Wednesday - April 13th.1932.

A meeting of the Council sitting as a committee of the whole on estimates was held at the Municipal Hall on Wednesday, April 13th. 1932 at 8 o'clock $p_{\bullet}m_{\bullet}$

Present: His Worship Reeve Pritchard in the chair.

Councillors Martin, Brown, Lambert, Lench, Wheatley, Gray and Hatherly.

The Engineer and Treasurersubmitted tabulation of tenders received for old castings and scrap and recommended that tender No.2. \$9.50 per ton F.O.B. Hall yard for Scrap iron and 6 cts per 1b. for scrap brass be accepted

Moved by Cr.Gray, Seconded by Cr.Wheatley: "That Tender No.2. be accepted, all weights subject to certified scales."

Carried unanimously.

C.G.Co-Operative Assn. attended and addressed the Committee.

Moved by Cr. Martin, Seconded by Cr. Wheatley: "That the subject matter of the C.G.Co-operative Assn. proposals be referred to the Standing Property committee."

Carried unanimously.

Moved by Cr.Martin, Seconded by Cr.Lambert: "That the Tax rate for 1932 be 57 mills on land and on 20% of improvements."

Carried - Crs.Wheatley and Hatherly against.

The committee then adjourned.

Confirmed.

Reeve.

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Cr.James Gray - Ward 6 submitted the following as his reasons for opposing the resolution of April 1st. re Five day week:

"I desire to have the reasons for my vote cast as apparently opposing the 5 day week for the Staffat Municipal Hall as I stated at meeting.

"I am in favor of the principle of the 5 day wek, and the motion as put was to close down the Hall to the Public to transact business on Saturday mornings. As a representative of the people on a public body rendering a public service I supported the idea of a 5 day week being granted by the Swing system of employees taking certain days off (a number of the Clerks could be off Saturday mornings) and not totally closing the Municipal Hall on Saturday mornings as called for by the motion and by so doing probably depriving some of our citizens of the opportunity of being able to transact business at the Municipal Hall on phr only, morning possible for them to do so without greatly inconveniencing themselves."

(sgd) James Gray. Cr.Ward 6.