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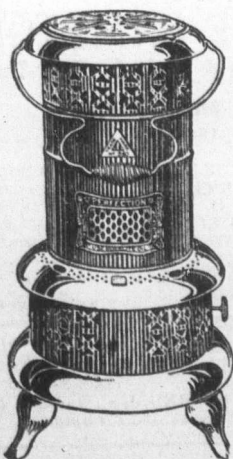
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WATFORD COUNCIL.

Watford, Sept. 9, 1918.
Special meeting of Council at call of Reeve, to consider by-law re rates and taxes and general business.
Present, Reeve, Harper, Doan, Taylor and Hollingsworth.
Minutes of last special meeting read, no objections, Reeve confirmed same.
Fitzgerald—Harper, that by-law No. 8 for levying of rates and taxes and collecting of same, for the corporation of the Village of Watford for 1918, be read first time.—Carried and by-law read.
Hollingsworth—Doan, that by-law No. 8 be read second time, and filled in with the several rates. Motion not voted on pending information.
Taylor—Harper, that Geo. Stevenson be notified by Clerk to replace tile and fix drain on Warwick street from his place south to Huron street.—Carried.
Doan—Hollingsworth, that Reeve notify Mrs. Chambers to repair sidewalk on west side of her factory immediately.—Carried.
Finance committee examined accounts and recommended payment:—
Hydro Electric Com. light acct. \$ 130 81
S. James, draying acct. \$ 10
Treas. Bd. Ed. Public School. 150 00
Wm. Lamb, cutting weeds. 6 00
J. F. Elliot, salary for August and acct Creasey. 15 25
Ed. Clark, labor. 6 50
J. S. Williams, labor. 50
C. Pease, cutting weeds. 9 00
Harper—Hollingsworth, that accounts be passed and Reeve grant his order.—Carried.
Harper—Doan, that we adjourn until Wednesday 11th inst. at 8 o'clock p. m.—Carried.
W. S. FULLER, CLERK.

BROOKE COUNCIL.

Inwood, Sept. 7, 1918.
Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting read and adopted.
Communication:
From Invincible Red Cross Society asking for a grant in aid of Red Cross work.
Sutton—Johnston—that the sum of \$30 be granted.—Carried.
Mr. David Leacock served notice to have the Leacock Award Drain No. 2 repaired.
Sutton—Oke—that Clerk notify interested parties to repair their respective portions at once.—Carried.
Mr. Fred Atchison and John R. Pollock served notice that Harry Eastbrook, Ben Cowan and Ern. Cowan had not done their share of repairing the Gilliland Award Drain and requested to have same done inside 30 days.
Johnston—Sutton—that the notice be forwarded the Engineer for to enforce the repairing of their respective portions.—Carried.
Brooke Municipal Telephone System asked that \$571. be advanced for Telephone purposes. Granted on motion by Johnson and Atkin.
Oke—Sutton—that Miss Maddock be paid \$15.00 for one lamb killed by dogs and John Douglas be paid \$15.00 for one lamb killed by dogs.—Carried.
Sutton—Atkin—that adjourned Court of Revision on 3-4 Side Road and 8-9 Con. Road Drain by-law be reopened.—Carried.
Sutton—Johnson—that Court adjourn to open at 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday the 12th day of Oct., 1918.—Carried.
Sutton—Johnston—that Council open as a Court of Revision on By-law authorizing construction of McIntyre-Zavitz drain. Reeve in the chair.—Carried.
Declarations taken before Clerk.
One appeal, G. T. R. Co.
Mr. H. B. Kippen in behalf of G. T. R. Co. said, consider the G. T. R. Co. should not be assessed for benefit as the estimat-

ed cost of 12 inch cast iron pipe under the tracks is \$250, together with \$25 cost of application to Board of Railway Commissioners of Canada and as there is now a culvert at this particular point, I consider lands are over assessed.

Sutton—Oke—that Court adjourn to open at 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday the 12th day of Oct. 1918 in Code's Hall, Alvinston.—Carried.

By-law submitted and read authorizing repairs to the Brooke and Euphemia Townline and Bryan-Johnston drains and to borrow by issue of debentures the sum of \$454 for completing the same.

Johnston—Sutton—that By-law be read a second time.—Carried.

Sutton—Oke—that as assessment on the Brooke-Euphemia Townline and Bryan-Johnston drains is pro rata on assessment of by-laws of 1909 and 1911 being by-laws authorizing repairs to said drains that By-law be now read a third time and finally passed and Mr. C. Atkin be appointed Commissioner to oversee the work.—Carried.

Mr. A. E. Sutton, Commissioner in charge of repairs to Stewart-Douglas Drain, reported the work completed. Expenditures \$641.52 balance to credit of drain \$35.22 leaving \$606.30 to be pro rata on lands assessed for construction of said drain.

Sutton—Johnston, that report be adopted and by-law be prepared as per agreement of petitioners.—Carried.

Atkin—Sutton—that repairing of the Leitch Bridge by re flooring or other necessary repairs be left with L. W. Oke.—Carried.

Sutton—that Clerk notify Municipality of Alvinston to pay over the drainage assessment due Brooke at once or same will be placed in Court for collection.—Carried.

Atkin—Johnston—that Council do now adjourn to meet in Code's Hall, Alvinston Saturday the 12th day of Oct. 1918.—Carried.

W. J. WEED, CLERK.

Pastors' Conference

A conference of the pastors of the Middlesex and Lambton Association of Baptist Churches will be held in the Watford Baptist church on Tuesday and Wednesday next, when the following program will be given.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th

AFTERNOON SESSION 2.30
Devotional Exercises—Rev. J. R. Baldwin, B. Th., Mt. Brydges.
Minutes and Business.
Review of "What is Christianity" (Professor Cross)—Rev. J. D. McLachlan B. A., Strathroy.
Discussion.
"The Life of John Davis"—Rev. Thos. Bingham, Parkhill.
Review of "Our Dominion"—Rev. R. McKay, B. A., Sarnia.
Discussion.

EVENING SESSION 7.45

Song Service—Rev. J. N. Norton, London.
Devotional Exercises—Rev. Jno. Trickey, Popular Hill.
Sermon and Closing—Rev. P. G. Buck, B. A., Forest.
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18th
MORNING SESSION 9.00
Devotional—Rev. E. J. Harris, B. A.,

Sarvia Township.

Business.
Biographical Sketch (Frances Ridley Havergal)—Pastor H. C. Martin, Court-right.

Discussion.
Review of "Studies for Personal Workers"—Rev. A. J. Loveday, Brooke and Enniskillen.

Discussion.
Biographical Sketch (D. L. Moody)—Pastor Chas. Greer, West Nisourri.

Discussion.
The public cordially invited. The song service on Tuesday evening will be of a specially interesting and inspiring nature and all should avail themselves of privilege of attending.

CURING SKIN TROUBLES

So many people, both men and women, suffer from skin troubles, such as eczema blotches, pimples and irritation that a word of advice is necessary. It is a great mistake for such sufferers and those with bad complexion to smear themselves with greasy ointments. Often they could not do anything worse, for the grease clogs the pores of the troubled skin and their condition actually becomes worse.

When there are pimples or eruptions, or an irritating or itching rash, a soothing boric acid solution may help to allay the irritation, but of course that does not cure the trouble. Skin complaints come from an impure condition of the blood and will persist until the blood is thoroughly purified. It is well known that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have effected the best results in many forms of skin disorders and blemishes. This is due to the fact that these pills make new, rich blood, and that this new blood attacks the impurities that give rise to skin troubles and disperses them; so that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure skin disorders from within the system—the only sure way.

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Town Man and Farmer

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"Quite so," the honest farmer said, "At half past three I leave my bed. The horrid sound of War's alarm has made me tackle this old farm and raise the chickens without stops besides my ordinary crops. And I'll be true unto my trust and raise a bumper crop or bust. But here I pause in my hard task to bow my head and humbly ask, 'What have you gentlemen with all your prate, done for us farmers up to date?'"

The town man threw his hands on high then pulled them down to loudly cry: "Ungrateful agriculturist, by cold rains soaked and hot winds kissed, do you not know that we are through when we have told you what to do?"

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