

**CAPITAL & RESERVE - \$4,000,000**  
**TOTAL ASSETS - \$13,000,000**

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**CARLETON PLACE COUNCIL**

The regular monthly meeting of the Carleton Place Town Council was held last evening, the Mayor in the chair and every member present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

**COMMUNICATIONS**

The County Clerk notified the Council that Carleton Place's levy for this year was \$10,455.

A letter was received from the Eastern Ontario Good Roads Association, soliciting a grant of \$50.00.

A circular was read from the Ontario premier referring to the enormous yearly losses by fire and suggesting organization to combat same, a convention to be held in Toronto Aug. 30th, October 9th to be made Fire Prevention Day.

A letter was read from the Hawthorn Mills requesting a fixed assessment of \$25,000 for ten years, they purposing to enlarge the mills by an expenditure of \$40,000 to \$50,000.

A circular was read announcing a meeting of the Fire Chiefs in Toronto Sept. 28-30.

A letter was read from the Municipal Association of Ontario requesting membership.

A number of accounts were read and referred.

**THE HAWTHORN MILLS**

On motion Mr. C. McIntosh was heard on behalf of the request of the Hawthorn Mills. He reviewed the history of this property showing how it had lain idle for many years. In 1914 Mr. Bates had rented the mill and the following spring with Mr. Rich. Thomson they purchased the mill. Due to the expiration of the project a fixed assessment was granted of \$9,000, and this agreement has six years yet to run. The mills had prospered and now required more accommodation, that would cost from \$40,000 to \$50,000. Purposed tearing down present boiler house and new boiler house, new building to the river, leaving road open as at present. The firm want a ten years agreement and were agreeable to having it fixed at \$25,000. Last year the company's wage roll was \$80,000. For first half of this year it was \$60,000, and 200 people were employed, besides much work was being done outside the mill. The firm was a great asset to the town, and if the extension was made it would mean a great benefit to the town. Suggested that Council have a joint conference with the Board of Trade to discuss the project.

Mr. Pattie gave notice of his intention to introduce at next meeting a bylaw to levy the rate of taxation for the current year.

Mr. McRostie, for the wood committee, reported the wood cut so far had cost \$5.06 per cord. The rate for insuring wood was 8 p.c. which seemed high. Had measured the lot and found it was about 25 acres, and about ten acres had been cleared. The following is the report:

August 12th, 1918.

We, the Wood Committee, beg leave to report as follows:

Number of cords cut since last meeting, 86; expense for same: Wages—Henry Evey, \$11.25; Thomas Dowdall, \$7.50; Fred. Labette, \$102.75; Moore Knowles, \$121.50; Equipment, \$1.00; Total, \$244.00.

Total expenditure—Wood lot, \$1,390.99; W. Bailey, open fire inspection, \$3.00; equipment, \$118.86; wages, \$1,630.62; total, \$3,052.48. Receipts—A. Dunlop for wood, \$30.00. Balance \$33,022.48.

Wood Account and Cost—484 cords wood at \$1.50, \$726.00; one half equipment, \$94.43; wages to date, \$2,630.62; total \$2,451.05; Cost per cord \$5.06 1/2.

Wood cut—4 ft. hard, 238 1/2 cords; 2 ft. hard, 8 cords; 16 ft. hard, 80 cords; 4 ft. soft, 108 1/2 cords, total, 486 cords.

Mr. Cameron, on behalf of the Pig Committee, said they would have all the pigs cleared out by Wednesday and would report afterward.

The Mayor said there would probably be a loss on the project.

Mr. Riddell suggested that it would be counteracted by the town garden.

It was moved by Mr. Donald, seconded by Mr. Edwards, that this Council make a grant of \$10.00 to the Eastern Ontario Good Roads Association as a membership fee.—Carried.

**ACCOUNTS PASSED**

Moved by Mr. Pattie, seconded by Mr. Cameron, that the following accounts be paid and that the Mayor sign the necessary orders on the Treasurer. J. Ashfield, rolling tubs in boiler, \$3.50; Samuel Wilson, wagon, \$83.60; Bolton Douglas, oats, \$50.00; J. H. Scott, attending Court of Revision and expenses, \$7.25; C. F. Burgess, straw, \$2.61; H. Brown & Sons, street lighting \$421.15; Hall lighting, \$56.85; Lamps, \$12.60; 500 60 Waterworks Com., Water for hall pay sheet ending August 10th., \$5.19; Taylor Bros., sundries, sts, \$25.07; hall \$6.16; \$31.23.—Carried.

The Mayor stated that he had received from Messrs. H. Brown & Sons a price on their power and light plant.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Minutes of regular meeting held in Council Chamber Tuesday Aug. 6th, 1918.

Present: Messrs. McIntosh, chairman, and Fulton, Nichols, Cram, Caswell, Patterson, Richards, Warren and Cornell.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Letters were received from Miss Stella May, resigning her position on the teaching staff of the Public School; From Misses H. Cram, E. Robertson and A. L. Menzies applying for positions on the teaching staff of the Public School.

A number of accounts were received and the Finance Committee recommended payment as follows:—

**HIGH SCHOOL**

C.P. Waterworks Commission, water supply, \$2.50  
Mr. L. M. Tetlock, cleaning pipes etc 6.75  
The G. M. Hendry Co., Hyloplate Blackboard, 28.00  
Messrs. Taylor Bros., coal, 29.72

**PUBLIC SCHOOL**

Mr. L. M. Tetlock, removing ice, \$3.00  
Mr. F. Morris, coal, 77.42  
The G. M. Hendry Co., Hyloplate Blackboard, 266.00  
Messrs. Morgan & Co., Insurance Premium, 28.00  
Mr. W. H. Mathews, repairs, 1.75  
Mr. C. H. Abbott, ft. paid on B. boards, 6.06

\$382.23

Moved by Mr. Fulton, seconded by Mr. Nichols, the above report be adopted.—Carried.

The resignation of Miss May, on motion of Mr. Warren, seconded by Mr. Cornell, was accepted.

The applications for positions as Public School teachers were read, considered and the following motion was moved by Mr. Patterson, seconded by Mr. Caswell, that Miss Hilda Cram be teacher of the Public School staff.—Carried.

There was no representative of either of the local papers present at this meeting, the Secretary was requested to make entry in the minutes to that effect.

C. H. ABBOTT, Sec.

**Organize to Prevent Fire Wastage**

It is generally recognized, by thinking men and women, that the Fire Wastage in the Province of Ontario as well as throughout the Dominion, is a serious drain on our National Wealth and Resources. It is conceded that something must be done, and done in an efficient way, to check the enormous losses for the payment of which we are all contributing either directly or indirectly. With these thoughts in mind, a meeting for the purpose of forming a Provincial Fire Prevention League to foster and promote such propaganda as shall be decided upon, and arrange for the proper observance of October 9th as Fire Prevention Day, which day has been adopted by general consent for this purpose throughout North America. It is proposed to hold this meeting in the Parliament Buildings, Toronto, on Friday, August 30th. All interested are invited to attend. Further information may be had from Mr. Geo. F. Lewis, deputy fire marshal, 153 University Avenue, Toronto.

**The Mystic Letter "B."**

In the opinion of Dr. Frank T. Shutt, assistant director at the Experimental Farm, the letter which observers of natural phenomena have found on oat leaves, and whose presence they have interpreted as forecasting the end of the war, is not a "B" nor the figure "8" either, but possibly the letter "R" instead. But Dr. Shutt does not consider the mark as a good omen. Instead, he says that its real portent is that another war must be waged—not against the Hun, but against rust, which destroys thousands of dollars worth of grain every year. It is not an unusual occurrence for rust to form in the shape of the letter "R" on oat leaves, but every year since the war started credulous persons, seeing the letters for the first time, have jumped at the conclusion that it is a mystic sign foretelling the end of the war or the end of the world in the immediate future.

Street car fares in Detroit have been increased to six cents.

which had been forwarded to the Hydro Electric Co. and seemed reasonable to them. Was awaiting action by the Hydro Commission before making the details public.

The request of the Hawthorn Mills Ltd. was left over for a special meeting. The Mayor reported a couple of cases of distress in town that should be attended to, also to the appointment of a Medical Health Officer.

The Council then adjourned.

**Chances in War**

Based on the mortality statistics of the allied armies, a soldier's chances, according to the New York Times, are as follows:

Twenty-nine chances of coming home to one chance of being killed.

Forty-nine chances of recovering from wounds to one chance of dying from them.

One chance in 500 of losing a limb.

The element of chance was put in a different way in a post card circulated among the Canadians overseas. In this case the number of chances was limited to two: You may be drafted and you may not; if drafted you may get overseas and you may not; if you go overseas you may go to France and you may not; if you get to France you may be wounded and you may not; if you are wounded you may be sent to England and you may not; if wounded you may die and you may not. You still have two chances.

**Where he Was Dense**

At a dinner in Edinburgh, Baron Kuchel, principal of Tokio University, was a guest. An Englishman present told the story of a Scotchman who went to his dentist with an aching tooth and was asked if he would have gas; he replied that he would, but should like to count his money first. Everybody laughed but the baron. A Scotchman attempted to explain the joke as to the alleged foibles of his race; the baron remained impassive. Others tried, but the baron said, "I do not understand." Finally he stopped the explanations. "Gentlemen," he said, "you do not understand what I do not understand." His listeners gave rapt attention. "What I do not understand," he went on, "is not why the Scotchman said what he did, but how any Scotchman should not know, at any time, without having to count it, how much money he has in his pockets." The laugh was on the hosts of the "dense" Oriental.

**A Brass Finisher**

The son of a rich father decided that he ought to enlist, and went to the recruiting station. He was asked his occupation.

"Why—er—well, just running through the gov-nor's money, don't you know," was the reply.

The officer seemed in doubt how to classify him, when a corporal standing near came to his assistance with a brilliant suggestion.

"Put him down as a brass finisher, sir," he said.

The Frankfurter Zeitung admits that General Foch is a good soldier, and that his strategy has been crowned with success.

The Militia Department has issued an order applicable to all parts of Canada governing harvest leave, limited to six weeks, and cancelable at any time by wire or letter.

Work Saturday—deal being made to negroes in the Southern States, who are reminded that they would greatly increase their yield of corn and cotton. It has been customary throughout the South for labour especially on the farms to take a holiday each Saturday.

**REGARDING**

**PILOT MOUND, MAN.**

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**AGRICULTURAL CENTRE**

EVERY CONDITION at present prevailing in Our Province, and in this district especially, permit of the favourable comparison of Our Community with the Provinces West, and of getting it once again into prominence with Eastern Canadians.

Carleton Place and Perth were the two parents of Pilot Mound in the early days. We now require more of your younger generation to help take up several dozen farms to be sold in this district, mostly by owners drafted for Military Service.

There is no more fertile prairie, and no more substantial and attractive district in Western Canada, and there is no better crop prospect in Western Canada at present.

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**W. S. SMITH**

AND OTHERS

**PILOT MOUND - MANITOBA**

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

**The First Line of Defense**

Pure blood is the body's first line of defense against disease. Strong, healthy blood neutralizes the poisons of invading germs, or destroy the germs themselves. That is why many people exposed to disease do not contract it. Those whose blood is weak and watery and therefore lacking in defensive power are most liable to infection. Everybody may observe that healthy, red-blooded people are less liable to colds and the grippe, than pale, bloodless people. It is the bloodless people who tire easily, who are short of breath at slight exertion, who have poor appetites, and who wake up in the morning as tired as when they went to bed. While women and girls chiefly suffer from bloodlessness the trouble also affects both boys and men. It simply affects girls and women to a greater extent because there is a greater demand upon their blood supply.

To renew and build up the blood there is no remedy can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They tone up the entire system, make the blood rich and red, feed and strengthen starving nerves, increase the appetite, put color in the cheeks, give refreshing sleep and drive away that unnatural tired feeling. Plenty of sunlight and wholesome food will do the rest.

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**Just Temporarily**

There were ominous signs of a brewing storm in the night sleeper.

"Look here," thundered the man in the lower berth, "I want you to stop that snoring up there. Do you hear?"

"What's that?" mumbled the humorous fat man in the upper berth. "What am I doing?"

"Why, you are creating a disturbance by snoring like an elephant. If you can't be a gentleman everywhere you must be one while you are up there. Understand?"

The fat man chuckled softly.

"Oh, I see the point now."

"What point?"

"Why, you want me to be a gentleman by berth."

And the next moment he dodged an umbrella, two suit cases and six shoes.

—Chicago News.

Thirteen thousand, nine hundred and forty-one recruits for the Canadian Expeditionary Force were secured during July in Canada, the United States and England.

**CHURCH DIRECTORY.**

Topics where given are for the following Sabbath

**Baptist Church**

REV. MR. J. F. FORSYTHE, Pastor.

Services—11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

A.M.—The Incarnation.  
P.M.—Seeing Too Far.

**St. Andrews Church**

REV. J. MONDS, B.A., Pastor.

Services—11 a.m. and 8 p.m.

Rev. A. H. Scott of Perth to preach.

**Methodist Church**

REV. ELWOOD LAWSON, Pastor.

Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Mr. W. J. Cairns, Ottawa, to preach.

**St. James Church**

REV. CANON ELLIOTT, Rector.

Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

**Zion Presbyterian Church**

REV. W. A. DOBSON, B.A., B.D., pastor

Services—11 a.m. and 8 p.m.

Union services in St. Andrew's during September.

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We ask that each and every business and professional man make use of the home printing office for his supplies and advertising, our interests are mutual, and so strengthen our local industries.

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