

Annual School Report

District No. 6, Farmington Township

Minutes of the annual meeting of School District No. 6, Farmington Township, Oakland County, Michigan, July 13, 1931:

The annual meeting was held at the Wm. Grace School on July 13, 1931. The meeting was called to order by the President at 8:20 p. m. Minutes of the previous annual meeting of July 14, 1930 were read and the treasurer's report was read.

Motion made by Mr. Werschlin and supported by Mr. Brooks that the secretary's and treasurer's reports be accepted. Motion made by Mr. Oldham that the chair appoint the tellers for the election of two new board members, was supported by Mr. George Schulkins. Motion carried.

The chair then appointed Mr. Schulkins, Mr. Finn Mr. Livingston and Mr. Brooks as tellers.

Motion made by Mr. Bayer, supported by Mr. Werschlin that Mr. Carl Smith be nominated. Nomination of Mr. McCullough by Mr. Brooks was supported by Mr. Hoffman. Mr. Oldham moved that the nominations be closed.

Ballots cast, 66; Carl Smith, 47; McCullough, 19; Carl Smith elected trustee.

Mr. Wilkinson was nominated by Mr. Werschlin, supported by Mr. Worster. Mrs. Gregor was nominated by Miss Noble, supported by Mr. Hoffman. Mr. Oldham moved that the nominations be closed.

Ballots cast, 65; Mrs. Gregor, 17; Mr. Wilkinson, 48.

Motion made by Mr. Schulkins that full tuition be paid for the past and coming year, was supported by Mrs. Gregor. Carried, 47 votes in favor.

Motion made by Mr. Werschlin, supported by Mrs. Schoenberger to accept the resolution adopted by the Board in ratifying the minutes of the 1925, 26, 27 and 1928 minutes which were never signed and a question of the legality of the action taken at that time. Carried.

Motion by Mr. Oldham that we put Building and Site Fund in the General Fund was supported by Mr. Schulkins. Carried.

Motion made by Mr. Oldham that we have full day sessions and necessary rooms and sufficient teachers hired, at least five, supported by Mr. Werschlin. Carried.

Motion made by Mr. Oldham that the School Board call a special meeting within two weeks to vote on whether or not the district shall build a temporary school, supported by Mr. Werschlin. Carried.

Motion made by Mr. Hoffman, supported by Mr. Schulkins to adjourn. Carried. Time, 10:10 p. m.

Signed, MARTHA NOBLE, Secy.

FINANCIAL

Amount of Money on Hand July 1, 1930

Table with columns for fund types (Sinking Fund, General Fund deficit, Sites and Building, Library Fund) and amounts. Includes sub-sections for Receipts and Total Receipts.

Table showing Primary, Sinking Fund, General Fund, Sites and Building, and Library Fund amounts.

Total receipts 14,515.73

Bal. from last year 2,639.43

Bonded indebtedness 27,000.00

Note Peoples' Sav. & Loan 5,000.00

Voted Tax collected and unpaid 9,555.27

Balance in Library Fund 7.78

Balance in General Fund 114.73

Balance in Bldg. and Sites Fund 1,731.03

1,853.64

Operation of School

Table listing dates and orders for school operations, including Detroit Edison, Light and Power, and various janitor salaries.

Supplies General

Table listing various supplies and their costs, including Turner and Clark coal, Farmington Lumber and Coal, and Farmington Drug Co. Medical supplies.

Up-Keep

Table listing up-keep expenses such as Farmington Hardware Co. glass and Tape, Farmington Hardware Co. material for mending furnace, and Farmington State Savings Bank.

Fixed Charges

Table listing fixed charges including Farmington State Savings Bank, Bumpus and Co., and Clarenceville school.

Tuition

Table listing tuition for Irene Lyndon at Farmington Pub. School (19 pupils).

Library Fund

Table listing library fund expenses for Popular Mechanics and Sprague Pub. Co.

Text Books

Table listing text book purchases from John C. Winston and Chas. E. Merrill Co.

Transportation

Table listing transportation expenses for Olin Russell and Travelers Ins. Co.

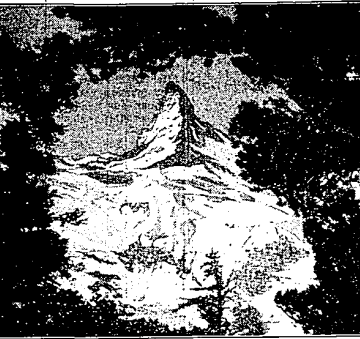
Table listing various expenses including Sinclair Refining Co. gas and oil, Wm. T. Brooks garage rent, and Farmington Drug Co. Medical supplies.

Administration

Table listing administrative expenses such as Willis T. Roberts, Treasurer's Bond, Farmington Enterprise printing report, and F. W. Lahr legal advice.

Total salaries paid teachers 6,954.20

How They Say "Number, Please?"



Ewing Galloway

IN SWITZERLAND When the American tourist in Switzerland calls up the folks back home to tell them of the thrill of his first glimpse of the Matterhorn, here shown picturequely outlined by Alpine pines, he doesn't hear the operator greet him with "Number, please?" But, depending upon the part of Switzerland from which he makes the call, he has his choice of hearing the exact equivalent of this expression repeated in any one of three different languages.

GIANT TELEPHONE POLES HELD MISSISSIPPI SPAN

When the telephone first crossed the Mississippi River at Burlington, La., two telephone poles, the tallest ever placed in the territory of what now comprises the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, were placed one on each side of the river.

These exceedingly tall poles were spliced like the masts of sailing vessels, with cross trees, by men who had been Great Lakes sailors before they became linemen; for it took a combination of sailor and lineman to climb up these poles, twisting and stretching over the cross trees.

These two poles supported a single span of steel wire known as plover steel, the hardest and strongest wire that it was possible to obtain at the time. Later, this wire broke, and it was replaced with phosphor bronze wire.

Ultimately, the tall poles were taken down, but it was not done until permission to put the wire on the railroad bridge was obtained, and such permission could not be obtained at first—which accounts for the use of the poles.

AUTO BUYING GREAT

Large industries in their purchases of automobiles in fleet quantities for commercial use apparently are paying little attention to "buying built" depressions, a survey of Chevrolet's fleet sales for the first six months of the year discloses.

Charging that his wife said she "married him just for spite," W. F. Hughes of Memphis filed suit for a divorce.

Their Report To You

In this week's issue of The Enterprise are reports of school district officials in this community.

The Statements by officials are reports to you of the condition of the school district's business. Every good citizen should read them with careful attention in order to have a thorough, accurate knowledge of the affairs of his district, and to be able to vote intelligently on whatever issues may appear from time to time.

To assist those whom you have elected and for your own advantage as a citizen, read the reports of your school district and aid in its progress.

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