sep. 10/49	Dec. 14/59	1,300.00	3½%	930.13	Oct. 31/57
196	Sambro	Jan. 7/49	June 1/69	12,000.00	3½%	8,164.00	June 4/57
209	Herring Cove	Aug. 30/49	July 28/59	6,000.00	3½%	1,355.20	July 23/57
227	Port Wallis-Westphal	Oct. 19/49	Sep. 27/59	5,000.00	3½%	1,126.66	Sep. 20/57
236	Mushaboom	Jan. 9/50	July 7/70	16,000.00	3½%	8,617.11	July 5/57
248	West Chezzet-cook	May 10/50	May 6/70	1,500.00	3½%	1,078.09	May 8/57
250	West Jeddore	July 7/50	July 6/60	3,000.00	3½%	1,008.48	July 5/57
259	East Jeddore	Aug. 30/50	Aug. 15/65	4,500.00	3½%	2,686.18	Aug. 16/57
264	Eastern Passage	Sep. 16/50	July 5/70	20,000.00	3½%	14,356.96	July 5/57
268	Spryfield	Oct. 3/50	Sep. 21/70	4,700.00	3½%	3,401.63	Sep. 20/57
270	East Jeddore	Oct. 5/50	Sep. 21/70	1,150.00	3½%	832.20	Sep. 20/57
293	Spryfield	June 20/51	June 1/71	95,300.00	3½%	73,116.13	June 4/57
						<u>\$194,357.74</u>	

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Councillors McGrath and Settle moved:-

"THAT the Warden and Clerk be and are hereby authorized to sign two agreements to repay loans from the School Loan Fund of the Province of Nova Scotia, agreeing to pay \$18,046.23 and \$16,217.08 annually until such loans are fully paid." Motion carried.

Councillors Curren and Balcome moved:-

"THAT Council renew a Temporary Borrowing of \$481,600.00 for school purposes; this being the balance of a Temporary Borrowing of \$1,481,000.00 passed a year ago and on which \$1,000,000.00 has been funded." Motion carried.

Councillors Matthews and Settle moved:-

"WHEREAS the Municipality of the County of Halifax is authorized by law to borrow or raise by way of loan by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality a sum not exceeding Two Hundred and Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$280,000.00) for the purpose of constructing, acquiring, altering, extending or improving waterworks or water system at or near Tufts Cove, and acquiring or purchasing materials, machinery, implements and plant deemed requisite or advisable therefor;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 8th day of March A.D. 1957 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 14th day of March A.D. 1957, was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs the authorized period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended for a further period not exceeding twelve months."

Councillors Matthews and Settle moved:-

"WHEREAS the Municipality of the County of Halifax is authorized by law to borrow or raise by way of loan by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality a sum not exceeding Four Hundred and Five Thousand Dollars (\$405,000.00) for the purpose of constructing, acquiring, altering, extending or improving public sewers or drains at or near Tufts Cove and acquiring or purchasing materials, machinery, implements or plant deemed requisite or advisable therefor;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 8th day of March A.D. 1957 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 14th day of March A.D. 1957, was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

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AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs the authorized period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended for a further period not exceeding twelve months."

Councillors Balcome and Flawn moved:-

"WHEREAS the Municipality of the County of Halifax is authorized by law to borrow or raise by way of loan by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality a sum not exceeding Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) for the purpose of erecting, acquiring, purchasing, altering, adding to, improving, furnishing or equipping a building for offices for municipal and other officials, and acquiring or purchasing or improving land for such building;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 8th day of March A.D. 1957 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 14th day of March A.D. 1957, was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs the authorized period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended for a further period not exceeding twelve months."

Councillors Curren and Settle moved:-

"WHEREAS the Municipality of the County of Halifax is authorized by law to borrow or raise by way of loan by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality a sum not exceeding One Hundred and Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$180,000.00) for the purpose of constructing, acquiring, altering, extending or improving public sewers or drains in the Municipality and acquiring or purchasing materials, machinery, implements or plant deemed requisite or advisable therefor;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 14th day of March A.D. 1956 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 12th day of April A.D. 1956, was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 8th day of March A.D. 1957 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 14th day of March A.D. 1957, was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs the authorized period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended for a further period not exceeding twelve months."

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Councillors Matthews and Settle moved:-

"WHEREAS the Municipality of the County of Halifax is authorized by law to borrow or raise by way of loan by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality a sum not exceeding Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) for municipal purposes, pursuant to Section 2 of Chapter 76 of the Acts of 1955, an Act relating to the Municipality of the County of Halifax, and pursuant to Section 6 of Chapter 186 of the Revised Statutes 1954, the Municipal Affairs Act;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 14th day of March A.D. 1956 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 12th day of April A.D. 1956 was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 8th day of March A.D. 1957 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 14th day of March A.D. 1957, was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs the authorized period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended for a further period not exceeding twelve months."

Councillors Settle and Flawn moved:-

"WHEREAS the Municipality of the County of Halifax is authorized by law to borrow or raise by way of loan by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality a sum not exceeding Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$600,000.00) for the purpose of constructing, acquiring, altering, extending or improving waterworks or water system for the Municipality or any part thereof and acquiring or purchasing materials, machinery, implements or plant deemed requisite or advisable therefor;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 14th day of March A.D. 1956 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 12th day of April A.D. 1956, was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

AND WHEREAS the said Municipality by resolution passed by the Council thereof on the 8th day of March A.D. 1957 and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs on the 14th day of March A.D. 1957, was authorized to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum from the Royal Bank of Canada for a period not exceeding twelve months;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs the authorized period of such borrowing from said Bank be extended for a further period not exceeding twelve months."

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Councillors Balcome and McNeil moved:-

"WHEREAS by Section 6 of Chapter 186 of the Revised Statutes, The Municipal Affairs Act, it is enacted among other things, in effect, that subject to the provisions of Section 8 of the said Act and notwithstanding any of the provisions of any special or general Act of the Legislature of Nova Scotia, every municipality of a county or district shall have full power and authority to borrow or raise by way of loan from time to time on the credit of the Municipality such sum or sums as the Council thereof deems necessary for the purpose of constructing, acquiring, altering, extending or improving public sewers or drains in the Municipality at Fairview, and acquiring or purchasing materials, machinery, implements or plant deemed requisite or advisable therefor, and acquiring or purchasing land for such Municipal purposes;

AND WHEREAS by Section 8 of the said The Municipal Affairs Act it is enacted among other things, in effect, that no money shall be borrowed under the provisions of the said Act until such proposed borrowing has been approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed necessary by the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax to borrow a sum not exceeding Two Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$275,000.00) for the purpose of constructing, acquiring or improving sewer mains in the remaining section of Fairview that can be serviced by gravity feed by the Public Service Commission of Halifax, and in the high pressure area of Fairview to Hillcrest Street and two streets between Hillcrest and Willet Street and acquiring or purchasing materials, machinery, implements or plant deemed requisite or advisable therefor and the acquiring or purchasing of land for such purpose;

AND WHEREAS by the Municipal Affairs Act such sum shall in the discretion of the Municipal Council be borrowed or raised in one sum at one time or in instalments at different times and the sum required shall be borrowed or raised by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to such an amount as the Council thereof deems necessary to raise such sum;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum, not exceeding Two Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$275,000.00) as may be necessary for the purpose aforesaid from the Royal Bank of Canada at Halifax, Nova Scotia, the sum so borrowed to be repaid said Bank from the proceeds of said debentures when sold;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Municipality of the County of Halifax do, under and by virtue of the Municipal Affairs Act, and subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, borrow or raise by way of loan on the credit of the said Municipality, a sum not exceeding Two Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$275,000.00) for the purpose aforesaid;

THAT under and in accordance with said The Municipal Affairs Act such sum be borrowed or raised by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to such an amount as the Council thereof deems necessary to raise such sum;

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THAT the issue of such debentures be postponed and that the said Municipality do, under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 148 (1) of Chapter 7 of the Acts of 1955, the Municipal Act and subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, borrow a sum or sums of money not exceeding Two Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$275,000.00) from the Royal Bank of Canada at Halifax, Nova Scotia;

THAT such sum or sums be borrowed from said Bank for a period not exceeding twelve months with interest thereon to be paid said Bank at the rate of 5 per centum per annum and that the amount so borrowed be repaid the said Bank from the proceeds of the said debentures when sold."

Councillors Flawn and Curren moved:-

"WHEREAS by Section 6 of Chapter 186 of the Revised Statutes, The Municipal Affairs Act, it is enacted among other things, in effect, that subject to the provisions of Section 8 of the said Act and notwithstanding any of the provisions of any special or general Act of the Legislature of Nova Scotia, every municipality of a county or district shall have full power and authority to borrow or raise by way of loan from time to time on the credit of the municipality such sum or sums as the Council thereof deems necessary for the purpose of erecting, acquiring, purchasing, altering, adding to, improving, furnishing or equipping buildings for schools, garages and other buildings for school purposes and acquiring or purchasing or improving land for such buildings;

AND WHEREAS by Section 8 of the said The Municipal Affairs Act, it is enacted among other things, in effect, that no money shall be borrowed under the provisions of the said Act until such proposed borrowing has been approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed necessary by the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Halifax to borrow a sum not exceeding Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) for the purpose of erecting, acquiring, purchasing, furnishing and equipping buildings for new schools and altering, adding to, furnishing and equipping schools as shown in the schedule attached hereto and acquiring or purchasing or improving land for such buildings;

AND WHEREAS by the Municipal Affairs Act such sum shall in the discretion of the Municipal Council be borrowed or raised in one sum at one time or in instalments at different times and the sum required shall be borrowed or raised by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to such an amount as the Council thereof deems necessary to raise such sum;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to postpone the issue of such debentures and to borrow such sum, not exceeding Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) as may be necessary for the purpose aforesaid from the Royal Bank of Canada at Halifax, Nova Scotia, the sum so borrowed to be repaid said Bank from the proceeds of said debentures when sold;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Municipality of the County of Halifax do, under and by virtue of the Municipal Affairs Act, and subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, borrow or raise by way of loan on the credit of the said Municipality, a sum not exceeding Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00), for the purpose aforesaid;

Tenth Day Afternoon Continued

THAT under and in accordance with said The Municipal Affairs Act such sum be borrowed or raised by the issue and sale of debentures of the Municipality to such an amount as the Council thereof deems necessary to raise such sum;

THAT the issue of such debentures be postponed and that the said Municipality do, under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 148 (1) of Chapter 7 of the Acts of 1955, the Municipal Act and subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, borrow a sum or sums of money not exceeding Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) from the Royal Bank of Canada at Halifax, Nova Scotia;

THAT such sum or sums be borrowed from said Bank for a period not exceeding twelve months with interest thereon to be paid said Bank at the rate of 5 per centum per annum and that the amount so borrowed be repaid the said Bank from the proceeds of the said debentures when sold."

Warden Leverman said he would receive nominations for the Board of Appeal.

Councillors Burriss and Cruikshank moved:-

"THAT Roy Archibald of Middle Musquodoboit be appointed to the Board of Appeal."
Motion carried.

Councillors McGrath and Curren moved,-

"The nomination of Mr. Dick Tolson,"

and Councillors King-Myers and Myers moved,-

"The nomination of Mr. Alan Duffus for the Board of Appeal."

On the vote Warden Leverman declared Mr. Duffus elected.

Councillors Daye and Redmond moved,-

"The nomination of Mr. E. Webber,"

and Councillors Davis and Settle moved,-

"The nomination of Mr. Weary to the Board of Appeal."

On the vote Warden Leverman declared Mr. Webber elected.

Councillors Turner and Burriss moved:-

"THAT a ballot be deposited by the Warden in favour of Mr. Roy Archibald."
Motion carried.

Council agreed that the lists of the Polling Sections should be sent out by mail in sufficient time for checking and they are to be approved at the June Session.

Tenth Day Afternoon Continued

The Clerk read the reports of the Local Boards of Health.

Councillors Flawn and Burris moved:-

"THAT the reports of the Local Boards of Health for Districts be approved."
Motion carried.

Councillors Curren and McNeil moved:-

"THAT the Revisal Districts be approved."
Motion carried.

Council agreed to the appointment of Special Committees from the chair.

Warden Leverman said he would re-appoint the same Special Committees as for 1957 unless there were requests from any of the Councillors to be relieved.

Councillor McGrath asked to be relieved on the Regional Library Committee. Councillor King-Myers was appointed to replace Councillor McGrath.

Council agreed to the appointments.

Councillors Snair and Settle moved:-

"THAT the delegates to the Union be appointed by the chair, and that the Warden be one of the delegates." Motion carried.

Councillors Snair and Daye moved:-

"THAT Councillor Ferguson be paid his indemnity for the annual session of Council." Motion carried.

Councillors Myers and Balcome moved:-

"THAT the Janitor of the Court House be paid \$25.00 for the four sessions of Council." Motion carried.

Councillors Snair and Settle moved:-

"THAT the County adopt and advertise Daylight Saving Time to coincide with the City of Halifax." Motion carried.

Tenth Day Afternoon Continued

Councillors McGrath and Curren moved:-

"THAT this Council declare that Halifax Natal Day be a holiday and Dartmouth Natal Day be a holiday and that the Municipal Offices be closed on these dates." Motion carried.

Councillors McNeil and Balcome moved:-

"THAT the operator of the ferry operating between Oakland Road and Jollimore be authorized to raise his rates by the sum of five cents (\$0.05)." Motion carried.

Councillors Flawn and Matthews moved:-

"THAT the Council ratify the letter of today's date to the Public Service Commission in connection with the installation of water and sewer in the Fairview area, as was read to the Council, provided that the Municipality in return get a letter from the Public Service Commission of Halifax stating their liability as to damage by the negligence of their agents or servants." Motion carried.

The Finance Committee retired to consider its final report and finalize the estimates and Warden Leverman recessed Council until the Committee returned.

Council reconvened at 6:40 p.m. Warden F. G. H. Leverman in the chair.

Warden Leverman said that Deputy Warden Cruikshank had again been chosen Chairman of the Finance Committee.

Warden Leverman named the delegates to the annual Convention of the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities as,-

Councillors Evans
Archibald
Spears
Flawn
Warden Leverman

He named,-

Councillors Turner
Isenor
Balcome
Ferguson
Longard as alternates.

Tenth Day Afternoon Continued

Councillors Snair and Turner moved:-

"THAT \$100.00 be granted to delegates attending the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities' Convention at Keltic Lodge this Fall and that the registration fee be paid for any other Councillor who may attend." Motion carried.

Council agreed that the Clerk and Solicitor should accompany the delegates.

The Clerk read the report of the Finance Committee.

Deputy Warden Cruikshank moved a motion for its adoption.

He said the Committee had been critical of what the rate should be. He referred to the increased costs for school purposes and salary increases more than offsetting increased revenues from increased assessments. He said it must be realized that the tax rate cannot be pegged. This report is the best that can be presented in the light of conditions.

Councillor Snair seconded the motion.

Warden Leverman said he was happy that the Committee had been able to hold the tax rate as it had. He referred to the increase of \$350,000.00 in the Municipal School Board estimates alone; as well there was an increase of \$80,000.00 in the School Capital Building program. Council had no control over these. These figures represent a significant increase alone.

He referred to some increased sources of revenue as a help, but what had been gained here is practically wiped out by the loss of the transitional grant to the Municipal School Board. He said it must be realized that the increase in taxation is due wholly and solely to increased standards of education in Halifax County.

Councillor Flawn asked if there had not been a pessimistic view of the revenues in view of the increased aid indicated for Municipalities. It appeared as though this Committee has not taken into consideration any of these increases except for one-half of hospital costs. He asked what consideration had been given.

Tenth Day Afternoon Continued

Deputy Warden Cruikshank said there had been nothing in writing yet to indicate that there would be increased assistance to the Municipalities.

Warden Leverman and the Clerk in reply to questions by Councillor McGrath, explained why some of the estimates for 1958 were below the actual expenditure for 1957.

In reply to Councillor Redmond, Warden Leverman said there was nothing definite as to whether there would be an increase in the Federal grant of \$75,000.00.

Councillor Redmond observed that the 1957 surplus had apparently not been taken into consideration. Warden Leverman said that where the Municipality was definitely proceeding with a new Administration Building, that the Finance Committee had deemed it unwise to dip into the surplus account at this time as there may well be demands against surplus before the building is completed.

Councillor Flawn asked if there would be an increased share from the Province in respect to bringing teachers' salaries in the County up to the Leonard Scale, and what consideration had been given this. Mr. Hattie said this had been taken into account.

Warden Leverman put the motion for adoption of the report. The motion carried.

The Clerk read the minutes of the Tenth Day Morning. Mr. Rhydwen read the Minutes of the Tenth Day Afternoon and Evening.

Councillors Burris and Turner moved:-

"THAT the minutes of the Tenth Day Session, Morning and Afternoon, be adopted." Motion carried.

Councillor Settle moved:-

"THAT Council adjourn." Motion carried.

Council concluded with the singing of God Save the Queen.

OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 7

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	7B	A. J. Fryday	Black Point
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	7A	E. C. Dauphinee	102 Pepperell St., Halifax
	7C	Donald McEachern	Boutilier's Point
	7D	James Mason	Head St. Margaret's Bay
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>		Granville C. Snair	Black Point
		Dr. P. A. Cole	Hubbards
		Fred Mason	Head St. Margaret's Bay
		R. S. Lennox	Black Point
<u>OVERSEERS OF THE POOR</u>		C. C. Dauphinee	Hubbards
		Charles Floyd	Boutilier's Point
		Charles Barnes	Head St. Margaret's Bay
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>		Maynard Misener	Black Point
<u>SANITARY INSPECTORS</u>		Maynard Misener	Black Point
		Birney Jollimore	Hubbards
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>		Amos Kennedy	Black Point
		Walter Fredericks	Head St. Margaret's Bay
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	7A)	E. C. Dauphinee	102 Pepperell St., Halifax
	B)		
	7C)	Mrs. Charles Floyd	Boutilier's Point
	7D)		

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

<u>CONSTABLE</u>		Lewis Langille	Queensland
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS</u>		Graham Dauphinee	Boutilier's Point
		Lindsay Snair	Black Point
		Clyde Shankel	Hubbards
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>		H. W. Whittier	Black Point
		Ronald Hyson	Black Point
		A. C. Boutilier	Boutilier's Point
		Clifford Shindell	Black Point

Councillor - District No. 7

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 8

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>		V. Lorne Miller	Bedford
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	288	Roy St. C. Currie	Rockingham
	289	W. H. Corkum	Birch Cove
	290	John A. McDonough	Sherwood Park, Rockingham
	291	Earl Haverstock	Hammonds Plains
	292	Victor Christie	Bedford
	293	Martin Bushell	Bedford
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairmen)</u>		(C. Gregory McGrath	Bedford
		(Reginald C. Curren	Birch Cove
		Stewart Thomas	Bedford
		Roy St. C. Currie	Rockingham
		Dr. C. S. Fuller	Bedford
		Aubrey Whiley	Hammonds Plains
		Aubrey Haverstock	Hammonds Plains
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>		Stewart Thomas	Bedford
		Edward J. Brunt	Rockingham
		Earl Haverstock	Hammonds Plains
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>		Lewis Selby Noseworthy	Rockingham
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>		Lewis Selby Noseworthy	Rockingham
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>		Edward Simmons	Hammonds Plains
		Charles Allison	Hammonds Plains
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	288	Mrs. George Muise	Rockingham
	289	Mrs. F. E. Anthony	Rockingham
	290	Mrs. Aubrey Kyle	Princes Lodge
	291	James A. Currie	Hammonds Plains
	292	Mrs. C. V. Smith	Millview
	293	Mrs. L. E. Anderson	Bedford

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

<u>CONSTABLES</u>		Walter Pettipas	Rockingham
		Brenton R. Deal	Rockingham
		Harry W. Smith	Hammonds Plains
		Charles Smith	Millview
		Fred G. Martin, Jr.	Bedford
<u>SURVEYOR OF LOGS</u>		Charles Smith	R. R. #1, Bedford
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>		A. S. Hamshaw	Rockingham
		Leonard Gifford	Rockingham
		Leo Hogan	Rockingham
		James Brennan	Rockingham
		C. Wilfred Greenman	Bedford
		Angus M. Mitchell	Bedford
		J. E. Mitchell	Bedford
		Clayton Eisenhauer	Hammonds Plains
		Earl Haverstock	Hammonds Plains

Councillor - District No. 8

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 9

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	Earle Pulsifer	Upper Tantallon
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	Mrs. Rupert Manuel Mrs. Harold McLay Andrew Thomson Calvin Burchell Roy Mullinger	Peggy's Cove Indian Harbour Glen Margaret French Village Upr. Tantallon, R.R. #1, Armdale
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	Granville Moser Fred Shatford Cyril McDonald Clark Hubley	Glen Margaret Indian Harbour Seabright R.R. No. 1, Armdale
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>	Clark Hubley Oliver Covey Seymour Boutilier	R. R. No. 1, Armdale Hackett's Cove Hackett's Cove
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>	Harvey E. Veinotte	R. R. No. 1, Armdale
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>	Douglas McLennan Maynard Smith	Hackett's Cove Ir. Tantallon
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>	Garnet Fralick	Hackett's Cove
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	9 A & B Rupert Hubley 9 C, D & E Andrew Thomson	R. R. No. 1, Armdale Glen Margaret

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

<u>CONSTABLES</u>	Arnold Hubley Fred Shatford	R. R. No. 1, Armdale Indian Harbour
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS</u>	Roy Boutilier Aubrey Fraser	Seabright Timberlea
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>	Clark Hubley Andrew Thomson Fred Shatford	R. R. No. 1, Armdale Glen Margaret Indian Harbour

Councillor - District No. 9

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 10

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	(10C) Mrs. Harold Ryan	Terrence Bay
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	(10A) Mrs. L. M. Christian	Shad Bay
	(10B) William Beck	Upper Prospect
	(10C) Mrs. Harold Ryan	Terrence Bay
	(10D) Wellington Duggan	East Dover
	(10E)	West Dover
	(10F) Lloyd Fader	Goodwood
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	Roy E. Longard	326 Spring Garden Rd., Halifax
	Edgar S. Longard	Bayside
	Paul Duggan	East Dover
	Mrs. Allen Duggan	West Dover
	William Collier	Shad Bay
	William Beck	Upper Prospect
	Mrs. Alice Brophy	Terrence Bay
	Lloyd Fader	
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>	Lloyd Fader	Goodwood
	James Little	Terrence Bay
	John Bartlett	Lower Prospect
	Thomas Christian	Upper Prospect
	Cecil Coolen	Shad Bay
	Earl Keddy	East Dover
	W. G. Morash	West Dover
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>	Gilbert Longard	Bayside
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>	Gilbert Longard	Bayside
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	(10A Mrs. L. M. Christian	Shad Bay
	B & F)	
	(10C) Mrs. Alice Brophy	Terrence Bay
	(10D & E) Wellington Duggan	McGrath's Dove

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

<u>CONSTABLES</u>	Edgar Whalen	Hatchet Lake
	Harold Ryan	Terrence Bay
	Albert Duggan (Bun)	Upper Prospect, (also for Brookside)
	Duncan Keddy	Shad Bay (also for Bayside and East Dover)
	Joshua Young	West Dover
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>	Harold Ryan	Hatchet Lake (& Terrence Bay)
	Albert Duggan	Upper Prospect
	Duncan Keddy	Shad Bay (Bayside & East Dover)
	Joshua Young	West Dover

Councillor - District No. 10

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 11

PRESIDING OFFICERS

Ernest Brown Herring Cove

DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS

Mrs. Aurrell Icton Purcell's Cove
Mrs. Ross Purcell Portuguese Cove
Clyde Flemming Ketch Harbour
George Gray Sambro
Mrs. Isobelle Gray Pennant
Mrs. Arthur Sibley Harrietsfield
Philip Marryatte 138 Old Sambro Road, Spryfield
Frank Johnston 2 Carson St. (Site 4, Dept. 60)
Spryfield
Mrs. Walter Drysdale Herring Cove

BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)

J. Gerald Spears Ketch Harbour
Raye Brunelle Purcell's Cove
Eric Vatcher Harrietsfield
Basil Spears Ketch Harbour

OVERSEERS OF POOR

George Gray Sambro
Robert Whitehead Harrietsfield
Walter Drysdale Herring Cove

REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS

11A Mrs. John O'Donnell Purcell's Cove
11B Mrs. Walter Drysdale Herring Cove
11 C & D Mrs. Thomas Rodgers Ketch Harbour
11E Mrs. Harry Gray Bald Rock
11F Mrs. Isobelle Gray Pennant
11G Mrs. Robert Whitehead Harrietsfield
11H Harold Marryatte 134 Old Sambro Road, Spryfield
11 J & K Mrs. Roy Cross Spryfield

POUND KEEPER

James Mackey Ketch Harbour

FENCE VIEWER

Basil Spears Ketch Harbour

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

CONSTABLES

Philip Marryatte 138 Old Sambro Road, Spryfield
Robert Whitehead Harrietsfield
Albert Johnston Purcell's Cove
Gerald Sullivan Herring Cove
Douglas Major Harrietsfield
Basil Flemming Ketch Harbour
George Gray Sambro
Roger Holteen Harrietsfield
Percy Smith Sambro Creek

SHEEP VALUER

FIRE WARDS

K. T. Eisenor Portuguese Cove
Raye Brunelle Purcell's Cove

Councillor - District No. 11

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 12

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	Earle L. Hoare	29 Springvale Ave. Armdale
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	(12A) Jack Egan (12B) Mrs. Mary Hartlen (12C) Mrs. Agnes McNeil (12D) John T. Sullivan (12E) A. M. Ferguson (12F) J. W. Kedy (12G) Joseph W. Harber (12H) Edwin N. Rowes (12I) C. V. Pye (12J) W.W. Bowser (12K) Frank Purcell (12L) Lawrence Hartlen (12M) James White (12N) Miss Joyce Umlah (12O) Richard Poirier	Box 43, Spryfield Spryfield Herring Cove Rd., Spryfield 54 Mountain Rd., Kline Heights 14 Braeburn Rd., Armdale Crescent Ave., Armdale 34 Crown Drive, Armdale 36 Piers Ave., Armdale 17 School Ave., Fairview 24 Frederick Ave., Fairview 5 Flint St., Fairview 28 Main Ave., Fairview Jollimore Goodwood, R.R.#2, Armdale Timberlea
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH</u> (Chairmen)	(F. G. H. Leverman (Daniel J. MacNeil (P. L. Balcome, Jr.	Jollimore 328 Herring Cove Rd. Spryfield 32 St. Margaret's Bay Rd. Armdale.
	W. A. MacAndrew W. A. Chaddock W. A. White H. G. Burns, F. G. Rout J. J. Coady Dr. Kevin Smith A. M. Ferguson (Sect'y)	Lakeside 9 Forward Drive, Jollimore 21 Williams Lk.Rd. Spryfield 52 Fenwood Road, Armdale 55 Melrose Avenue, Fairview 22 Mountain Rd. Kline Heights 349 Herring Cove Rd. Spryfield 14 Braeburn Road, Armdale
<u>OVERSEERS OF THE POOR</u> (Chairman)	A. M. Ferguson W. A. White A. J. Power W. A. Chaddock W. Bowser	14 Braeburn Road, Armdale Timberlea 21 Williams Lk. Rd. Spryfield 3 Circle Drive, Spryfield 9 Forward Drive, Jollimore 24 Frederick Ave., Fairview
<u>BUILDING & SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>	Donald A. Vincent	Gaston Road, Dartmouth (Office -46 Herring Cove Rd. Armdale)
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	(12A) Mrs. Charles Duffy (12B) Mrs. Marie Mayo (12C) Mrs. Agnes McNeil (12D) Mrs. Sophie Logan (12E) Mrs. Clara Marriott (12F) Mrs. W. Fitzgerald (12G) Mrs. Veronica Nolan (12H) Mrs. Margaret Williams (12I) Mrs. D. Jenkins (12J) Mrs. John Tobin (12K) Mrs. Kathleen Meech (12L) Mrs. John McGrath (12M) Mrs. William Morris (12N) Miss Joyce Umlah (12O) Mrs. Lena Marriott	27 Layton Road, Spryfield 3 McMullen Road, Spryfield Herring Cove Rd., Spryfield Kline Heights, Armdale Braeburn Rd., Armdale 4 Fenerty Road, Armdale 87 St. Margaret's Bay Rd. Armdale 44 Dutch Village Rd., Armdale 119 School Ave., Fairview 24 Rosedale Ave., Fairview 5 Flint St., Fairview 24 Main Ave., Fairview Jollimore Goodwood, R.R.#2, Armdale Lakeside.

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

<u>CONSTABLES</u>	Murdock Bell James Drake Oscar Boutilier Fred Hull W. A. White Robert Baker Thomas Mabe	Lakeside 18 Chocolate Lk.Rd. Armdale 11 School Ave, Fairview 164 Main Ave. Fairview 21 Williams Lk.Rd. Spryfield Spryfield, 189 Sambro Road, 1 Hilary St., Spryfield (See Page 2)
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CONSTABLES
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Cyril B. Cleveland	15 Kidston Rd, Spryfield
James Shaw	Spryfield
F. J. Bignell	7 Kirk Road, Jollimore
Harold E. Murphy	93 Connolly St., Halifax
Gordon S. Murphy	120 Albert St., Halifax
Carroll Mansfield	13 Main Avenue, Fairview
Leo Nelson	3A Main Ave., Fairview
Victor C. Power	1 Lawnwood Ave. Armdale
E. C. Hamm	25 Winchester Ave., Armdale
Robert Bell	Lakeside
Wilfred McInnis	Lakeside
Wally Gates, Sr.	Pine Grove Drive, Spryfield
J. W. Walker	8 Alderwood Drive, Armdale
Carson Baxter	8 Alderwood Drive, Armdale

FIRE WARDS

Fire Chief	Daniel McNeil
" "	J. J. Coady
" "	Leo Nelson
" "	Wilfred MacInnes

Daniel McNeil	328 Herring Cove Road, Spryfield
J. J. Coady	22 Mountain Road, Kline Heights
Leo Nelson	3A Main Avenue, Fairview
Wilfred MacInnes	Lakeside

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 13

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	Stanley DeYoung	Eastern Passage
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	Avery Langille Maurice Myers	Eastern Passage Eastern Passage
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	Charles A. Myers James Osborne James Smith Duncan MacDonald	Eastern Passage Cow Bay Eastern Passage South East Passage
<u>OVERSEERS OF THE POOR</u>	William Myers Sydney Himmelman Ralph Lintaman	Eastern Passage South East Passage Cow Bay
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>	James Letter	Eastern Passage
<u>REVISOR OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	William Vardy	Eastern Passage

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<u>CONSTABLES</u>	Ralph Lintaman James Letter Clifford Harmes	Cow Bay Eastern Passage Eastern Passage
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>	Ralph Lintaman William Vardy	Cow Bay Eastern Passage

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 14

PRESIDING OFFICER (344) Winston Settle Cole Harbour, R.R. #1, Dartmouth

DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS (340) Grant Eisener Caledonia Rd., Westphal
(341) Mrs. Ira Baker Caledonia Rd., Westphal
(342) Walter Sparks Cherry Brook
(343) A. H. Weldon Port Wallis P.O.
(346) Mrs. Stanley Mosher Woodlawn, R.R. #1, Dartmouth
(353) John Evans Albro Lake Road
(354) Elmo Matheson Tufts Cove
(355) Mrs. William Southworth Shannon Park

BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairmen) (Ira S. Settle Woodlawn
(John R. Matthews Church Rd., (Box 82) Tufts Cove
Bryden Bissett R. R. #1, Dartmouth
George Dixon Tufts Cove

OVERSEERS OF POOR Stanley Mosher 95 Tacoma Drive, Westphal
George Dixon Tufts Cove
Bryden Bissett R. R. #1, Dartmouth

FENCE VIEWER John Buggie Port Wallis (Helene Ave.)

BUILDING & SANITARY INSPECTOR John Brenton Port Wallis (Box 51, Dartmouth PO)

REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS (14D) Webster Burrell R. R. No. 1, Dartmouth
(14G) Gerald Rodgers Tufts Cove

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

CONSTABLES Robert L. Leslie 83 Fairbanks St., Dartmouth
Raymond Wambolt Gaston Road, Dartmouth
John W. Conrod Tufts Cove
Ralph LaPierre R. R. #1, Dartmouth
Charles Moss Lakecrest Ave., Westphal (# 111)
J. H. Scallion 423 Gottingen St., Halifax
William Sparks Lake Loon
Earle Bundy Cherry Brook
Joseph Drummond Cherry Brook
John Brenton Port Wallis
Harold Jacques R. R. #1, Dartmouth
Frank Crichton Port Wallis
John Buggie 19 Helene Ave. Westphal
Weldon Bowser Port Wallis
Harris Weldon Arnold c/o Chief of Police, Dartmouth
Allison Nichols do
Montague Hetherington do
John Dennis Joseph Rodgers do
Sinclair Frederick Boyle do
Reginald Brenton Foley do
Donald Gerald Trider do
Clarence Jeffrey Mitchell do
Roger Campbell Smith do
Henry William Mosher do
Clarence Percy Barkhouse do
Cyril Douglas Mason do
Aubrey Ralph Brown do
Harry Logan Barnhill do
Ronald Seymour Davis do

SURVEYORS OF LOGS John MacDonald R. R. #1, Dartmouth
Ralph Ernst R. R. #1, Dartmouth
James Barker c/o Ira Settle, R.R.#1, Dartmouth
Scott Weeks Port Wallis
Samuel Creelman Port Wallis

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FIRE WARDS

Ralph Morash	Port Wallis
Raymond Sellars	209 Main St., Westphal
Harvey Patterson	R. R. #1, Dartmouth
Melvin Harris	R. R. #1, Dartmouth
Donald Turner	R. R. #1, Dartmouth
John R. Brenton	Port Wallis
John W. Conrod	Tufts Cove
Robert Craig	Albro Lake
Ralph Eisener	20 Glenwood Ave., Westphal

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 15

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	Gordon Crowell	East Lawrencetown
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	Edwin Nieforth Earl Conrad	Seaforth Middle Porter's Lake
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	Russell J. Sellars Edward Walton Maxwell Snair	West Lawrencetown Mineville Seaforth
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>	Gibson Lloy Roy Settle Edwin Nieforth	East Lawrencetown Upper Lawrencetown Seaforth
<u>SANITARY INSPECTORS</u>	Kenneth Nieforth Ellis Hiltz	Seaforth West Lawrencetown
<u>REVISORS OR ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	15A Mrs. Gordon Crowell 15B Mrs. Agnes Gates 15C Mary E. LaPierre	East Lawrencetown Seaforth Middle Porter's Lake
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>	Cecil Sellars Austin Crowell Ward Collier	West Lawrencetown East Lawrencetown Seaforth

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<u>CONSTABLE</u>	Cecil Russell	West Lawrencetown
<u>SURVEYOR OF LOGS</u>	Allison LaPierre	Upper Lawrencetown
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>	Leo LaPierre	Three Fathom Harbour
<u>FIRE WARD</u>	Lawrence Russell	West Lawrencetown

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 16

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	16A William B. Thomas	Preston
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	16B Peter Downey 16C Noble Mannette	Dartmouth Post Office Porter's Lake
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	Allan W. Evans Claude Diggs John Thompson William Slawter Aubrey Glasgow James Willis Grant Connolly	Preston Preston Preston Preston Preston Dartmouth Post Office Porter's Lake
<u>OVERSEERS OF THE POOR</u>	James Slawter William Diggs John A. Colley Edward Beals George Bonn Fred Riley	Preston Preston Preston Dartmouth Post Office Porter's Lake Preston
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>	Alexander Slawter	Preston
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>	Freeman G. Colley Howard Williams Ernest Beals	Preston Preston Dartmouth Post Office
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	16A William B. Thomas 16B Carleton Evans	Preston Preston

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<u>CONSTABLES</u>	Donald Crawley Carleton Evans George Brooks Thomas Beals Cornelius Fraser Everett Smith	Preston Preston East Preston Dartmouth Post Office (Box 143) Dartmouth Post Office Dartmouth Post Office
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS</u>	Percy Ernest Grant Connolly	Westphal, Dartmouth Porter's Lake
<u>FIRE WARD</u>	Alexander Slawter	Preston

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 17

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	17A	George Hill	Head Chezzetcook
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	17B	Nathan Smith	East Chezzetcook
	17C	Clarence LaPierre	Grand Desert
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>		Clyde V. Redmond	Head Chezzetcook
		Nelson Gates	Head Chezzetcook
		James Randall	East Chezzetcook
		Arthur Goldsworthy	West Chezzetcook
		Wilfred LaPierre	Grand Desert
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>		Clement Mannette	West Chezzetcook
		Henry Bonang	Head Chezzetcook
		Welsford Conrod	East Chezzetcook
<u>SANITARY INSPECTORS</u>		George Redmond	Head Chezzetcook
		Regis Wolfe	Grand Desert
<u>FENCE VIEWER</u>		John Richards	East Chezzetcook
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	17A	Mrs. Edward Redmond	Head Chezzetcook
	17B	Mrs. Isiah Pettipas	East Chezzetcook
	17C	Eugene Bellefontaine	West Chezzetcook
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>		Glynn Keizer	Head Chezzetcook

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<u>CONSTABLES</u>	(Dog Tags)	Thomas Anderson	Lower East Chezzetcook
	" "	Regis Wolfe	Grand Desert
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS</u>		Nelson Conrod	Head Chezzetcook
		Hiram Conrod	Head Chezzetcook
		Foster Gates	Head Chezzetcook
		John Bonn	Head Chezzetcook
		Daniel Keizer	Porter's Lake
		Victor Ogilvie	Porter's Lake
		Eli Bellefontaine	West Chezzetcook
		Albert Bellefontaine	West Chezzetcook
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>		John Mannette	West Chezzetcook
		William Redmond	Head Chezzetcook
<u>FIRE WARD</u>		Clement Mannette	West Chezzetcook

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 18

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	(A-K)	(330)	William A. Johns	Musquodoboit Harbour
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	(329)		Mrs. Adam Bowser	Ostrea Lake
	(L-Z)	(330)	Mrs. Doris Rowlings	Musquodoboit Harbour
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>			Joseph B. Davis	Musquodoboit Harbour
			E. H. Bennett	Musquodoboit Harbour
			Cyril Young	West Petpeswick
			Philip Jardine (Dr.)	Musquodoboit Harbour
			Fred Turner	West Petpeswick
			Raymond Williams	Ostrea Lake
<u>OVERSEERS OF THE POOR</u>			Stanley Conrod	Musquodoboit Harbour
			F. B. Bateman	Musquodoboit Harbour
			Raymond Williams	Bayer's Settlement
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>			Philip Jardine (Dr.)	Musquodoboit Harbour
<u>FENCE VIEWER</u>			Chester Mosher	Musquodoboit Harbour
<u>POUND KEEPER</u>			Reginald Baker	Ostrea Lake
<u>REVISOR OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>			Mrs. T. K. Faulkner	Musquodoboit Harbour
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>			Edward Greenough	West Petpeswick

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

<u>CONSTABLES</u>	(Special Police)		E. H. Bennett	Musquodoboit Harbour
			Joseph Michael O'Halloran	Musquodoboit Harbour
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS & LUMBER</u>			Oswald Mosher	Musquodoboit Harbour
			Creighton O. Ritcey	Musquodoboit Harbour
			Melvin Bayers	Musquodoboit Harbour
			Edward Greenough	Musquodoboit Harbour
			Basil Day	Musquodoboit Harbour
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>			Leonard Mattstall	Musquodoboit Harbour
			F. B. Bateman	Musquodoboit Harbour
			A. W. Williams	Ostrea Lake

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 19

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	Ervin Webber	Oyster Pond, Jeddore
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	Arthur Marks Mrs. Myrtle Faulkner	Ship Harbour Head Jeddore
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	Howard Daye Harold Webber Otto Weeks Nelson Mitchell John Homans Edward Webber Fred Baker Ralph Blakeney Gerald Dooks	Salmon River Bridge, Jeddore Upper Lakeville Ship Harbour Oyster Pond Clam Harbour Lake Charlotte East Jeddore Head Jeddore West Jeddore
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>	Otis Jennex Ben Day Andy Parker	Oyster Pond Head Jeddore Owl's Head
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>	Quinn Marks	Ship Harbour
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>	Ervin Webber	Oyster Pond, Jeddore
<u>POUND KEEPERS</u>	Lawrence Webber Donald Webber Ray Webber Alton Boutilier Ervin Webber Lorne Arnold	Upper Lakeville Lake Charlotte Clam Bay Lower Ship Harbour Oyster Pond East Jeddore
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>		
	19A Miss Laura Siteman	Ship Harbour
	19B Allen Mills	Oyster Pond, Jeddore
	19C Mrs. Cyril Warnell	Head Jeddore

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<u>CONSTABLES</u>	Ben Day (Dog Tags) Quinn Marks	Head Jeddore Ship Harbour
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>	Edmond Webber	Lake Charlotte
<u>SURVEYOR OF LOGS & LUMBER</u>	Arthur Marks Odous Webber Morris Mitchell	Ship Harbour Upper Lakeville Oyster Pond
<u>FIRE WARD</u>	Ben Day	Head Jeddore

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 20

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	20B	John LeFrank	East Ship Harbour
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	20A	Malcolm Sturmev	Spry Harbour
	20C	Ernest Prest	Mooseland
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>		P. S. Ferguson	Tangier
		Harry Webb	Pleasant Harbour
		Howard C. Newcombe	Murphy Cove
		Mrs. Ernest Prest	Mooseland
		Mrs. Adrian Cameron	Pope's Harbour
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>		Malcolm Sturmev	Spry Harbour
		Montique Murphy	Murphy's Cove
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>		Howard C. Newcombe	Murphy's Cove
<u>FENCE VIEWER</u>		Reginald Mason	Spry Harbour
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	20A	Mrs. Adrian Cameron	Pope's Harbour
	20B	Mrs. Guy Ferguson	Pleasant Harbour
	20C	Mrs. Ernest Prest	Mooseland

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<u>CONSTABLES</u>		Howard C. Newcombe	Murphy's Cove
		Harry Webb	Pleasant Harbour
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>		James Mason	Tangier
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS</u>		Bruce Jackson	Mooseland
		Ernest Prest	Mooseland
		Murray Prest	Mooseland
		Fanning Mitchell	East Ship Harbour
		Rex MacKenzie	Pope's Harbour
		Stanley Hawes	Spry Harbour
<u>FIRE WARD</u>		Avery Hilchie	Pope's Harbour

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 21

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER:</u>	Michael McInnes	Sheet Harbour
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS:</u>	21A Robert MacDonald 21B Mrs. Harvey Levy 21C James Boutilier	Sheet Harbour Sober Island Mushaboom
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	J. S. Donaldson Dr. A. Billard C. J. Lind Miss Annie E. MacDonald Harry Cleveland	Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>	Guy MacAvoy George Levy Mrs. Ollie Power	Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Passage Mushaboom
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	21A Michael McInnes 21B Mrs. George Levy 21C Mrs. Ollie Power	Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Passage Mushaboom
<u>POUND KEEPERS</u>	Laurie Quillan Clair Josey Gordon MacDonald	Sheet Harbour Watt Section East River
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>	Roy Kenney	Sheet Harbour
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>	Robert MacDonald	Sheet Harbour

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

<u>CONSTABLE</u>	Bruce Jollymore	Watt Section
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>	George Lowe	Sheet Harbour
<u>SURVEYOR OF LOGS & LUMBER</u>	Harry Hussey Michael McInnes Howard Coady Reginald Walsh Ernest Myers Aubrey Scott	Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Sheet Harbour Watt Section
<u>FIRE WARD</u>	Allister MacKenzie	Sheet Harbour

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 22

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	22D	Mrs. Helen Turner	Moser River
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	22A	John McCarney	Beaver Harbour
	22B	Cyril Scrivens	West Quoddy
	22C	Harold Shiers	Moose Head
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>		Carl E. Turner	Moser River
		Robert Parkin (Dr.)	Moser River
		Roy McDonald	Harrigan Cove
		Hector Smiley	Port Dufferin
		Gordon Turner	Ecum Secum Bridge
<u>OVERSEERS OF THE POOR</u>		Parker Turner	Moser River
		Earl Snow	Harrigan Cove
		Hector Smiley	Port Dufferin
		John D. Pye	Ecum Secum Bridge
<u>SANITARY INSPECTORS</u>		Alex Romkey	Necum Teuch
		Harold Whitman	Port Dufferin
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>		J. Fisher Holman	Moser River
		Samuel Pye	Ecum Secum Bridge
		Edgar Smiley	Port Dufferin
<u>POUND KEEPERS</u>		Edgar Smiley	Port Dufferin
		Gordon Turner	Ecum Secum Bridge
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	22A	Mrs. Kate Hartling	Port Dufferin
	22B	Mrs. Burton Gammon	West Quoddy
	22C	Mrs. Blair Bezanson	Moser River
	22D	Mrs. Kenneth Naugler	Moser River

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<u>CONSTABLES</u>		Harold Whitman	Port Dufferin
		Norman Smith	Necum Teuch
	(Not for dogs)	Alexander Romkey	Necum Teuch
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS & LUMBER</u>		Arch. A. Pye	Moser River
		Carl Turner	Moser River
		Keith Miller	Moser River
		George Turner	Moser River
		Gerald Turner	Moser River
		Ellis Lowe	Moser River
		Cecil Powell	Moser River
		Hector Smiley	Port Dufferin
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>		J. Fisher Holman	Moser River
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>		Hector Smiley	Port Dufferin
		Lewis Sharpe	Moser River
		Carl Moser	Moser River
		J. Fisher Holman	Moser River
		Ellis Lowe	Moser River

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 23

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	23A Cecil S. Kent	R.R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	23A Charles Archibald 23C Cecil Gammell	Upper Musquodoboit Dean, Upper Musquodoboit
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	George D. Burris Keith Mosher Charman Fraser Bertis Fleming	Upper Musquodoboit Upper Musquodoboit Upper Musquodoboit Dean, Upper Musquodoboit
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR (Chairman)</u>	Melvin E. Mosher Havelock Erskine Gordon Farnell	Upper Musquodoboit Upper Musquodoboit Upper Musquodoboit
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>	K. M. Erskine Harold Kent	Upper Musquodoboit R.R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	23A Mrs. Gordon Farnell 23C Mrs. Timothy P. Dean	Upper Musquodoboit Dean, Upper Musquodoboit

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<u>CONSTABLE</u>	Coldwyn Leslie	Upper Musquodoboit
<u>SHEEP VALUERS</u>	Dugald Archibald Orion Deal	Upper Musquodoboit R.R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS & LUMBER</u>	Cecil S. Kent C. H. Redmond Roy A. Hutchinson A. Franklin Smith Carl Whitman Bryden Stewart Evans Stewart Charles Weeks Arthur Hamilton Oscar Cheney Lawrence Dechman	R.R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit R.R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit R.R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit R.R. #1, Upper Musquodoboit R.R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit Upper Musquodoboit Upper Musquodoboit Upper Musquodoboit R. R. #1, Upper Musquodoboit Upper Musquodoboit R.R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>	Keith Mosher Stanley Price	Upper Musquodoboit Dean, Upper Musquodoboit

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 24

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>		G. S. Dickie	Middle Musquodoboit
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICERS</u>	24		
	24A	Mrs. Silver Hilchie	R. R. #2, Middle Musquodoboit
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>		Douglas Archibald	Middle Musquodoboit
		J. H. Bentley	Middle Musquodoboit
		Ira White	Middle Musquodoboit
<u>OVERSEERS OF THE POOR</u>		J. B. Archibald	Middle Musquodoboit
		Austin Miller	Middle Musquodoboit
		Frank Holman	Middle Musquodoboit
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>		Dr. Harvey Earle	Middle Musquodoboit
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	24	Bates Fraser	Middle Musquodoboit
	24A	Silver Hilchie	R. R. #2, Middle Musquodoboit
<u>FENCE VIEWER</u>		Fred Fulton	Middle Musquodoboit

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<u>CONSTABLES</u>		John McKeen	Middle Musquodoboit
		Warren Higgins	R. R. #2, Middle Musquodoboit
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>		L. L. Archibald	Middle Musquodoboit
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS & LUMBER</u>		William Annand	Chaswood
		Basil Daye	Middle Musquodoboit
		Frederick Higgins	Middle Musquodoboit
		George MacQuarrie	Middle Musquodoboit
		George S. Dickie	Middle Musquodoboit
<u>FIRE WARDS</u>	24	Ivan Cook	Middle Musquodoboit
		Kenneth Taylor	Chaswood, R.R.#2, Shubenacadie
		Wyman Hill	Middle Musquodoboit
		Charles Milner	Middle Musquodoboit
		Ronald Guild	Middle Musquodoboit
		Fred Redden	R. R. #4, Middle Musquodoboit
		Gordon Bellefontaine	R. R. #2, Middle Musquodoboit
	24A	Herbert Murphy	R. R. #2, Middle Musquodoboit
		Harry Horne	R. R. #2, Middle Musquodoboit

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 25

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	Guy Dickie	Meagher's Grant
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	Henry Killen	Elderbank
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>	Norman Cruikshank Carson Killen Guy Dickie Reginald Bayer	Elderbank Elderbank Meagher's Grant Meagher's Grant
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>	Leon Bayer Henry Killen Murray Killen	Meagher's Grant Elderbank Elderbank
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>	Leon Bayer	Meagher's Grant
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>	Ivan Cole Milton Innis	Elderbank Elderbank
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	25A) Murray Killen B)	Elderbank
<u>POUND KEEPERS</u>	William Dillman Dickson Sibley	Wyses Corner Meagher's Grant

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<u>CONSTABLE</u>	Murray Killen	Elderbank
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>	Perry Grant	Elderbank
<u>SURVEYORS OF LOGS, WOOD AND LUMBER</u>	Henry Killen Milton Innis Guy Dickie Melvin Sibley	Elderbank Elderbank Meagher's Grant Meagher's Grant
<u>FIRE WARD</u>	Oran Swinimer	Elderbank

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 26

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	(305)	Albert Hare	R.R. #1, Lantz, Hants Co.
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	(304)	Edward Nelson Jr.	Milford Station, Hants Co.
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>		Alex C. Isenor Stelman Isenor Charles Isenor Ian MacDonald	R.R. #1, Lantz, Hants Co. R.R. #1, Lantz, Hants Co. Gay's River, Col. Co. R.R. #2, Shubenacadie
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>		Harry Hines Louis Ashley Allan Macdonald	R.R. #1, Lantz, Hants Co. R.R. #1, Lantz, Hants Co. R.R. #2, Shubenacadie
<u>FENCE VIEWERS</u>		Stephen Isenor Edward Nelson, Jr. Watson Benjamin	R.R. #1, Lantz, Hants Co. Milford Station, Hants Co. Gay's River, Col. Co.
<u>REVISORS OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>	(304) (305)	Allan Macdonald Austin Miller	R.R. #2, Shubenacadie Lantz Siding, Halifax Co.

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<u>CONSTABLES</u>	Murray Rankin Bernard Isenor	Gay's River, Col. Co. R.R. #1, Lantz, Hants Co.
<u>SHEEP VALUER</u>	Frank Newman	R.R. #2, Shubenacadie
<u>FIRE WARD</u>	Murray Rankin	Gay's River, Col. Co.

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CONSTABLES

	Timothy Ledwidge	Enfield
(Not for Dogs)	Frank E. Miller	Waverley
	William Wyatt	Windsor Junction
	Jack Peverill	Middle Sackville
	Leopold Ward	Beaver Bank
	S. P. Donovan	Bedford
(Sackville Downs)	Gordon Dalrymple	Lower Sackville

SURVEYORS OF LOGS

	Laurie Ledwidge	Enfield
	Alfred V. MacDowell	Enfield
	Laurie Lively	Middle Sackville
	Purl E. Gilby	Beaver Bank
	Frank E. Miller	Waverley

FIRE WARDS

	Laurie Ledwidge	Enfield
	George Roscoe	Wellington
	George Barry	Wellington
	Charles Swim	Wellington
	H. Callard Brimicombe	Wellington
	Raymond Mason	Wellington
	Frank E. Miller	Waverley
	Gordon Carter	Middle Sackville
	James W. Hardy	Bedford

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OFFICERS DISTRICT NO. 28

<u>PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	28A	A. C. MacNeil	South Woodside
<u>DEPUTY PRESIDING OFFICER</u>	28B	Donald Logan	South Woodside
<u>BOARD OF HEALTH (Chairman)</u>		G. Roy Flawn Carl Beaver Leo Dunn William MacKenzie Walter Gates	65 Hawthorne St. Dartmouth 13 Cuisack St. North Woodside 31 Cuisack St. North Woodside 226 Pleasant St. North Woodside South Woodside
<u>OVERSEERS OF POOR</u>		Alfred Peach Lyle Power	21 Cuisack St. North Woodside South Woodside
<u>SANITARY INSPECTOR</u>		Leo Dunn	31 Cuisack St., North Woodside
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>		A. C. MacNeil	South Woodside
<u>REVISOR OF ELECTORAL LISTS</u>		Stanley Baker	271 Pleasant St., North Woodside

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

<u>CONSTABLES</u>		Vincent Pettipas Reginald Hunter	South Woodside South Woodside
(NOVA SCOTIA HOSPITAL)		Frederick Gaudet Robert Stevens Harry Dares	Cr. Renfrew & Pleasant Sts North Woodside Pleasant St. North Woodside 11 Bolton Terrace, Dartmouth
(IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED)		Gilbert G. Bellefontaine Harold R. Siteman Eldon J. Dauphinee Max Ingram Walter Hopkins Arthur C. Eldershaw	269 Pleasant St. Woodside Imperoyal Post Office Eastern Passage 89 Albro Lake Road, Dartmouth 87 Queen St. Dartmouth Springhill Rd., Tufts Cove
<u>FIRE WARD</u>		Reginald Hunter	South Woodside

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