

Municipality of West Kildonan Council History 1914–1919

March 16, 1914 – The first meeting of the Council of West Kildonan is held which also includes Old Kildonan, following the division of the Municipality of Kildonan at the Red River into the Municipality of West Kildonan and the Municipality of East Kildonan. First meeting held at 12 pm at the Municipal Offices in Room 215 in the Chamber of Commerce building in Winnipeg. The Reeve is Mr. E. Partridge and the Councillors are Mr. W. C. Smith, Mr. J. H. Gunn, Mr. Isaac Colish and Mr. Thomas Sly. Mr. Harry Thompson is appointed as the Acting Clerk and Secretary-Treasurer.

March 1914 – Council discusses the joint use of the ferry with East Kildonan as well as the distribution of the costs of repairing and running the ferry.

March 1914 – The C.P.R. is to ship gravel to the Gate City Brick Company for the use of West Kildonan at a reduced rate.

March 1914 – Mr. T. F. Coulthard is appointed as a Police Constable and Sanitary Inspector at \$75 per month.

March 1914 – Mr. Francis Edward William Eatwell is appointed the Municipal Engineer at \$1,400 per year.

March 1914 – Mr. A. Christie is to resume his position as Road Foreman at \$75 per month and he is told to open up all plugged ditches.

March 1914 – Mr. C. Arklie is notified that his services as police constable will not be required.

March 1914 – Local Improvements advertised,

Plank sidewalk to serve lots 32-41 in Block 39 and the east side of lots 20 and 41 Block 39, Plan 1290, Kildonan Parish Lot 9

Plank sidewalk on the south side of Maple between Main Street and Aikins Street

Plank sidewalk on the south side of Belmont Avenue from Norman Street (Jones Street) to Main Street

A public well to be sunk to serve lots 22-30 and Lots 32-40 Plan 1895, Kildonan Parish Lot 13 and lots 15-18 Block 3 and lots 1-14 in Plan 836 Kildonan Parish Lot 13

March 1914 – Regular meetings of council are to be held on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 2 pm

March 1914 – Thomas Little is appointed the Secretary-Treasurer at \$1,200 per year

March 1914 – The proposed plan of subdivision for Kildonan Parish Lot 14 is approved

March 1914 – The Kildonan & St. Paul Agricultural Society receives a grant of \$100

March 1914 – The City of Winnipeg is given permission to cross all streets and lanes for their proposed pipe line right of way.

March 1914 – Messrs. McKee, Carlyle and Garland are appointed as the Fiscal Agents for West Kildonan

March 1914 – Dr. Anderson is appointed the Health Officer for the balance of 1914 for \$200

March 1914 – The West Kildonan School Trustees are asked for space for the Municipal Offices in Centennial School

April 1914 – A sidewalk is advertised for Templeton Avenue from Main Street to Aikins

April 1914 – The Engineer is asked to examine the well on Newton Avenue and if he is unable to fix the problem a new well is to be advertised

April 1914 – Council asks for streetcar service to be extended on McGregor Street to the north side of Kildonan Parish Lot 4

April 1914 – West Kildonan asks the provincial government to place the municipality under the “Good Roads Act”

April 1914 – Mr. Houston is awarded the contract for scavenging for 1914 for a total of \$1,900

April 1914 – Mr. J. C. McLean is given the contract for well drilling in 1914

April 1914 – McGregor Avenue is to be opened across Kildonan Parish Lots 5-6

April 1914 – Mr. William Ballard is appointed the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer at \$60.00 per month

April 1914 – Mr. T. W. Taylor is appointed the Building Inspector at \$40.00 per month

April 1914 – The municipality’s banking business is to be conducted at the Imperial Bank of Canada in Winnipeg. Council is to borrow \$50,000 from the bank to meet current expenditures.

April 1914 – A concrete sidewalk is to be built on the east side of Main Street from the southern boundary to the north limits of Kildonan Park. Property owners on Main Street are to be assessed 75% of the cost with the municipality at large paying 25% of the cost

April 1914 – Local Improvements advertised for plank sidewalks

East side of Henderson Highway from the Kildonan Church to the north municipal limits

North side of Kenilworth Avenue from Gibson Street

North side of Armotfast in Block 2 Plan 828 between McGregor and west boundary of Plan 828

Both sides of Carruthers Avenue

West side of McGregor from the southern municipal limits to Hartford

South side of Foley Street between Main Street and the C.P.R. Selkirk Branch

Salter Street between Royal and Laird

North side of Seven Oaks Avenue between Main and the Red River

East side of Norman (Jones) from Randolph to Tait

Both sides Tait Avenue across Blocks 4-8

Scotia Street in Blocks 3 and 4 in the Seven Oaks Estate

North and south sides of Leila Avenue from Main to Scotia

North side of Red River Boulevard from Main to Scotia

April 1914 – West Kildonan is to be divided into four wards and each local improvement district is to confirm with the ward boundaries

April 1914 – The Sprague Lumber Company is awarded the contract for lumber for 1914

April 1914 – Main Street, McPhillips Street, Winnipeg Avenue and Murray Road are placed under the provisions of the Good Roads Act

April 1914 – Manitoba Government Telephones is asked to move the telephone from former Constable Arklio's house to Road Foreman's Christie's house on Armstrong Avenue

April 1914 – There are complaints about the condition of McPhillips Street near the St Paul boundary

April 1914 – Mr. Dooley is hired as the Weed Inspector for \$40 for the year

April 1914 – Mr. W. A. Piper is hired to lay plank sidewalks

April 1914 – The salary of Health Inspector Coulthard is increased by \$10 per month

April 1914 – A joint agreement is signed with the City of Winnipeg for a joint sewer to run from McPhillips Street to the Red River

April 1914 – A plank sidewalk is advertised for the south side of Royal Avenue between Powers and Andrews

April 1914 – A plank sidewalk is to be built on the south side of Maple Avenue between Aikins and Powers

April 1914 – A new well is to be sunk on Newton Avenue

April 1914 – The Local Improvement Assessor is to be paid 50 cents per hour while assessing local improvements

April 1914 – Local Improvement Estimates and time for property owners to pay local improvement

Plank Sidewalks - \$15,000 payable over 7 years

Cement Sidewalks - \$6,500 payable over 15 years

Fire and Municipal Hall - \$15,000 payable over 20 years

Water Drains - \$24,000 over 30 years

Forest and Scotia Openings - \$12,000 over 15 years

Openings to Winnipeg Avenue and Burrin Avenue - \$8,000 over 7 years

Sewer and Watermains are to be installed on

Scotia Street from Randolph along Tait to Mac – \$9,291 over 30 years

Seven Oaks Boulevard - \$7,171 over 30 years

Randolph Avenue Watermain - \$3,135 over 30 years

St Anthony Avenue Sewer and Watermain - \$10,000 over 30 years

Perth Avenue Sewer and Watermain - \$8,148 over 30 years

Kilbride Avenue Sewer and Watermain - \$6,448 over 30 years

Scotia Street Watermain and Sewer from Hartford to Kilbride – \$4,384 over 30 years

Main Street Watermain from Seven Oaks to Burrin - \$6,220 over 30 years

Red River Boulevard Sewer - \$3,000 over 30 years

Leila Avenue Sewer and watermain - \$10,383 over 30 years

Main Street paving - \$60,000 over 30 years

April 1914 – The fiscal agents are asked to sell debentures worth \$275,000

April 1914 – The municipality is to create a debt of \$13,500 to build a municipal fire hall

April 1914 – A watermain is to be advertised for Woodward Avenue from McPhillips to Main from Seven Oaks to the north limit of Sewer District 1

May 1914 – The Jewish Synagogue and the United Hebrew Cemetery are exempted from taxation

May 1914 – One mile of Jefferson Avenue and one mile of a gravel road in the north end of the municipality are to be entered into the Good Roads Competition

May 1914 – One of the pounds is to be transferred to Mr. Isaac Bercovith on Templeton Avenue

May 1914 – Council is to donate \$25 for prizes for children gardens

May 1914 – The Engineer is asked to take up his office space in Centennial School at the earliest possible moment

May 1914 – Property owners with access to watermains are to be charged 4 cents per foot frontage per year

May 1914 – Mr. James Newman is appointed as a Police Constable for night duty in West Kildonan from 6 pm to 12:30 am or later if necessary at \$75 per month

May 1914 – The ditch on the west side of McPhillips is to be cleaned out from the Kildonan Hygienic Dairy to Templeton Avenue

May 1914 – The Municipal Office staff is to vacate the Chamber of Commerce building in Winnipeg to move into Centennial School on July 11, 1914

May 1914 – A sewer is advertised for the east side of Main Street from the southern limits to Langford Avenue

May 1914 – Street name changes

Washington Avenue to Enniskillen Avenue

Randolph Avenue to Jefferson Avenue

Woodward Avenue to St Anthony Avenue

Fairfield Avenue to Perth Avenue

Pembroke Avenue to Kilbride Avenue

Ethel Avenue to Burrin Avenue

John Avenue to Kildonan Avenue

Maud Avenue to Royal Avenue

Maple Avenue to Forest Avenue

Winnipeg Avenue to Leila Avenue

Almen Avenue to Newton Avenue

Laird Avenue to Armstrong Avenue

Exhibition Avenue to Harper Avenue

Gentiles Avenue to Flett Avenue

Commonwealth Avenue to Fernbank Avenue

Ainslie Avenue to Red River Avenue

Red River Boulevard to Red River Avenue

May 1914 – The Jefferson Avenue Sewer is to be built from Aikins Street to the Red River at a cost of \$59,406.50 with the work to be done by Fowler and Young

May 1914 – The well in the Park Manor Addition is advertised as a local improvement

May 1914 – The concrete sidewalk construction on the east side of Main Street is awarded to Dominion Construction for \$7,177.64

June 1914 – Mr. Bunn is hired by the Engineer's Department on local improvements at \$80 per month until all work is completed

June 1914 – The outer two miles of the municipality south of the Bergen Cut-off are exempted from the Herd Law but all cattle must be kept west of the C.P.R. Selkirk Branch

June 1914 – East Kildonan is asked to pay their share of the ferry costs monthly on the basis formerly agreed upon

June 1914 – Constable Newman is to be sworn in as a Provincial Constable

June 1914 – A well is advertised for Park Manor for the whole of block 14 facing on Ridge Crest Avenue

June 1914 – Wells are to be built on Armetta Avenue opposite Lot 7 Block 2 Kildonan Parish Lot 4 Plan 643 and at the corner of Aikins and Leila Avenue

June 1914 – John De Wilde is appointed a Poundkeeper

June 1914 – Lumber supplied by Sprague Lumber Company is supplied at \$22.50 per 100 feet

June 1914 – Sewers are to be constructed by Dominion Construction on

Smithfield Avenue - \$4,052

Scotia Street - \$3,255.15

Seven Oaks Avenue – \$2,543.20

Tait and Mac - \$3,226.85

June 1914 – The salary of Mr. Christie, the Road Foreman is increased by \$10 per month

June 1914 – A watermain is advertised for Semple Avenue from Salter to Scotia and on Burrin Avenue from Salter to Main

June 1914 – Mr. W. Grant is to be paid \$3 per day while operating the road grader

June 1914 – Contracts for sewers are awarded to Thomas Jackson and Son

St Anthony Avenue - \$1,966.50

Kilbride Avenue - \$1,791.40

Perth Avenue - \$1,936.70

Red River Boulevard - \$5,868.10

June 1914 – The Road Foreman is asked to remove the fire hall building on Main Street to the building site at the northwest corner of Hartford and Aikins

June 1914 – Mr. Taylor is appointed Inspector on the construction of the new fire hall at \$75 per month

June 1914 – An Inspector is to be hired for the Jefferson Avenue sewer at \$4 per day

June 1914 – Miss Newton is to be hired for writing up the frontage tax on local improvements

June 1914 – Mr. Cassidy is appointed the Assessor for 1914

July 1914 – The Municipal Offices are now in Centennial School

July 1914 – The location of the well at Park Manor is to be changed from Block 14 to Block 15

July 1914 – A plank sidewalk is advertised for the north side of Royal Avenue from Powers to Andrew Street

July 1914 – Mr. Grace is to be paid \$15 per month while acting as caretaker for the municipal offices

July 1914 – Watermain construction contracts are awarded to Thomas Jackson and Son for

Tait Avenue - \$2,571

Mac Street - \$974

St Anthony Avenue - \$2,285.50

Perth Avenue - \$2,132

Kilbride Avenue - \$1,481

Seven Oaks Boulevard – \$2,897

Smithfield Avenue - \$5,154

Randolph Avenue - \$3,384

July 1914 – Watermain construction contracts are awarded to Dominion Construction Company

Main Street - \$15,594.30

Jefferson Avenue - \$22,571.44

Scotia Street - \$4,293.30

July 1914 – James Elder is appointed as a Local Improvement Assessor

July 1914 – Mr. Hansom is hired to lay the plank sidewalk on the west side of Main Street at 35 cents per hour with his assistant to be paid 25 cents per hour

July 1914 – A ditch is to be constructed on Parr Street from Templeton to Kildonan Avenue

July 1914 – The municipal bank account is transferred from the Imperial Bank of Canada to the Bank of Nova Scotia

July 1914 – A plank sidewalk is advertised for the south side of Forest Avenue from Powers Street to Andrews Street

July 1914 – Public Wells are advertised for the corner of Pembroke and McGregor and on Benn Street in Block 9 between McLean and Shirley

July 1914 – All property owners with barbwire fences adjacent to sidewalks are ordered to remove them for safety reasons

July 1914 – The Secretary-Treasurer's salary is increased to \$1,500 per year while the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer's salary is increased by \$180 per year

July 1914 – West Kildonan is to pay \$1,000 to the Winnipeg Parks Board as a grant to the Parks Board for the use of Kildonan Park by West Kildonan residents

July 1914 – Local Improvement Estimates

Sewer and water on Semple from Main to Salter - \$4,072

Sewer and water on Burrin Avenue from Main to Aikins - \$2,974

Sewer on Leila Avenue - \$7,876

Sewer and water on Rupertsland Boulevard - \$3,550

Watermain on Red River Boulevard - \$5,632

Sewer and water on Scotia - \$7,512

Paving of Partridge Avenue from Main to Salter - \$8,295

Sewer on Norman (Jones) from Tait to Perth - \$1,123

Meter house on Jefferson Avenue - \$2,549

July 1914 – An extra \$35,000 is to be borrowed to pay for local improvements

August 1914 – A cheque of \$50 is given to the Manitoba Good Roads Association for the annual membership fee

August 1914 – A plank sidewalk is to be laid on the west side of Main Street from the Home of the Friendless to opposite Kildonan Park

August 1914 – Woodward Avenue is to be graded from Salter Street to McGregor Street

August 1914 – Scotia Street is to be opened from Kildonan Park to the north end of the municipality

August 1914 – The Bank of Nova Scotia is to purchase \$77,000 worth of debentures and is to loan West Kildonan the further sum of \$90,000

August 1914 – All public works are ordered to be stopped except for the Main Street paving, the Jefferson Avenue sewer and the construction of the Municipal Fire Hall

August 1914 – Constable Newman is to receive \$15 and Mr. Taylor \$15 for collecting dog licenses with the rest of the money turned over to the Secretary-Treasurer

August 1914 – Mr. Taylor is to resume his duties as Building Inspector at an additional \$75 per month. Mr. Frank Winch is relieved of these duties and the services of Mr. Bunn is dispensed with

September 1914 – Mr. Treasure is appointed the Poundkeeper of Pound # 2 for the district west of the C.P.R. Selkirk Branch replacing Mr. P. Fairberg

September 1914 – Mr. Christie is told to put his own team on municipal work for which he is to be paid \$6 per day

September 1914 – Mr. Dooley, Weed Inspector services are to be terminated on September 15

September 1914 – The cesspool on Sheriff Inkster's property is to be investigated to see if it should be connected to the Seven Oaks sewer

October 1914 – All night soil is to be emptied every two weeks without exception

October 1914 – Norman Street (Jones) is to be graded from St Anthony Avenue to Belmont Avenue

October 1914 – Scotia Street is to be graded from Kilbride Avenue to Forest Avenue

October 1914 – All street numbering in West Kildonan is to conform to the street numbering in the City of Winnipeg

October 1914 – Scotia Street is to be laid out with a centre boulevard of 10 feet width and two driveways 16 feet wide

October 1914 – The well at the corner of Belmont and McKenzie is to be repaired

October 1914 – Only Kildonan teams are to be employed on the grading of the main roads

October 1914 – The Municipal Offices are relocated to Hartford and Aikins at 258 Hartford Avenue

October 1914 – The well on Templeton Avenue is to be deepened to a depth of 100 feet but if the water supply at that level is unsatisfactory then a deeper well can be dug

November 1914 – Norman Street (Jones) is to be opened and widened from the south limits to Armstrong Avenue. Salter, Powers, Andrews and McGregor are to be opened and widened from the south limits to Armstrong Avenue

November 1914 – Mr. T. W. Taylor is appointed the caretaker of the Municipal Chambers in addition to his present duties

November 1914 – Two guns are to be purchased for the Police Department

November 1914 – Photographer Mr. Gibson is hired to take 13 photographs of three different views of the Municipal Fire Hall and the interior for \$24

November 1914 – Quotations are called for the purchase of trees 6 or 7 feet tall

November 1914 – Men on Relief are to construct the Norman Street sewer at 20 cents per hour

November 1914 – Rev F. W. McKinnon, J. T. Buckley and H. Whittall are appointed the Deputy Returning Officers for the municipal elections

November 1914 – The Police Constables salaries are increased to \$90 per month

December 1914 – The Beachey Street well is to be cleaned out

December 1914 – For the Municipal Elections held on December 15, Deputy Returning Officers are paid \$6, Poll Clerks \$4 and Special Policemen \$3

December 1914 – Work on the Perth Avenue sewer is to begin

December 1914 – The Reeve is paid \$89.90 for 1914 and the four Councillors \$77.10 each

December 1914 – Mr. F. H. Nelson the Ferry Operator is paid \$100 for his year's work

The 1915 Minute Book is missing from the City of Winnipeg Archives

January 1916 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, H. A. Southall, Isaac Colish, R. Toshack and H. J. Seymour

January 1916 – Committees of Council

Board of Works and Property

Fire, Water and Light

Police and Health

Finance

Ferry and Bridge

Jefferson Avenue Sewer Commission

January 1916 – Miss B. Clark's salary is increased to \$70 per month

January 1916 – The general banking business is to be done at the Imperial Bank of Canada

January 1916 – Indemnities and expenses paid to the 1915 Municipal Council, Reeve Edmund Partridge - \$361.55, Councillor John H. Gunn - \$100, Councillor W. C. Smith - \$173.40, Councillor Thomas Sly - \$150.10 and Councillor Isaac Colish - \$100

January 1916 – Mr. A. Gelfand is given \$10 from the Patriotic Fund

January 1916 – The Salvation Army and the Grace Hospital receive grants of \$50

January 1916 – Mr. F. E. Eatwell is appointed the Engineer for 1916 and Mr. H. J. Symington is appointed the Municipal Engineer

January 1916 – A team of horses and harness is purchased for the Fire Department for \$400 and it also to be used for the Public Works Department

January 1916 – Mr. T. F. Coulthard is told to devote his time to the Health Department and he is to collect dog and team licenses, hospital bills and personal taxes at a salary of \$90 per month

January 1916 – Mr. James Newman is appointed as the Chief Constable at \$90 per month

February 1916 – The Patriotic Fund is granted the sum of \$1,000

February 1916 – Mrs. A. Taylor receives \$20 from the Patriotic Fund while Mrs. Furness is given \$10 from the Patriotic Fund

February 1916 – A grant of \$100 is given to the Returned Soldiers Manitoba Commission

February 1916 – Mr. G. J. Pike is hired as the teamster for the Fire Department and the Public Works Department for \$75 per month. He is to live close to the Fire Hall on Hartford Avenue and he is to be on call 24 hours per day, 7 days per week except for a 5 hour leave once a week

March 1916 – The West Kildonan School District levy is \$13,657.37 for 1916

March 1916 – West Kildonan is to write to East Kildonan about discontinuing the ferry

March 1916 – Mr. W. J. Pitts is appointed the Weed Inspector for \$250 for the season

March 1916 – Mr. John Delgarno is appointed the Scavenger for the 1916-1917 season for \$1,800

March 1916 – The West Kildonan Returned Soldiers Association receive a grant of \$50

March 1916 – Pound # 1 is to be located at the Municipal Yards with Mr. T. Taylor as Poundkeeper and Pound # 2 is to be discontinued

March 1916 – The contract for the supply of lumber in 1916 is awarded to Arbuthnot Lumber Company

March 1916 – West Kildonan is to borrow \$40,000 from the Imperial Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

March 1916 – Mr. Frank Winch resigns as Fire Chief to fight overseas

March 1916 – Employees of the municipality enlisting for overseas service are to be given their former positions with the municipality on their return should there be any work in their line

March 1916 – Mr. Taylor is appointed the Fire Chief and he arranges with the Engineer to find volunteers for the Fire Department

March 1916 – The Imperial Bank of Canada is to purchase \$30,000 of West Kildonan debentures

March 1916 – Mr. Phillips is given \$10 from the Patriotic Fund

March 1916 – Peddlers of milk are to pay a yearly \$1 license fee and the Public Health Act is to be enforced regarding dairies and the peddlers of milk

March 1916 – Mr. Coulthard is to take over the duties of truant officer for the West Kildonan School District

March 1916 – A total of 100 copies of the 1915 Auditor's Report are to be printed

April 1916 – The Seven Oaks Gun Club is given permission to operate at their present range at Kildonan Parish Lot 6

April 1916 – Plank sidewalks are to be placed in front of the stores of W. Clark, I. Colish, J. Peterson, Clayton, Mr. Lyons and Mr. Scarfe

April 1916 – Council adopts Daylight Saving Time

May 1916 – A toilet is to be constructed at the waiting room of the Winnipeg Selkirk Electric Railway Company at the Kildonan Church on Main Street

May 1916 – The well located in the Exhibition Site (Kildonan Golf Course), 250 feet south of the Bergen Cut-off and 200 feet east of Main Street is to be covered

May 1916 – A watermain connection is to be made to the Jewish Cemetery on Main Street

May 1916 – Watermains are to be constructed on

Burrin Avenue from Main to Aikins – \$1,056.84

Leila Avenue from Main to Scotia - \$2,784.80

Main Street from Newton Avenue to Armstrong Avenue - \$1,070.41

Semple Avenue from Main to Salter - \$2,769.60

Semple Avenue from Main to Scotia - \$1,866

Scotia Street north of Perth Avenue - \$472.74

Rupertsland Boulevard from Main to Norman (Jones) - \$1,482.98

May 1916 – Plank sidewalks are to be built on

North Side Armetta Avenue, Lots 15-28, Kildonan Parish Lot 4 - \$161.13

South side Armetta Avenue from Sinclair to lane east - \$419.14

North side Belmont Avenue Lots 10-18, Block 4, Lots 1-9 Kildonan Parish Lots 10/11 - \$262.20

North side Burrin Avenue Lots 14/15 Block 4, Kildonan Parish Lot 12 - \$46

North side Perth Lots 13-16 Kildonan Parish Lot 9 - \$63.45

West side Powers from Seven Oaks Avenue to Enniskillen Avenue - \$80.97

South side Red River Boulevard Lots 1-45 Plan 1353 Kildonan Parish Lot 32 - \$486.86

West side Scotia Street, south limits to lane south of Tait Avenue - \$560.59

West side Scotia Street lane north of Perth to lane north of Belmont - \$223.22

June 1916 – Dogs owned by soldiers are exempted from taxes

June 1916 – The bridge on Newton Avenue between Main and Norman (Jones) is to be repaired

June 1916 – Jefferson Avenue is to be graded east of Main Street

June 1916 – Residents living on 5 acres of land or more are allowed to keep one male dog without obtaining a dog license

June 1916 - Western Raw Hide Manufacturing Company is given permission to operate a raw hide business on Kildonan Parish Lot 16

June 1916 – Estimated cost of local improvements

Jefferson Avenue sewer from Aikins to McGregor - \$5,308.86

Kilbride Avenue sewer - \$1,175.08

Pump house on Red River Boulevard - \$5,308.86

June 1916 – Mrs. W. J. Middleton receives \$10 from the Patriotic Fund

June 1916 – Mr. A. Christie the Road Foreman's telephone bill is to be paid by the municipality

June 1916 – Mr. W. Hanson is to be paid 30 cents per hour while acting as Foreman for the Weed Inspector

June 1916 – Water standpipes are to be erected at

Corner of Sinclair and Jefferson

Corner of Gibson and Jefferson

Corner of McKenzie and Jefferson

Owners and residents of property using the water standpipe as registered by the meter are to pay 25 cents per 1,000 gallons with the cost shared equally by the residents benefitting

July 1916 – A side entrance is to be erected to Kildonan Park by the way of Scotia Street

July 1916 – Leila Avenue is to be graded from the C.P.R. tracks to Sinclair and east of the C.P.R. tracks to Salter Street

July 1916 – All slaughter houses and abattoirs are now prohibited in West Kildonan

July 1916 – A night soil waggon is to be purchased at a cost of \$106

July 1916 – Constable Newman is given an increase in his salary of \$10 per month

July 1916 – Council Colish is appointed the acting reeve due to Reeve Partridge being absent due to his military duties

July 1916 – A. Tully is appointed the Poundkeeper for Pound # 1 at the corner of Main and Belmont. Sam Adelstein is appointed the Poundkeeper for Pound # 2 on Newton Avenue west of the C.P.R. tracks in Kildonan Parish Lot 16. C. Clarke is appointed the Poundkeeper for Pound # 3 on Balgonie Avenue west of McPhillips on Kildonan Parish Lot 31

July 1916 – Teamsters using their own mowers for cutting weeds are to be paid 50 cents per day for the use of their mower

July 1916 – West Kildonan School District By-law 19 is to be submitted to the voters

August 1916 – The privy closets at 397 and 399 Kilbride Avenue are ordered to be cleaned

August 1916 – The rate of pay for teamsters is increased to 60 cents per hour

August 1916 – Jeffery Road and Benn Avenue are to be leveled and crossings are to be built

August 1916 – The new rate for a man cutting weeds is 30 cents per hour

September 1916 – The cost of the pump for the pumping house on Red River Boulevard is \$712.70

September 1916 – A half day holiday for the afternoon of September 7 is declared for the opening of the Kildonan and St Paul Agricultural Society's annual fair

September 1916 – A total of 10,000 tax statements are purchased for \$46

September 1916 – Headlights are to be purchased for the fire engine and hose waggon

September 1916 – Miss Clark is given an increase in her salary of \$5 per month

September 1916 – Mr. S. R. Henderson Secretary of the Kildonan and St Paul Agricultural Society is given a cheque of \$100 for the society

September 1916 – The St Anne's Tennis Club complains about the damage done to their tennis grounds by the weed cutters. They are given \$3.75 in compensation

September 1916 – West Kildonan is to buy \$30,000 in Canadian Government War Bonds

September 1916 – Jackson and Son are given the contract for the Kilbride Avenue West sewer for \$1,069.40 and J. Antrobus is given the contract for the watermain on Kilbride Avenue West for \$1,003.70

October 1916 – There are complaints about the quality of the water at the wells at Centennial School, the well on Kildonan Avenue and at the well on Semple Avenue. The West Kildonan School Board is told to discontinue the use of the well at Centennial School.

October 1916 – Council is to borrow \$10,000 from the Imperial Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

November 1916 – The Belgian Relief Fund receives a cheque for \$50

November 1916 – The West Kildonan Returned Soldiers Association receives a cheque for \$50

November 1916 – West Kildonan is paying \$115.83 per month for street lighting

November 1916 – C. J. Pike the Fire Department Teamster is ordered to obtain a residence near the Fire Hall

November 1916 – Dr. R. B. Anderson the Health Officer is paid \$200 for the year for his services

November 1916 – Constable Newman is appointed the Chief Constable of West Kildonan

December 1916 – The West Kildonan Ratepayers Association ask council to form a Parks Board to place suggestions regarding the improvement of streets, boulevards and the planting of trees. Council approves the suggestion.

December 1916 – The Assessor is told to reduce the assessment value of all properties by 10% due to the declining value of property

December 1916 – West Kildonan is to take over the City of Winnipeg Water Service in West Kildonan

December 1916 – Dunfra Avenue west of McGregor Street is changed to McAdam Avenue

December 1916 – Municipal taxes on the Seven Oaks Monument property are cancelled so a cheque for \$18.88 is returned to the Association

January 1917 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors H. A. Southall, Isaac Colish, R. W. Toshack and H. J. Seymour

January 1917 –William Ballard is appointed the Secretary-Treasurer for 1917. Mr. F. E. Eatwell is appointed the Engineer for 1917. H. J. Symington is appointed the Solicitor for 1917

January 1917 – Dr. M. F. Irwin of 186 Polson Avenue is appointed the Health Officer for 1917

January 1917 – The Pumps on Perth Avenue and Cork Avenue are to be repaired

January 1917 – John Dalgarno the Scavenger is to receive \$150 per month

January 1917 – The insurance policies of the municipality are to be placed with Ross, McMillian Knight Agency; the policies are to be of approved British companies

January 1917 – The West Kildonan School Board is asked to cut back on their estimates for 1917

January 1917 – A plank sidewalk is to be constructed on the south side of Commonwealth Avenue to connect with the existing sidewalk on the brow of the hill

February 1917 – Taxes on 634 Seven Oaks Avenue are exempted from taxes as the building is being used as a mission

February 1917 – West Kildonan is to obtain a supply of Shoal Lake water from the Greater Winnipeg Water District

February 1917 – Many owners of land taken for the City Pipe Line Road give up their property without compensation

February 1917 – Mr. A. Christie is appointed the Weed Inspector for 1917

February 1917 – Grants given out

Serbian Relief - \$25

Salvation Army - \$50

Children's Aid Society - \$25

February 1917 – The speed limit on Main Street from the southern limits to Kildonan Park is set at 15 mph

February 1917 – Councillors Colish and Southall are appointed members of the West Kildonan Parks Board in conjunction with members appointed by the West Kildonan Ratepayers Association

February 1917 – A total of \$25,000 is to be borrowed from the Imperial Bank of Commerce to meet current expenditures

February 1917 – An Association of Suburban Municipalities is to be formed

February 1917 – Council announces that it will not adopt daylight saving time in 1917

February 1917 – Mr. G. J. Pike the Fire Department Teamster is given one Sunday off per month when he is not on call 24 hours per day, 7 days a week. Mr. Lebrasseur is given responsibility for the one Sunday per month

February 1917 – The office staff is to be given one week of holidays per year, prior to this the office staff had no paid holidays

March 1917 – A total of 2,500 relief applications are to be purchased for \$10.25 and 500 copies of the 1916 Auditor's Report are to be purchased for \$32

March 1917 – The contract for the supply of lumber in 1917 is given to Brown and Rutherford

March 1917 – The Kildonan and St Paul Agricultural Society is given a grant of \$75

March 1917 – Council decides to purchase 1,000 feet of lead pipe for watermains because it is cheaper at \$16.40 per 100 pounds

March 1917 – There are complaints of manure being dumped into the creek at Newton Avenue east of Main Street

March 1917 – Mr. T. Taylor, Caretaker of the Municipal Hall is asked to accept a reduction in his pay from \$80 per month to \$60 per month. He refuses and then his services are terminated without any payout for his termination

March 1917 – A new scavenging contract is signed with Mr. Delgarno for \$2,000 per year for 1917-1918

March 1917 – Mr. T. F. Coulthard services as Health Inspector are terminated; he is given one month's salary for his termination

March 1917 – As there will be little work for the Building Inspector, Mr. Taylor's salary is reduced from \$80 per month to \$60 per month

March 1917 – The plowing of vacant lots for garden purposes (Victory Gardens) is to be done by municipal staff upon application at the municipal office. Fees to be charged

Lots up to 33 foot frontage - \$1.00, each adjoining lot - \$.75

Fees for breaking new land, lots up to 33 foot frontage - \$1.50, each adjoining lot - \$1.00

April 1917 – The membership fee for the Association of Winnipeg Suburban Municipalities is \$20 per year

April 1917 – A cheque of \$50 is given to the Winnipeg Firemen's Benevolent Society for attending several fires in West Kildonan

April 1917 – Manure is ordered to be removed from all dairies by May 1

April 1917 – Mr. J. Beggin is to be prosecuted for operating a slaughter house in the municipality contrary to the regulations

May 1917 – The Lord Selkirk Association is requested to have the long grass and dead undergrowth cleared from the Seven Oaks Monument property

May 1917 – The British Sailors Relief Fund receives a cheque for \$25

May 1917 – The National Romanian Relief Fund receives a cheque for \$25

May 1917 – Council asks for the streetcar service on Main Street to be extended to Templeton Avenue

May 1917 – Mr. Thomas Cassidy is appointed the Assessor for 1917 at \$1,200

May 1917 – Council considers using more lead pipe for watermains because of the metal shortage

June 1917 – Mr. H. G. Baker resigns as Assistant Secretary-Treasurer

June 1917 – Appointed Poundkeepers for 1917

Lawrence E. West – Pound # 1 at Hartford and Andrews

Sam Adelstein – Pound # 2 at Newton and Sinclair

Charles Clarke – Pound # 3 Balgonie Avenue

June 1917 – Estimates for West Kildonan School District

Salaries of Teachers and Officers - \$12,730

Sinking Fund or Debentures - \$4,756.59

Interest on Debentures - \$6,899.61

School Sites - \$500

Furnishings and Repairs - \$800

School Building Caretakers - \$2,000

Fuel – \$2,000

Expenses not specified – \$2,313.80

Total Expenses - \$32,000

West Kildonan School District Revenue

Legislative Grant – 70 cents per teaching day per 17 teachers - \$2,380

General School Tax - \$1.20 per day per teaching day - \$4,080

Special District Tax - \$24,254.94

Cash on Hand - \$1,286.06

Total Revenue - \$32,000

June 1917 – Mr. A. Christie is appointed the Fire Chief in place of Mr. Taylor

June 1917 – Mrs. John Derbyshire is to clean the Municipal Hall at \$25 per month

June 1917 – Mr. A. L. Conway is appointed the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer at \$85 per month

July 1917 – Two cases of Diphtheria are reported in West Kildonan

July 1917 – Constable Newman's salary is increased by \$10 per month

July 1917 – Teamster G. J. Pike's salary is increased by \$5 per month

July 1917 – The water in the well on Belmont Avenue between Main and Aikins is to be tested

August 1917 – The Municipal Commissioner's levy for West Kildonan consists of

District Expenses - \$2,724.10

Health Purposes - \$462.35

County - \$92.47

Patriotic - \$18,494

Sanatorium - \$554.82

Guarantee - \$40.50

Total - \$22,418.20

August 1917 – A plank sidewalk is to be built on Leila Avenue on lots 1-11, Plan 220, and Kildonan Parish Lot 15

August 1917 – The municipality is to buy back \$20,339.93 in property from tax sales

September 1917 – A granolithic sidewalk is to be built on Smithfield Avenue by Dominion Construction at a cost of \$2,882.08

September 1917 – A ½ day holiday is declared for the afternoon of September 6 for the opening of the Kildonan and St Paul Agricultural Association annual fair

September 1917 – A total of \$20,000 is bought in War Bonds for the Sinking Fund

September 1917 – The Kildonan and St Paul Agricultural Society receives a grant of \$75

September 1917 – Pound # 2 is to be closed and the services of Pound Keeper S. Adelstein are terminated

September 1917 – A sign is to be posted on the lavatory of the waiting room of the Winnipeg, Selkirk, Lake Winnipeg Railway Company at Ferry Lane (John Black Avenue) warning, that any person found damaging or destroying the waiting room will be prosecuted.

October 1917 – The Canadian Red Cross Society is given a cheque for \$50

October 1917 – Boundary Road is to be graded and ditched from Pipe Line Road to Dora Street at a cost of 22 cents per cubic yard

October 1917 – The Cottage Garden Association receives a grant of \$10

October 1917 – Council is told that between 300 and 400 residents of West Kildonan are in the military

October 1917 – Main Street north of the Bergen Cut-off to the north limits of the municipality and McPhillips Street from the south limits to the north boundary are placed under the Good Roads Act making them eligible for provincial government maintenance grants

November 1917 – A public skating rink is to be built

November 1917 – The Winnipeg Suburban Association asks the Equalization Board to reduce the Assessment by 25% in every suburban municipality except for Charleswood and Transcona where the reduction should be reduced by 50% and 33% respectively.

November 1917 – West Kildonan expresses its gratitude to returning servicemen for the sacrifices they have made for the Empire and for the cause of Humanity and welcomes home

A. Beeny, W. J. Beaton, C. Billington, W. E. Chappell, H. Grainger, H. Gamon. J. Higgins, G. Hughes, A. Hunt, T. Howe, C. E. Jones, H. G. Johnson, J. W. Jessop, R. N. Lyons, A. E. Breau, W. Phillips, Tom Phipps, W. Piper, W. Perry, J. A. Sutherland, A. Tetley, S. Wilson, C. Cowan, H. Boyd, W. Harding and H. Barclay

November 1917 – A total of \$40,000 is to be invested in Victory Loan Bonds

November 1917 – The Manitoba Good Roads Association receive a grant of \$50

November 1917 – Polling stations for municipal elections on December 18, 1917

Ward One – Municipal Hall

Ward Two – Centennial School

Ward Three – West Kildonan School

Ward Four – Residence of Mr. Fretkin

December 1917 – The Secretary-Treasurer is to purchase one box of cigars for the firemen of the North End Fire Station as an expression of appreciation for services rendered

December 1917 – Indemnities for members of Council for 1917

Reeve E. Partridge - \$382, Councillor H. A. Southall - \$149, Councillor I. Colish - \$146, Councillor R. W. Toshack - \$152 and Councillor H. J. Seymour - \$152

January 1918 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, H. A. Southall, I. Colish, R. W. Toshack and H. J. Seymour

January 1918 – William Bland is appointed the Secretary-Treasurer for 1918

F. E. Eatwell is appointed the Engineer for 1918

Thomas Cassidy is appointed the Assessor for 1918

H. J. Symington is appointed the Solicitor for 1918

Dr. M. F. Irwin is appointed the Medical Officer for 1918 for \$300 for the year

January 1918 – A skating rink is to be flooded on lots 22/23 Block 8, Plan 1341, Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for residents of Lansdowne Place

January 1918 – The membership fee for the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association is \$25

January 1918 – Mr. G. Pike, Teamster is to be given an extra \$5 per month from November 1, 1917 to March 31, 1918 for attending the furnace in the Municipal Hall

January 1918 – Council is to borrow \$25,000 from the Imperial Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

January 1918 – A grant of \$70 is given to the West Kildonan Returned Soldiers Association for a banquet

February 1918 – A total of 500 copies of the Auditors Report for 1917 are purchased for \$35

February 1918 – A total of 250 feet of fire hose are purchased for 75 cents per foot

February 1918 – The rate for hauling gravel is increased to 70 cents per cubic yard

February 1918 – The Manitoba Patriotic Fund is to pay \$1.00 per day towards the hospital accounts of soldier's dependents

February 1918 – Mr. A. L. Conway resigns from the municipal staff

March 1918 – Mr. G. J. Pike Teamster resigns from his position

March 1918 – The Kildonan and St Paul Agricultural Society receives a grant of \$100

March 1918 – A used hose waggon is purchased from the Winnipeg Fire Department for \$200

March 1918 – A plank sidewalk is to be built on the south side of Leila Avenue, on the south side of St. Anthony Avenue and on the south side of Highland Avenue

March 1918 – A sewer and watermain is to be built on Kilbride Avenue

March 1918 – The West Kildonan Veterans Association is to use the property of Mr. R. C. Struthers on Block 1, Plan 250, Kildonan Parish Lot 8 for a sports field for 1918

March 1918 – The Winnipeg Paint and Glass Company is given the contract to supply lumber for 1918

March 1918 – Privies for families of 6 members or more to be cleaned weekly and bi-weekly for families of less than 5 members with the scavenging work to be done by J. Dalgarno for Wards One and Two for \$2,500 for a 12 month period

March 1918 – Mr. W. G. Maytum is appointed the Teamster for \$85 per month

March 1918 – Mr. A. Christie is to be employed on Public Works at 40 cents per hour and he is appointed the Noxious Weeds Inspector at 40 cents per hour

April 1918 – Roads entered in the Manitoba Good Roads Association competition

McPhillips from Jefferson to Murray Avenue

Hartford Avenue from Main Street to McPhillips

April 1918 – Eight wolves are killed in West Kildonan in March 1918

April 1918 – Charles Clarke of Balgonie Avenue is appointed the Pound Keeper for Pound # 2

April 1918 – A total of \$10,000 in Federal Government Bonds are to be invested into the Sinking Fund

April 1918 – Fees charged for plowing vacant lots for Victory Gardens

One lot up to 33 foot frontage - \$1.00

One lot up to 33 foot frontage breaking new ground - \$1.50

Vacant lots up to 66 foot frontage will be plowed for free of charge for wives and dependents of soldiers

April 1918 – Building Inspector Newman is given an increase of \$15 per month

April 1918 – Soldiers welcomed home

J. J. Coull, E. Granger, J. Goodwin, W. Granby, A. Hill, W. Hewitson, H. Hall, C. Lane, D. McMullan, W. Nichol, C. E. Poole, J. F. Ringrose, A. Winch, E. Waller, A. Warren and A. Howard

April 1918 – A grant of \$100 is given to the Manitoba Red Cross Fund

April 1918 – Mrs. Derbyshire is given a \$10 per month increase

April 1918 – A new team of horses is purchased for the Fire Department for \$500

April 1918 – The Ferry Committee is to confer with the Ferry Committee of East Kildonan on the operation of the Ferry

April 1918 – A Returned Soldiers' Bowling Club is formed with the association given a grant of \$100

May 1918 – A grant of \$50 is given to the Y.M.C.A. Campaign

May 1918 – Armstrong Avenue is to be graded from Main to Aikins

May 1918 – The Secretary-Treasurer and Miss Clark are given an a 10% increase in their salary

June 1918 – The Canadian War Hospital Fund receives a grant of \$50 and the Manitoba Serbian Relief Fund receives a grant of \$50

June 1918 – The West Kildonan School Board asks for an extension of the watermain on Burrin Avenue to Centennial School

June 1918 – The approaches to the Municipal Hall are to be graded and a cement drain is to be placed at the water standpipe at the Municipal Hall

June 1918 – Mr. A. Christie is appointed the Poundkeeper for Pound # 1

June 1918 – The ferry to East Kildonan is to be discontinued. A boat owned by Mr. Nelson is to be used at this location at \$25 per month.

July 1918 – A by-law is introduced to prohibit the parking of cars on certain locations

July 1918 – Residents are urged to purchase 50% of their winter's supply of fuel as soon as possible due to a possible fuel shortage. Mr. Thomas Cassidy is appointed as the Fuel Commissioner of West Kildonan to look after fuel supplies.

July 1918 – Council is to pay 50% of the cost of printing certificates for the next of kin killed at the front

August 1918 – Mrs. Derbyshire resigns as the cleaner of the Municipal Offices

August 1918 – Municipal Commissioner's levy for 1918 is made up of

District Expenses - \$2,600

Health Purposes - \$325

County - \$65

Patriotic - \$9,750

Provincial Revenue - \$6,500

Sanatorium Purposes - \$812.50

Total - \$20,052.50

Estimates for West Kildonan School District for 1918

Salaries of Teachers and Officers - \$16,050

Sinking Fund or Debentures - \$5,010.52

Interest on Debentures – \$3,652.28

School Building - \$1,981

School Sites - \$100

Furnishings and Repairs - \$100

Fuel - \$2,400

Deficit from 1917 - \$1,861.35

Sundry Expenses - \$1,344.85

Total Estimates - \$32,500

West Kildonan School District Revenue

Legislative Grant - 75 cents per teaching day - \$2,520

General School Tax - \$1.20 per teaching day - \$4,320

Special District Tax - \$25,660

Total Revenue - \$32,500

August 1918 – Mrs. Manson is hired to clean the Municipal Offices for \$35 per month

August 1918 – West Kildonan Municipal Estimates for 1918

Uncontrollable Expenses - \$52,055.35 made up of

West Kildonan School Levy - \$29,980

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$16,353.70

Sinking Fund General Debentures - \$2,132.78

Debenture Interest - \$3,588.87

Controllable Expenses - \$38,785.34 made up of

Administration and Finance - \$13,448.56

Fire, Water and Light - \$3,950.49

Health, Charity, Hospital and Scavenging - \$5,983.11

Police - \$1,725

Public Works - \$7,865.36

Miscellaneous – \$5,812.82

Total Estimates - \$90,840.64

West Kildonan Equalized Assessment - \$6,334,752

August 1918 – West Kildonan borrows \$15,000 from the Imperial Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

September 1918 – Mr. F. E. Eatwell resigns as Engineer

September 1918 – Grants are given to the Salvation Army for \$50, Children's' Aid Society for \$50, the Winnipeg Firemen's Benevolent Society \$50 and the West Kildonan and St Paul Boys and Girls Club \$5

September 1918 – Mr. W. Watson is hired as general working foreman at \$100 per month

September 1918 – Mr. P. Sly is hired for the Public Works Department at \$100 per month

October 1918 – A hose tower is to be built on the inside of the northwest corner of the Municipal Fire Hall

October 1918 – A total of \$10,000 is to be invested in 1918 Victory Loan Bonds to the credit of Sinking Fund

October 1918 – The Medical Officer is requested to make immediate arrangements to give residents three influenza inoculations at the Municipal Hall and the clerk is to advertise the same throughout the municipality

November 1918 – A grant of \$50 is made to the Manitoba Good Roads Association and a grant of \$100 is made to the British Sailor's War Relief Fund

November 1918 – The West Kildonan Returned Soldiers Lawn Bowling Association Skating Rink is to be flooded free of charge

December 1918 – A cheque of \$150 is given to Mr. H. R. Clay for services rendered to influenza patients during the epidemic

December 1918 – A plank sidewalk is advertised for the north side of Perth Avenue from Main to Aikins

December 1918 – Council recommends to the school board that the schools be kept closed as there has been an increase in the number of influenza cases in the past few weeks and that the school remain closed until more favourable conditions prevail.

December 1918 – Indemnities paid to members of Council for 1918, Reeve E. Partridge - \$438.40, Councillor H. A. Southall - \$186.20, Councillor I. Colish - \$190.20, Councillor H. J. Seymour - \$189.60, Councillor R. W. Toshack - \$195.60

December 1918 – Ferry Lane is to be changed to John Black Avenue

December 1918 – Teamster Mr. W. G. Maytum is to one day off per week

December 1918 – Mr. Newman Health Inspector is given \$50 for his extra work in connection with influenza cases.

December 1918 – Two nurses who had been sent from the Emergency Nursing Bureau are paid for their work with influenza cases, Mrs. Furness receives \$42 and Mrs. Scarfe \$102

December 1918 – Mr. Edmund Partridge retires after 5 years as Reeve and 15 years on Council. Councillors H. A. Southall and H. J. Seymour retire from Council

January 1919 – Reeve J. H. Gunn, Councillors James L. Cartwright, Isaac Colish, R. W. Toshack and W. J. Pitts

January 1919 – William Ballard is reappointed Secretary-Treasurer for 1919

January 1919 – With the number of influenza cases increasing again, the Secretary-Treasurer is asked to take up the matter of closing the schools with the Medical Officer with a report to the school board

January 1919 – Dr. W. S. McDonald is appointed the Medical Officer for 1919

January 1919 – The municipal bank account is transferred from the Imperial Bank of Canada to the Merchants Bank of Canada, North End Branch

January 1919 – The firm of Hudson, Ormond, Spice and Symington are reappointed Solicitors for 1919

January 1919 – A total of \$75,000 is to be borrowed from the Merchants Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

January 1919 – Mr. H. A. Bayne is appointed the Assessor and Engineer at a salary of \$1,500 for 1919

January 1919 – The Serbian Relief Committee receives a grant of \$50

February 1919 – There are complaints about manure being dumped on Carruthers Avenue and McGregor Street

February 1919 – Mr. H. A. Bayne resigns his Assessor duties

February 1919 – The contract for the provision of lumber in 1919 is awarded to Winnipeg Paint & Glass Company

February 1919 – Murray Road between Main and McPhillips is to be declared a main highway and placed under the Good Roads Act

February 1919 – Mr. J. W. Jessop is appointed the Assessor at \$100 per month

March 1919 – Mr. W. C. Tully is given permission to install a pump and gasoline tank at his new gas station at 1857 Main Street

March 1919 – The West Kildonan Returned Soldiers Association receives a cheque for \$157.50 for 70 certificate frames and is also given a cheque for \$35 towards a banquet

March 1919 – The Hebrew Cemetery Association is to pay 50% of the cost of gravelling Armstrong Avenue from Main Street to the entrance of the cemetery

March 1919 – Council is to pay 50 cents per cubic yard for hauling gravel from the Winnipeg Paint and Glass siding to Kildonan Avenue

March 1919 – The West Kildonan Ratepayers Association ask for a public hall to be built in West Kildonan

March 1919 – Mr. W. Watson is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector for 1919

March 1919 – Mr. J. Dalgarno is appointed the Scavenger from April 1919 to April 1920 for \$2,500

March 1919 – The Kildonan and St Paul Agricultural Society receive a grant of \$50

April 1919 – The Joint Committee of the West Kildonan Returned Soldiers Association and the West Kildonan Great War Veteran's Association submit plans for a Memorial Hall building costing \$60,000 with a swimming tank and \$47,000 without one. Council says it does not have the funds to build one.

April 1919 – Mr. J. S. Ringrose President of the West Kildonan Great War Veterans, asks for West Kildonan's help in deporting all undesirable aliens in West Kildonan whether they are naturalized citizens or not.

April 1919 – The Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle Fund receives a cheque for \$50

April 1919 – Mr. W. Maytum is to be paid \$25 per month for looking after the furnace at the Municipal Hall during the winter months

April 1919 – Mr. S. G. Burgess is appointed the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer at \$125 per month

April 1919 – The municipal account is transferred from the Merchants Bank on Bannerman Avenue to the new West Kildonan Merchants Bank branch

April 1919 – A Christie is appointed the Pound Keeper for Pound # 1

B. Clarke is appointed the Pound Keeper for Pound # 2

April 1919 – A plank sidewalk is advertised for the north side of Templeton Avenue from the C.P.R. tracks

May 1919 – Mr. Thomas Donald is hired as the Deputy Constable at \$100 per month

May 1919 – All municipal staff are given a 10% wage increase

May 1919 – Newton Avenue is to be graded and a ditch is to be constructed from Main to Aikins

May 1919 – A water pipe is to be laid from Semple Avenue to the West Kildonan Returned Soldiers Lawn Bowling Club on Scotia Street

May 1919 – A civic holiday is to be declared to welcome home the 8th and 16th Battalions back from the war

May 1919 – A cheque of \$15 is given to the Boys and Girls Club

May 1919 – The Johnnie J. Jones Exposition Shows are given a license for \$500 to exhibit its show from August 9 to August 16

May 1919 – Mr. George Smith complains about West Kildonan's action to eject a band of gypsies who rented his property

May 1919 – Teamsters employed by the municipality are to be paid 80 cents per hour and all men employed by the Public Works Department are to be paid 45 cents per hour.

June 1919 – A grant of \$50 is made to the West Kildonan Returned Soldiers' Bowling Club

June 1919 – An agreement is made with the City of Winnipeg to use the City of Winnipeg mains to bring Shoal Lake water to the boundary of West Kildonan

June 1919 – A total of \$86,500 in Dominion War Loans and Victory Loan Bonds is transferred from the Imperial Bank of Canada to the Merchants Bank of Canada

June 1919 – A Chevrolet automobile is purchased for the Police Department for \$1,028.50

June 1919 – Lead pipe is being purchased for water connections from the watermains to residences

June 1919 – A well is advertised for Lot 24 in Block 2 Plan 1191, Kildonan Parish Lot 7

June 1919 – The Municipal Commissioner's Levy is \$16,802.50 for 1919 which includes

District Expenses - \$2,600

Health Purposes - \$325

County - \$65

Patriotic - \$3,250

Provincial Revenue - \$9,750

Sanatorium - \$812.50

June 1919 – West Kildonan School Board Estimates

Salaries of Teachers and Officers - \$30,000

Sinking Fund on Debentures - \$5,874.12

Interest on Debentures - \$8,449.08

School Buildings - \$0

Furnishings and Repairs - \$300

Fuel and Light - \$3,000

Deficit from last year - \$3,200

Sundry Expenses - \$2,401.80

Total Estimates - \$53,225

Estimated West Kildonan School District Revenue

Legislative Grant – 75 cents per teaching day - \$2,850

General School Tax - \$1.20 per teaching day - \$4,560

Special District Tax - \$45,815

Total Revenue - \$53,225

June 1919 – A new committee is formed the Soldiers Settlement Cooperative Committee with the goals of

1. To assist returned soldiers seeking land for settlement in West Kildonan
2. To welcome and assist the returned soldier when he has purchased land for the purpose of farming in West Kildonan
3. To assist the Loan Advisory Board when requested to determine the fertility and the relative value of land applied for by the applicant under the Soldier Settlement Plan

June 1919 – A plank sidewalk is to be built on the north and south sides of Kilbride Avenue from Aikins to Salter

June 1919 – West Kildonan Estimates for 1919

Uncontrollable including School Levy - \$72,738.69

Controllable - \$46,897.69 made up of

Administration and Finance - \$18,490.11

Fire Water and Light - \$2,650

Health - \$6,750

Police - \$2,650

Public Works - \$8,623.26

Miscellaneous - \$5,134.32

Estimated Revenue from sources other than property taxes - \$10,537.50

1919 West Kildonan Equalized Assessment - \$5,120,882 – Mill Rate 7.1

July 1919 – The Union Bank of Canada is given permission to erect a sign on their premises at 1787 Main Street

July 1919 – Referendum results on whether to accept a housing loan scheme to build new homes in West Kildonan under a provincial government act

For 94, Against 64

August 1919 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District levy on portion of West Kildonan with watermains is set at 4.21 Mills

August 1919 – Miss B. Clark resigns from the office staff

August 1919 – Mr. A. Parker is appointed the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer at \$125 per month

August 1919 – West Kildonan School District By-law 25 is introduced to borrow \$65,000 to complete Governor Semple School, add 4 classrooms to Centennial School and to purchase a school site in Ward One

August 1919 – A well is to be sunk on Armstrong Avenue at \$2.70 per foot

August 1919 – A plank sidewalk is advertised for the north side of Kilbride Avenue between Salter and Powers

August 1919 – Constable Donald is given a 10% raise

August 1919 – J. Dalgarno the Scavenger is given an extra \$150 per month to provide an extra rig and man

August 1919 – Miss Ivy Grace is hired as a Stenographer at \$80 per month

September 1919 – Mr. Harry Granger opens his insurance business at 1770 Main Street

September 1919 – Council purchases twenty tons of coal for municipal use at \$15.85 per ton

September 1919 – The speed limit on Main Street between the southern limits and Kildonan Park is set at 15 mph

September 1919 – A sewer and watermain is advertised for Kilbride Avenue between Aikins and Salter

September 1919 – Miss B. Clark is given \$50 in recognition of her long and efficient service

September 1919 – Building Loans approved under the Housing Scheme

Application # 1 – John Jack

Land - \$600

Building - \$3,508

Total - \$4,108

Amount of loan – 70% - \$2,875.60

Application # 2 – Lee Fletcher

Land - \$525

Building - \$3,754

Total \$4,279

Amount of loan – 70% - \$2,995.30

Application # 3 – Robert Fletcher

Land - \$475

Building - \$3,754

Total \$4,229

Amount of loan – 70% - \$2,960.30

Application # 4 – Ernest Isaac Walter

Land \$300

Building - \$3,800

Total \$4,100

Amount of loan - \$1,500

Application # 5 – Ernest L. J. Fuller

Land - \$600

Building - \$4,250

Total - \$4,850

Amount of Loan - \$3,150

Application # 6 – A. Moran

Land - \$600

Building - \$3,500

Total - \$4,100

Amount of loan - \$1,700

Application # 7 – Paul C. Clark

Land - \$680

Building - \$3,750

Total - \$4,430

Amount of loan - \$3,100

Application # 8 – Henry Hall

Land - \$500

Building - \$3,859

Total - \$4,359

Amount of Loan - \$1,000

Application # 9 – W. G. Poulter

Land - \$346

Building \$1,750

Total - \$2,096

Amount of Loan – 70% - \$1,467.20

Application # 10 – John A. Cuthbertson

Land - \$365

Building - \$1,750

Total - \$2,115

Amount of loan – 70% - \$1,480.50

September 1919 – David Henry is hired as a Teamster at \$100 per month

September 1919 – Thirty residents of Jefferson Avenue and Armetta Street are instructed to put in pit closets (outhouses with concrete holding areas) as there are reports of illness among the children living on the streets

October 1919 – Mr. V. Bunn is appointed the Engineer at \$200 per month

October 1919 – Building loan application approved

Application # 11 – W. A. Davidson

Land - \$600

Building - \$3,900

Total - \$4,500

Amount of loan 70% - \$3,150

October 1919 – The approaches to the Home of the Friendless are to be leveled

October 1919 – West Kildonan is to borrow \$20,000 from the Merchants Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

October 1919 – The Ladies Auxiliary of the Great War Veterans Association receive a grant of \$100

October 1919 – A by-law is introduced to create a debt of \$50,000 to purchase land and build a new municipal hall

November 1919 – James Bauchop of 305 Semple Avenue is appointed the Electrical Inspector; his salary is to consist of the permit fees charged

November 1919 – A grant of \$50 is given to the Salvation Army

November 1919 – A total of \$20,000 in 1919 Victory Loan Bonds are to be purchased at placed to the credit of the Sinking Fund

November 1919 – Building Loan application approved

Application # 12 – Benjamin Parr

Land - \$350

Building - \$2,300

Total - \$2,650

Amount of loan - \$1,100

November 1919 – A grant of \$25 is given to the Boy Scouts Association

November 1919 – Teamster David Henry is given a 10% pay increase

December 1919 – Dominion Construction Company is given the contract for constructing the sewer and watermain on Kilbride Avenue from Aikins to Salter; watermain – \$2,593.60 and sewer - \$2,429.80

December 1919 – The skating rink of the Great War Veterans Association at the corner of Burrin and Scotia is to be flooded. The rink is to be flooded weekly and the teamster is to be paid \$1.00 per hour for the flooding

December 1919 – The Skating rink at corner of Seven Oaks Avenue and McGregor Street is to be flooded

December 1919 – Indemnities for members of Council for 1919, Reeve J. H. Gunn - \$742, Councillors, I. Colish - \$218.40, R. H. Toshack - \$249.60, W. J. Pitts - \$225 and Councillor J. L. Cartwright - \$222.80

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Old Kildonan is part of West Kildonan until the end of June 1921 when it becomes a separate municipality

January 1920 – Reeve Charles A. Tanner, Councillors, Alexander L. McKenzie, Robert W. Toshack, J. L. Cartwright and W. j. Pitts

January 1920 – William Ballard is reappointed the Secretary-Treasurer at \$190 per month

Mr. V. W. Bunn is appointed the Municipal Engineer

Dr. W. S. McDonald is appointed the Medical Officer for 1920

The firm of Hudson, Ormond, Spice and Symington are appointed the Solicitors for 1920

W. J. Jessop is appointed the Assessor for 1920 at \$1,600 for the year

January 1920 – West Kildonan is to borrow \$75,000 from the Merchants Bank of Canada

January 1920 – A by-law is introduced to allow an inspector or officer of the municipality to enter and inspect any unoccupied building which could be a fire hazard

January 1920 – A grant of \$118.98 is made to the Great War Veterans Association to cover the taxes on their property at the corner of Burrin Avenue and Scotia Street

January 1920 – The books and papers of the West Kildonan Soldiers Aid Society are to be deposited in the vault of the municipal offices

January 1920 – Salaries of the permanent staff

S. J. Burgess - \$150 per month

G. Parker - \$135 per month

Ivy Grace - \$90 per month

Chief Constable J. Newman - \$150 per month

Constable Thomas David - \$120 per month

David Hendry - \$120 per month

Mrs. Manson - \$45 per month

W. Watson - \$135 per month

P. Sly - \$125 per month

January 1920 – School children are to be vaccinated by a nurse who is also to attend sick patients in the municipality

January 1920 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District levy for 1920 is \$10,062.95 for 1920

February 1920 – The Boys and Girls Club receive a cheque for \$25

February 1920 – All street lights are to be turned off at midnight, four nights before a full moon and five nights after a full moon weather permitting in order to save money

February 1920 – A horse ambulance is to be purchased from Mr. A. S. Bardal for \$300

February 1920 – A new team of horses are purchased for the Fire Department for \$660

February 1920 – Housing Loan application now require that basements be included in all houses built under the plan

Application # 13 – Charles R. Chidwick

Land - \$525, Building - \$3,075, Total- \$3,600 – Amount of Loan - \$2,550

Application # 14 – George Thomas Adams

Land \$350, Building - \$3,225, Total - \$3,575 – Amount of Loan - \$2,500

Application # 15 – Joseph Farr

Land - \$475, Building - \$3,755, Total - \$4,230 – Amount of Loan - \$3,000

March 1920 – By-Law 291 is introduced to create a debt of \$20,000 to purchase a site for a new municipal hall

March 1920 – The Children's Aid Society of Winnipeg receive a cheque for \$50

March 1920 – The West Kildonan Lawn Bowling and Recreation Club grounds are to have 15 loads of ashes costing \$25 placed on the grounds. Council accepts an invitation to attend a "smoking" concert at the club

March 1920 – The contract for lumber for 1920 is awarded to the John Arbuthnot Company for \$8,609.71

March 1920 – West Kildonan endorses the East Kildonan recommendation to discontinue the ferry between the two municipalities

March 1920 – Council takes a 90 day option on land from the Home of the Good Shepherds for a new municipal hall site

March 1920 – The Medical Health Officer reports a number of scarlet fever cases

March 1920 – Constable Thomas Donald is given a \$20 per month increase

March 1920 – Teamsters are to be paid \$5.00 per trip for driving the horse ambulance and patients are to pay \$5.00 per trip

March 1920 – Council asks the Merchants Bank of Canada for \$75,000 to meet current expenditures but the bank turns down the request

March 1920 – A grant of \$175 is given to the Kildonan and St Paul Agricultural Society

March 1920 – A grant of \$70 is made to the Lord Selkirk Association for the purpose of making improvements to their property

March 1920 – Council decides into another one year contract with J. Dalgarno for scavenging work for \$4,700

March 1920 – Council asks the Union Bank of Canada for a \$75,000 loan to meet current expenditures

April 1920 – W. Watson is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector for 1920

April 1920 – Housing Loan Application # 16 – Hannah M. Gray

Land - \$600, Building - \$5,300, Total - \$5,900 – Amount of Loan - \$4,000

April 1920 – Council is to transact general banking business with the Union Bank of Canada, West Kildonan Branch. Council is to borrow \$25,000 from the bank to meet current expenditures

April 1920 – Applications are to be accepted for loans up to \$500 for the installation of modern plumbing fixtures and local improvements for existing houses

April 1920 – Chief Constable Newman is given a pay raise of \$15 per month

April 1920 – David Hendry, Teamster is given an increase of \$15 per month

April 1920 – J. S. Burgess – Assistant Secretary-Treasurer is given an increase of \$20 per month

April 1920 – William Ballard – Secretary-Treasurer is given a \$10 per month increase

April 1920 – W. Watson and P. Sly are given increases of \$15 per month

April 1920 – De Montford Press Limited is given the contract for printing 400 copies of the 1920 voters list for 9 ½ cents per name

April 1920 – All bonds and securities deposited with the Merchants Bank of Canada are transferred to the Union Bank of Canada

April 1920 – Appointed Pound Keepers for 1920, Pound # 1 – A. Christie, Pound # 2 – Charles Clarke

April 1920 – Scotia Street is to be graded from the Salvation Army Home north to Ferry Lane (John Black Avenue)

April 1920 – A \$20 grant is made to the Manitoba Good Roads Association

April 1920 – Warning cards are to be printed for homes with infectious diseases

May 1920 – By-Law 28 of the West Kildonan School District is introduced to create a debt of \$100,000 for school purposes

May 1920 – Housing loan applications approved

Application # 17 – William Dowling

Land - \$375, Building - \$4,500, Total - \$4,875 – Amount of loan - \$500

Application # 18 – Frank R. Newman

Land - \$550, Building - \$2,800, Total - \$3,350 – Amount of Loan - \$2,350

Application - # 19 – George E. Devers

Land - \$275, Building - \$2,795, Total - \$3,070 – Amount of Loan - \$2,150

Application # 20 - Cecil R. Delarne

Land - \$275, Building, \$2,795 – Total - \$3,070 - Amount of Loan - \$2,150

Application # 21 – William Williams

Land - \$425, Building - \$3,150, Total - \$3,575 – Amount of Loan - \$2,500

Application # 22 – H. T. Rumble

Land - \$1,000, Building, \$4,350, Total - \$5,350 – Amount of Loan - \$3,750

Application # 23 – Fred Ward

Land - \$600, Building - \$3,900, Total - \$4,500 – Amount of Loan - \$3,000

Application # 24 – W. Watson

Land - \$320, Building - \$4,500 – Total - \$4,820 – Amount of Loan - \$2,000

May 1920 – George Smith is hired for the grading of McPhillips Street at \$175 per month

May 1920 – Local Improvements advertised

Granolithic sidewalks are to be built on the south side of Hartford Avenue from Main to Aikins at an estimated cost of \$1,449 and on the south side of Perth from Aikins to Perth at an estimated cost of \$2,555

A plank sidewalk is to be built on Lot 52, Plan 2559, Kildonan Parish Lots 10/11 and flankage on Lot 69, Plan 2559, and Kildonan Parish Lots 10/11

A watermain on Scotia Street from Jefferson to Perth at an estimated cost of \$3,780

May 1920 – A 20 ton truck scale is to be purchased for \$1,526

June 1920 – David Hendry resigns as Teamster

June 1920 – A grant of \$200 is given to the Lawn Bowling Association

June 1920 – A plank sidewalk is to be built opposite the Merchants Bank of Canada at the corner of Main Street and Seven Oaks Avenue

June 1920 – Murray Street is to be graded at a cost of \$1,465

June 1920 – The water is to be turned on at the clubhouse of the Great War Veterans Association at the corner of Burrin and Scotia

June 1920 – Housing Loan applications approved

Application # 25 Harry Lloyd Matthews

Land - \$700, Building - \$5,000, Total - \$5,700, Amount of Loan - \$4,000

Application # 26 John F. W. Wright

Land - \$700, Building - \$5,000, Total - \$5,700, Amount of Loan - \$4,000

Application # 27 – Arthur Guthrie

Land - \$1,010, Building - \$5,150, Total - \$6,150, Amount of Loan - \$4,300

June 1920 – West Kildonan is to borrow \$50,000 from the Union Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

June 1920 – John Black Avenue is to be graded from Main Street to Scotia Street

June 1920 – Salter Street is to be graded from the Winnipeg Paint and Glass tracks to Leila Avenue

June 1920 – A plank sidewalk is to be built on the north and south sides of Margaret Avenue

June 1920 – Donald Gunn is appointed to the permanent staff at \$135 per month

June 1920 – Main Street is to be oiled between Jefferson Avenue and Rupertsland Avenue

June 1920 – The salary of the Assessor is increased to \$1,800 per year

July 1920 – A total of \$150 is to be spent on advertising in the Winnipeg Tribune

July 1920 – Plank sidewalks are to be built on the south side of Belmont Avenue between Powers and Powers and on the west side of Andrews Street from Belmont to Hartford

July 1920 – A watermain is to be built on Scotia from Jefferson to Perth

July 1920 – Granolithic sidewalks are to be built on the north side of Perth and on the south side of Hartford from Main to Aikins

July 1920 – A second housing loan is approved for William Dowling # 17/1

Land - \$700, Building - \$3,000, Total - \$3,700, Amount of Loan - \$500

July 1920 – Total Local Improvement Debentures for 1920 total \$56,849.37 at 6 % interest

July 1920 – The salary of V. W. Bunn the Municipal Engineer is increased by \$25 per month

July 1920 – 1920 Estimates

West Kildonan School Levy - \$65,017.75

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$17,940.00

General Debentures - \$5,561.01

Total Uncontrollable - \$88,518.76

Administration and Finance - \$27,754.62

Lighting, Fire Department - \$5,484.00

Health - \$3,550

Police - \$3,975

Public Works - \$21,567.82

Miscellaneous - \$6,172.15

Total Controllable - \$68,603.17

Revenue other than Taxation - \$8,807.33

Rate of Taxation – 11.4 Mills

August 1920 – A total of 25 tons of coal are purchased for the Municipal Offices for \$21 per ton

August 1920 – Plank sidewalks are to be built on the north and south sides of Margaret Avenue from Main to Aikins

August 1920 – The old ferry is to be sold in consulting with East Kildonan

August 1920 – McPhillips Street is to be graded as soon as possible

August 1920 – A grant of \$25 is to be given to the Winnipeg Firemen's Benevolent Fund along with a box of cigars for # 4 Fire Hall

August 1920 – A total of \$25,000 is to be borrowed from the Union Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

August 1920 – A half day holiday is declared for September 3, 1920 in connection with the opening of the Kildonan-St Paul Agricultural Fair

September 1920 – Plank sidewalks are advertised for the

West side of Powers Street from St Anthony to Hartford

East side of Andrews from St Anthony to Hartford

Both sides of Margaret from Aikins to Powers

September 1920 – There are complaints about the water in the well on Margaret Avenue

September 1920 – The Knowles Home for Boys receive a grant of \$25

October 1920 – Constable Newman is appointed the Weigh-Master for the weigh scale at the Municipal Hall

October 1920 – A grant of \$75 is given to the Salvation Army Grace Hospital fund and a grant of \$25 is given to the West Kildonan Branch of the Great War Veterans Association for the Widows and Orphans Fund

October 1920 – Streetlights are to be constructed as local improvements on
Perth Avenue, Forest Avenue and Royal Avenue

November 1920 – The Navy League of Canada receives a grant of \$50

November 1920 – A skating rink is to be flooded on the south side of Jefferson Avenue east of the C.P.R. tracks

November 1920 – A total of 169 former soldiers receive a partial refund of their municipal taxes

December 1920 – Rates of Pay for teamsters hauling gravel

McPhillips Street from South Limits to John Black School – 85 cents per hour

McPhillips Street from John Black School to culvert at Cloustons - \$1.00 per hour

McPhillips Street from culvert at Cloustons to the bend north of Councillor Toshack's property - \$1.10 per hour

McPhillips Street from bend north of Councillor Toshack's property to north limits \$1.20 per hour

Murray Avenue from Main Street to Beach Line – 80 cents per hour

Murray Avenue from Beach Line to Fratkins – 90 cents per hour

Murray Avenue from Fratkins to McPhillips - \$1.00 per hour

Main Street from Subway to Murray Avenue – 70 cents per hour

Main Street from Murray Avenue to ½ mile north of Murray Avenue – 90 cents per hour

Indemnities for members of Council for 1920, Reeve Charles A. Tanner - \$953.80, Councillor J. L. Cartwright - \$297.10, Councillor A. L. McKenzie - \$240, Councillor R. W. Toshack - \$313.20, Councillor W. J. Pitts - \$330

January 1921 – Reeve Charles A. Tanner, Councillors, David Burnside, John Henry, Alex L. McKenzie and Robert Toshack

January 1921 – William Ballard is reappointed Secretary-Treasurer for 1921

The firm of Hudson, Ormond, Spice and Symington are appointed Solicitors for 1921

Dr. R. B. Anderson is appointed the Medical Health Officer for 1921

W. J. Jessop is appointed the Building Permits Inspector for 1921

W. Watson is appointed the Sewer Inspector for 1921

P. Sly is appointed the Water Permit Inspector for 1921

January 1921 – West Kildonan is to borrow \$150,000 from the Union Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

January 1921 – A grant of \$160.98 is given to the Great War Veterans Association to cover the taxes on their clubhouse

January 1921 – All day help employed by the municipality are to work an eight hour day

January 1921 – The Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association membership fee is \$20

January 1921 – Residents using the water standpipe at the Municipal Hall are now to purchase a key and are to pay \$1.00 per quarter for water

February 1921 – West Kildonan is to make an application to the Provincial Government for a loan of \$150,000 under the Housing Scheme

February 1921 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District levy is \$15,231.34 for 1921

February 1921 – A petition is introduced by P. Harper to divide West Kildonan and create a new municipality. The West Kildonan Council goes on record opposing the petition in a split 3-2 vote. Reeve Tanner and Councillors Burnside and McKenzie opposing the petition with Councillors Toshack and Henry in favour. Council forms a committee to oppose the petition at the Manitoba Legislature

March 1921 – Rising unemployment has the federal and provincial governments paying 2/3 of the cost of relief in West Kildonan but the agreement is to be terminated by the provincial government at the end of March

March 1921 – J. Bissiet is appointed the Scavenger at \$2,800 for one year

March 1921 – Council increases its request to the provincial government to \$250,000 from \$150,000 for a housing loan due to the large number of applications

March 1921 – J. Scarfe is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector at 70 cents per hour

March 1921 – Grants are made to the Children's Home of Winnipeg for \$50, to the Children's Aid Society for \$50 and to the West Kildonan Curling Club for \$200

April 1921 – The Provincial Legislature divides West Kildonan into Old Kildonan and West Kildonan, with the division coming into effect on July 1, 1921

April 1921 – The West Kildonan and St Paul Boys and Girls Club receive a grant of \$25

April 1921 – Advertised for local improvements are six street lights on Jefferson Avenue from Main to McGregor and six street lights on Seven Oaks Avenue from Gibson to McGregor

April 1921 – C. F. Gabriel, Provincial Government Auditor is to make periodic audits of the books of West Kildonan

April 1921 – D. Hendry is paid \$25 for looking after the furnace of the Municipal Hall during the winter of 1920-1921

May 1921 – A petition is received to divide the West Kildonan School District

May 1921 – A committee is being formed to organize an agricultural and garden show of exhibits for the Municipalities of West Kildonan and West St. Paul

May 1921 – The City of Winnipeg considers annexing the remainder of West Kildonan after the division of the municipality

May 1921 – West Kildonan is to hold a public meeting with ratepayers to discuss the general business of the municipality after the division and the possible creation of new wards in the soon to be smaller West Kildonan

May 1921 – Plank sidewalks are to be built on the north side of Perth from Andrews to McGregor and on the west side of Aikins from Perth to St Anthony

May 1921 – Brought under the Good Roads Act which provides provincial government money for road work

McGregor from Kildonan Avenue to the south limits

Jefferson from Main to Sinclair

Leila from Main to McPhillips

May 1921 – The well on Margaret Avenue on Kildonan Parish Lot 19 is to be deepened

May 1921 – The City of Winnipeg decides not to annex any part of West Kildonan

May 1921 – Council goes on record in a 3-2 vote to oppose the division of the West Kildonan School District

May 1921 – Housing loans approved

Application # 28 – J. C. Manson

Land - \$750, Building - \$4,250, Total - \$5,000, Amount of loan - \$3,315

Application # 29 – S. Goodman

Land - \$350, Building - \$2,850, Total - \$3,200, Amount of loan - \$2,240

Application # 30 – John Malcolm

Land \$500, Building - \$4,900, Total - \$5,400, Amount of loan - \$3,500

Application # 31 – D. Craig

Land - \$650, Building - \$4,200, Total \$4,850, Amount of loan - \$3,400

Application # 32 – E. G. V. Burrows

Land - \$650, Building - \$3,500, Total - \$4,150, Amount of loan - \$2,900

Application # 33 – H. A. Atwell

Land - \$700, Building - \$5,440, Total - \$6,140, Amount of loan - \$4,000

Application # 34 – E. E. Bray

Land - \$700, Building – \$6,650, Total \$7,350, Amount of loan - \$4,000

Application # 35 – Alex McInnis

Land - \$550, Building - \$5,100, Total - \$5,650, Amount of loan - \$3,950

Application # 36 – Mrs. S. A. Robinson

Land - \$500, Building - \$3,700, Total - \$4,200, Amount of loan - \$2,750

Application # 37 – Harry Robinson

Land - \$750, Building - \$4,500, Total - \$5,250, Amount of loan - \$3,680

Application # 38 – Donald Brims

Land - \$650, Building - \$4,350, Total - \$5,000, Amount of loan - \$3,500

June 1921 – The West Kildonan Lawn Bowling and Recreation Club receives a grant of \$100

June 1921 – Housing Loan Applications Approved

Application # 39 – W. Hewitson

Land - \$520, Building - \$3,840, Total - \$4,360, Amount of Loan - \$3,050

Application # 40 – John H. Green

Land - \$1,050, Building - \$4,500, Total - \$5,550, Amount of Loan - \$3,900

Application # 41 – Laura Blundell

Land - \$250, Building - \$3,750, Total - \$4,000, Amount of Loan - \$2,700

Application # 42 – A. F. Hessenthal

Land - \$200, Building - \$2,200, Total - \$2,400, Amount of Loan - \$1,680

Application # 43 – Fred Edward F. Wheeler

Land - \$700, Building - \$4,400, Total - \$5,100, Amount of Loan - \$3,500

Application # 44 – W. J. Bullock

Land - \$500, Building - \$4,430, Total - \$4,930, Amount of Loan - \$3,450

Application # 45 – E. E. Lee

Land - \$520, Building - \$2,800, Total - \$3,320, Amount of Loan - \$800

Application # 46 – Jacob Rollwagen

Land - \$850, Building - \$4,950, Total - \$5,800, Amount of Loan - \$4,000

Application # 47 – A. Beer

Land - \$750, Building - \$4,800, Total - \$5,550, Amount of Loan - \$3,890

Application # 48 – H. T. Rumble

Land - \$1,300, Building - \$5,200, Total - \$6,500, Amount of Loan - \$500

June 1921 – Application for Plumbing Loan under Bill # 114

Application # 4 – Thomas Sly

Land - \$600, Building - \$4,000, Total \$4,600, Amount of Loan - \$600

June 1921 – Housing Loan Application # 37 transferred from Harry Robinson to G. F. Neilson

June 1921 – A license is given to Greater Sheesley Shows to exhibit their shows on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 from June 13-18 upon a payment of \$500

June 1921 – Constable Newman is given permission to engage during the circus of June 13-18, five special constables at \$7 per day

June 1921 – W. K. Smith is given the contract for grading Margaret Avenue for \$575

June 1921 – A total of \$1,000 is to be paid to the trustees of Shaarey Zedec Cemetery for the opening up of Salter Street

June 1921 – Local Improvements to be advertised

Plank sidewalk on Forrest Avenue from Powers to Andrews and a plank sidewalk on the south side of Margaret Avenue from Aikins to Powers

Street lights on Seven Oaks Avenue from Main to Scotia

June 1921 – Last meeting of the Council of West Kildonan before the division of West Kildonan into Old Kildonan and West Kildonan and the last council meeting for Councillors McKenzie, Toshack and Henry

July 1921 – First meeting of the new and smaller Rural Municipality of West Kildonan, Reeve Charles A. Tanner, Councillors Henry C. Avery, James L. Cartwright and William J. Hanna

July 1921 – William Ballard is approved the Secretary-Treasurer

July 1921 – J. W. Jessop the Building Inspector tells Council that the building erected at Main Street and Perth Avenue was built without a building permit

July 1921 – A petition is presented to council asking for the dissolution of the West Kildonan School District

July 1921 – J. A. Conn is to be paid \$3.50 for foot for deepening the well on Margaret Street

July 1921 – Residents ask for the streetcar service on McGregor Street from Bannerman in Winnipeg to Hartford Avenue in West Kildonan

July 1921 – The wells on Jefferson Avenue and Perth Avenue are to be inspected after complaints about the water quality

July 1921 – The speed limit on Main Street at the Kildonan Park entrance is reduced to 10 mph

July 1921 – Housing Loan applications approved

Application # 49 – W. H. Bowles

Land - \$500, Building - \$4,000, Total - \$4,500, Amount of Loan - \$3,000

Application # 50 – A. P. Moore

Land - \$450, Building - \$3,850, Total - \$4,300, Amount of Loan - \$3,010

Application # 51 – J. H. Berry

Land - \$850, Building - \$4,450, Total - \$5,300, Amount of Loan - \$3,700

Application # 52 – W. P. White

Land – \$1,000, Building - \$4,300, Total - \$5,300, Amount of Loan - \$3,700

Application # 53 – J. Sutherland

Land - \$700, Building - \$4,100 – Total \$4,800, Amount of Loan - \$3,360

Plumbing Loan approved under Bill 114

O. Pledgen

Land - \$700, Building - \$2,300, Total - \$3,000, Amount of Loan - \$1,700

August 1921 – The Municipal Commissioner's levy is \$12,766.16 for 1921

August 1921 – Powers is to be opened up between Templeton and Margaret

August 1921 – Council deplores the improper language used by Mr. W. Watson Road Foreman in reply to a resident and he is warned not to use such language again

August 1921 – Winnipeg Paint and Glass Company receives the contract for the supply of lumber for \$1,682.50

August 1921 – Building loan applications approved

Application # 54 – J. S. Bauchop

Land - \$500, Building - \$5,600, Total - \$6,100, Amount of Loan - \$2,500

Application # 55 – A.S. Contervine

Land - \$800, Building - \$4,400, Total - \$5,200, Amount of Loan - \$3,000

Application # 56 – W. Martin

Land - \$750, Building - \$3,850, Total - \$4,600, Amount of Loan - \$3,220

Application # 57 – F. E. Nelson

Land - \$500, Building - \$4,300, Total - \$4,800, Amount of Loan - \$3,360

Application # 58 – W. M. L. Cooper

Land - \$750, Building - \$5,200, Total \$5,950, Amount of Loan - \$4,000

Application # 59 – M. G. Pollock

Land - \$750, Building - \$5,350, Total – \$6,100, Amount of Loan - \$4,000

Application # 60 – Lionel J. Smith

Land - \$700, Building - \$4,300, Total - \$5,000, Amount of Loan - \$3,700

Application # 61 – J. Woodall

Land - \$800, Building - \$4,800, Total - \$5,600, Amount of Loan - \$3,920

Application # 62 – Marion Scott Brown

Land - \$600, Building - \$4,300, Total - \$4,900 – Amount of Loan - \$3,700

Application # 63 – T. J. Slatterly

Land - \$600, Building - \$5,200, Total - \$5,800 – Amount of Loan - \$4,000

Application # 64 – W. Bates

Land - \$550, Building \$3,350, Total - \$3,900, Amount of Loan - \$2,730

Application # 65 – B. J. Daly

Land - \$500, Building - \$3,900, Total - \$4,400, Amount of Loan - \$3,000

Application # 66 – M. A. Hewitson

Land - \$280, Building - \$3,400, Total - \$3,680, Amount of Loan - \$2,300

Application # 67 – C. H. Nix

Land - \$830, Building - \$4,800, Total - \$5,630, Amount of Loan - \$3,000

Application # 68 – J. McLean

Land - \$830, Building - \$4,440, Total - \$5,270 – Amount of Loan - \$3,690

Application # 69 – James Love

Land - \$400, Building - \$5,000 – Total - \$5,400 – Amount of Loan - \$3,780

Application # 70 – R. W. Bergman

Land - \$400, Building - \$3,300, Total - \$3,700, Amount of Loan - \$2,590

Application # 71 – Jack Woodall Jr.

Land - \$830, Building - \$4,440, Total - \$5,270, Amount of Loan - \$3,690

August 1921 – A granolithic sidewalk is to be built on the south side of Seven Oaks Avenue on Lots 1-22 Block 4, Lots 1-3 Block 5

August 1921 – A well is to be drilled on Leila Avenue between Powers and Andrews

August 1921 – Estimates

West Kildonan School Levy - \$23,462

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$12,766.16

General Debentures – \$4,298.84

Uncontrollable - \$40,526.79

Administration and Finance - \$22,081.66

Fire Department - \$5,107

Health – \$7,965.26

Police - \$4,431.40

Public Works - \$18,826.66

Miscellaneous - \$4,732.38

Total Controllable - \$63,144.36

Revenue other than Taxation - \$14,472.59

August 1921 – The West Kildonan Cricket Club receives a grant of \$25 and the Knowles Home for Boys receives a grant of \$25

September 1921 – J. C. D. Taylor is hired as the Municipal Engineer at \$225 per month

October 1921 – The stable of Mr. W. Templeton on Templeton is ordered to be put in a sanitary condition

October 1921 – Council asks for streetcar service on McGregor Avenue to be extended to Templeton Avenue

October 1921 – The Salvation Army receives a grant of \$75

October 1921 – Sewer and watermains are to be extended from Armstrong Avenue to Burrin Avenue. A trunk sewer and watermain is to be built on Newton Avenue from Main to Scotia. A granolithic sidewalk is to be built on Seven Oaks Avenue East. A plank sidewalk is advertised for the north and south sides of Belmont Avenue from Aikins to Salter. A well is to be built on Margaret Avenue opposite Lot 14, Block 2, Kildonan Parish Lot 19.

November 1921 – Skating rink are to be flooded between Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) and Royal Avenue

On Seven Oaks Avenue

Between Tait and Norman (Jones)

On Jefferson Avenue west of the C.P.R. tracks

November 1921 – Handrails are to be placed on the sidewalk on Seven Oaks Avenue, east of Main Street at the creek

November 1921 – Advertised for water and sewer local improvements

Newton from West side of Main to Red River

Armstrong from Main to Scotia

Norman (Jones) from Armstrong to Newton

Forest from Main to Scotia

Royal from Main to Scotia

Kildonan (Kingsbury) from Main to Scotia

Burrin from Main to Scotia

Scotia from Lot 20 Block 5 Kildonan Parish Lots 12/13 to Kildonan Park

November 1921 – In view of the unemployment problem in the municipality, council make an application to the Federal and Provincial Governments for each level of government to pay 1/3 of relief costs

Relief Schedule per week

Single Men and Women - \$5 for food and \$2 cash

Married Couples - \$8 for food and \$4 cash

Married Couples with one child - \$9 for food and \$5 cash

Married Couples with two or three children - \$10 for food and \$6 cash

Married Couples with four or more children - \$12 for food and \$7.50 cash

December 1921 – Deputy Returning Officers receive \$10 for Election Day with poll clerks receiving \$7.50 and special constables \$6

December 1921 – A well is to be sunk on St Anthony Avenue opposite Lot 9, Block 30, Kildonan Parish Lot 7, Plan 2266

December 1921 – A temporary constable is to patrol Main Street at night at \$125 per month

December 1921 – The Great War Veterans Association receive \$10 to cover expenses in connection with Poppy Day

December 1921 – Indemnities for 1921, Reeve C. A. Tanner - \$495, Councillors H. C. Avery - \$165, J. L. Cartwright - \$191.20, D. Burnside - \$249.60, W. J. Hanna - \$185, G. A. Clarke - \$75

January 1922 – Reeve Charles A. Tanner, Councillors, Henry C. Avery, James L. Cartwright, George R. Davidson and William J. Hanna

January 1922 – Council passes a by-law to incorporate West Kildonan as a town (Manitoba Legislature fails to pass legislation bringing it into effect)

January 1922 – West Kildonan borrows \$130,000 from the Union Bank of Canada, West Kildonan Branch, to meet current expenditures

January 1922 – J. W. Jessop is appointed the Assessor for 1922

J. C. D. Taylor is appointed the Engineer for 1922

Dr. R. B. Anderson is appointed the Medical Health Officer for 1922

The firm of Hudson, Ormond, Spice and Symington are appointed Solicitors for 1922

January 1922 – Council opposes the application of Old Kildonan to create a new school district out of the West Kildonan School District

January 1922 – West Kildonan borrows \$10,000 from the Union Bank of Canada to temporarily finance local improvements

January 1922 – 1922 Estimates

Administration and Finance - \$26,240

Fire Department - \$5,075

Health and Relief - \$11,260

Police - \$4,700

Public Works - \$8,150

Miscellaneous - \$5,300

Total Controllable - \$60,725

West Kildonan School District - \$21,242

Accounts Payable - \$5,500

Debentures and Interest - \$23,288.66

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$11,982.96

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$18,417.35

Provincial Government Land Tax - \$157.63

Total Uncontrollable - \$80,588.60

Revenue other than Taxation - \$15,837.15

Taxation Required - \$125,476.45

February 1922 – Council requires that all labour constructing sewers and watermains must be paid at the prevailing rate of pay according to the Provincial Fair Wage Schedule

February 1922 – James L. Henderson is hired as the Sewer Inspector at \$150 per month

February 1922 – A well is sunk on Seaforth Avenue opposite Lot 19, Block 7, Plan 1223, Kildonan Parish Lot 21 at \$2 per foot at a total cost of \$170 to a depth of 85 feet

A well is sunk on St Anthony Avenue opposite Lot 9, Block 30, Plan 2266, Kildonan Parish Lot 7 at a total cost of \$228 to a depth of 114 feet

February 1922 – West Kildonan makes an application to the provincial government for \$200,000 under the housing scheme

March 1922 – West Kildonan exchanges \$15,000 in Victory Loan Bonds in exchange for \$6,000 in West Kildonan Bonds and \$9,000 in West Kildonan School District Bonds

March 1922 – The creek is to be opened up between Burrin and Semple Avenues east of Main Street

March 1922 – A well is sunk at the corner of Margaret and Aikins at a cost of \$142 at a depth of 71 feet

April 1922 – J. Dalgarno is given the Scavenging contract for \$2,400

April 1922 – Old Kildonan residents petition for the dissolution of the West Kildonan School District

April 1922 – Mr. J. Scarfe is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector for 1922 at 60 cents per hour

May 1922 – Roads into the Manitoba Good Roads competition are Leila from Main to McPhillips and Hartford from Main to McPhillips

May 1922 – The parking of cars is prohibited on the east side of Main Street from Armstrong to the north limit of the municipality

May 1922 – A grant of \$19.92 is given to the Lansdowne Place Mission being the total amount of taxes for 1920 and 1921

May 1922 – D. Hendry is paid \$25 for attending the furnace at the Municipal Hall during the winter of 1921-1922

May 1922 – C. F. Gabriel Provincial Government Auditor is to make periodic audit of the books of the municipality during 1922 at a fee of \$350

May 1922 – Council gives its approval to the Great War Veterans Association, West Kildonan Branch to erect a memorial hall in West Kildonan

June 1922 – The estimated expenditures for the West Kildonan School District for 1922 are \$60,482.67

June 1922 – West Kildonan is to prepare a town planning scheme at a cost of \$800

June 1922 – Charles Vanderlip is to hold an eight day carnival on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for a license fee of \$800

June 1922 – Total relief costs in West Kildonan in November 1, 1921 to April 30, 1922 total \$7,799.10 with the three levels of government sharing the cost equally. A total of 280 adults and 206 children received relief during this period

July 1922 – A well is to be sunk on the north side of Kilbride Avenue opposite Lot 13, Plan 1326, Kildonan Parish Lots 10/11

July 1922 – Dr. R. B. Anderson is to be paid \$300 for the year as the Medical Health Officer.

July 1922 – There are complaints about the condition of the well on McAdam west of McGregor Street

August 1922 – Water is to be drained from the creek between Armstrong Avenue and Newton Avenue

August 1922 – A ditch is to be constructed on the south side of Burrin Avenue between Aikins and Main at a cost of \$25

August 1922 – A ditch is to be constructed on Salter Street from St Anthony to Jefferson at a cost of \$20

August 1922 – The West Kildonan School District is divided into two districts, the Old Kildonan School District and the remainder of the West Kildonan School District

September 1922 – Salter Street is to be opened from Kildonan Parish Lot 5 to Armstrong Avenue

September 1922 – A well is to be sunk at the corner of Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury Avenue) and Aikins Street

September 1922 – Main Street is to be graded at the Inkster Creek

October 1922 – The Health Inspector reports seven Diphtheria cases in West Kildonan

November 1922 – Permission is given to the Great War Veterans Association to sell poppies on Armistice Day November 11

November 1922 – The West Kildonan Ratepayers Association is told the ward system will not be adopted in West Kildonan

December 1922 – Council is to investigate the question of fire escapes installed at public institutions and schools in the municipality

December 1922 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District plans to increase the water rate charged from 2 ½ cents per 1,000 gallons

December 1922 – Local Improvements advertised for sewer and water mains

Belmont from Main to Salter

Hartford from Main to Aikins

Perth from Main to Salter

Seven Oaks from Salter to Powers

December 1922 – The Great War Veterans Association receive a grant of \$130.58 to cover the taxes on their clubhouse

December 1922 – J. L. Cartwright retires from council

December 1922 – All men on the payroll for at least one month are to be paid for Christmas Day

December 1922 – Indemnities for members of council for 1922

Reeve Charles A. Tanner - \$1,050, Councillors H. C. Avery - \$430, J. L. Cartwright - \$435, G. R. Davidson - \$445, H. J. Hanna - \$460

January 1923 – Reeve Charles A. Tanner, Councillors, David Burnside, George R. Davidson, Henry C. Avery and William J. Hanna

January 1923 – Dr. R. B. Anderson is appointed the Medical Health Officer for 1923

J. W. Jessop is appointed the Assessor for 1923

J. C. D. Taylor is appointed the Engineer for 1923

The firm of Hudson, Ormond, Spice and Symington are appointed the Solicitors for 1923

January 1923 – West Kildonan is to borrow \$150,000 from the Union Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

January 1923 – A skating rink is to be flooded on the grounds of Centennial School

January 1923 – The Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association membership fee is \$30

January 1923 – The West Kildonan Horticultural Society formed in October 1922 receives a grant of \$25

January 1923 – West Kildonan decides to return to the ward system

February 1923 – Council protests the raising of the speed limit by the provincial government as the speed limit throughout West Kildonan is 15 mph

February 1923 – West Kildonan is to create five polling stations for municipal elections

February 1923 – The West Kildonan School District asks council for a loan of \$3,000 to meet current expenditures

February 1923 – Council passes a resolution in protest against the provincial government reducing mothers' allowances

March 1923 – Old Kildonan is to pay the West Kildonan School District \$10,000 plus it is to purchase the two schools now located in Old Kildonan

March 1923 – The West Kildonan Curling Club is given a grant of \$25 towards the expenses of entertaining the Scottish curlers

April 1923 – F. Richards is to act as the Municipal Electrician during the absence of B. S. Phillips

April 1923 – A night watchman is to be employed from 5 pm to Midnight on streets that are opened for sewer construction

April 1923 – There are complaints that the Home of the Friendless has closed the public lane beside their property without the permission of council

April 1923 – J. W. Jessop resigns at the Municipal Assessor; the position is now advertised at a salary of \$1,800

May 1923 – West Kildonan School District By-law # 42 to borrow \$10,000 is to be submitted to the ratepayers

May 1923 – David Hendry is paid \$25 for attending the furnace at the Municipal Hall during the winter of 1922-1923

May 1923 – Council submits a \$15,000 by-law to cover the cost of flood damage and flood damage to the sewers and culverts

May 1923 – The Advanced Fuel Company is denied permission to move their offices from Main and Perth

May 1923 – C. F. Gabriel, Provincial Government Auditor is to make periodic audits of the municipality

May 1923 – Mr. Arthur Derbyshire is appointed the Assessor

June 1923 – West Kildonan's equalized assessment for 1923-1924 is \$3,486,000

June 1923 – The well at Hartford and McGregor is to be pumped out

June 1923 – Ditches are to be constructed on Powers from Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) to Forest at a cost of \$260

June 1923 – The West Kildonan Horticultural Society receives \$45 for prize money

July 1923 – There are complaints about manure being dumped into the creek on Templeton Avenue

July 1923 – The salary of Chief Constable J. Newman is raised from \$165 to \$180 per month and that of Constable T. Donald is raised from \$140 to \$150 per month with a third constable to be hired

July 1923 – The West Kildonan Horticultural Society is to hold an exhibition at Centennial School on August 17-18

July 1923 – There are complaints about manure being dumped into the creek on Kilbride Avenue

July 1923 – A water standpipe is to be erected on Belmont Avenue at a cost of \$145

July 1923 – Water standpipes are to be built on Seven Oaks Avenue and Powers Street

July 1923 – The Sports Committee of the West Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$10

July 1923 – Estimates for 1923

Administration and Finance - \$29,580.90

Public Works - \$17,224.75

Fire, Water and Light - \$6,421.25

Health - \$10,800

Police - \$5,385

Total Uncontrollable - \$69,411.90

West Kildonan School District Levy - \$91,865.79

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$10,552

General Debentures - \$5,086.40

Total Uncontrollable - \$176,916.09

Estimated Revenue other than taxation - \$4,065

July 1923 – Fees for the cost of installing water standpipes and the cost of water

A fee of \$1.00 upon installation

A fee of \$1.25 for standpipe key

A charge of \$1.00 per quarter

A refund of \$1.25 when key is returned

July 1923 – West Kildonan is to tap the City of Winnipeg watermain on McAdam for supplying water to standpipes on Armetta, McGregor and McAdam. The cost of each standpipe is \$208 each

August 1923 – There are complaints about manure being dumped on Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) and on Margaret Avenue

August 1923 – The license fee for exhibiting a steer on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 is \$10 per day

September 1923 – There are complaints about the platform at the well at the corner of Margaret and Aikins

September 1923 – Voters reject West Kildonan School District By-Law 42 to borrow \$10,000 by a vote For 73, Against 243

September 1923 –The West Kildonan Fire Department is fighting fires in Old Kildonan

October 1923 – The Manitoba Good Roads Association membership fee of \$30 is paid

October 1923 – West Kildonan is to rent the nuisance grounds in Old Kildonan for a period of 10 years

November 1923 – The Home of the Friendless is ordered to remove the fence and obstruction on the lane near Seven Oaks Avenue

November 1923 – The Engineer is ordered to have the water tested in all wells and repair the platforms at all wells where ever necessary

November 1923 – Council purchases 10 tons of hard coal for the Municipal Hall at \$19 per ton

December 1923 – A referendum is held to determine the contract for street lighting, City Hydro 863, Winnipeg Electric Company 348. City Hydro is to supply the electricity at 13.5 cents per light per night.

December 1923 – Casual labour hired for the construction of the flue on Armstrong Avenue are to be paid 42.5 cents per hour

December 1923 – The province is to pay 25% of relief costs and 50% of the administrative costs and 1/3 of the cost of local improvements made to reduce unemployment

December 1923 – Skating rinks are to be flooded on Leila Avenue east of Main Street, St Anthony Avenue west of Main Street and at the corner of McAdam and McGregor

December 1923 – A grant of \$25 is made to the City of Winnipeg Firemen's Benefit Society and a box of cigars to the # 4 Fire Hall

December 1923 – Reeve Tanner retires from council along with Councillor Avery

December 1923 – Indemnities paid to members of Council for 1923, Reeve Charles A. Tanner - \$905, Councillors, H. C. Avery - \$306, G. R. Davidson - \$320, D. Burnside - \$380 and W. J. Hanna - \$385

January 1924 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, Thomas Dunn, W. J. Hanna, D. Burnside and G. R. Davidson

January 1924 – West Kildonan asks to borrow \$150,000 from the Union Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

January 1924 – J. C. D. Taylor is appointed the Engineer for 1924

A. Derbyshire is appointed the Assessor for 1924 at \$225 per month

James H. Stitt is appointed the Solicitor for 1924

Constable Newman is appointed the Poundkeeper pro-tem

Dr. R. B. Anderson is appointed the Medical Health Officer for 1924

January 1924 – A copy of the Council Minutes are sent to the West Kildonan Branch of the Independent Labour Party at a copy of 50 cents per meeting

January 1924 – A skating rink is to be flooded at the corner of Seven Oaks and Sinclair

January 1924 – Ex-Reeve Tanner M. L. A. is asked to assist the municipality in obtaining a guarantee from the provincial government for West Kildonan bonds because of West Kildonan's inability to borrow money

February 1924 – There is a petition for a wall at the corner of Parr and Newton

February 1924 – The rate of wages in the Public Works Department are cut from 60 cents per hour to 50 cents per hour

February 1924 – Council is refused a line of Credit of the Union Bank of Canada and the provincial government states it is unwilling to guarantee West Kildonan's Municipal Bonds. The Municipal Commissioner is asked to accept the resignation of the entire West Kildonan Council as of March 1, 1924 but the Municipal Commissioner refuses the request. The province asks council to pass a by-law for \$72,000 in debentures against the tax sale investments with the province purchasing the debentures.

March 1924 – All outside employees in the Public Works and the Fire, Water and Light Departments are to be paid 50 cents per hour

March 1924 – Estimates for 1924

Administration and Finance - \$26,130

Public Works - \$10,750

Fire, Water and Light - \$6,595.70

Police and Health - \$13,210

Controllable Estimates - \$56,685.70

Estimated Revenue other than Taxation - \$4,562

March 1924 – Council opposes provincial legislation to exempt from taxation the property of the Home of the Friendless

March 1924 – A bill is introduced to provide for the taxation of Kildonan Park and the Kildonan Golf Course but the bill is withdrawn when the City of Winnipeg agrees to pay frontage fees

March 1924 – Council tells the province that it can reduce the 1924 Controllable Estimates but with the province in control of the finances the estimates are reduced by the order of the Municipal Commissioner to

Administration and Finance - \$23,570

Public Works - \$9,100

Fire, Water and Police - \$6,015.70

Police and Health - \$12,260

Controllable Estimates - \$50,945.70

March 1924 – West Kildonan is to loan two shacks to the West Kildonan United Football Club (Soccer)

March 1924 – C. F. Gabriel the Municipal Auditor is appointed to make periodic audits of the books

April 1924 – East Kildonan asks West Kildonan to consider combining the engineering services of the two municipalities

April 1924 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District levy is \$17,380, with the total Uncontrollable Estimates of \$169,414.69 and total spending of \$220,360.39 with \$215,108.39 required in taxation. Total salaries in 1924 are \$19,570 which requires layoffs and cuts in salaries. Arthur Derbyshire the Municipal Assessor is dismissed along with the Municipal Caretaker.

May 1924 – J. C. D. Taylor the Municipal Engineer resigns due to his cut in pay.

May 1924 – W. Watson is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector

May 1924 – Council asks the Winnipeg Electric Company to charge residents the same rate for electricity as it charges its City of Winnipeg customers

May 1924 – The Greater Winnipeg Suburban Association receives a grant of \$45 to cover expenses

May 1924 – Winnipeg Hydro offers to charge West Kildonan residents the same rate as its City of Winnipeg customers if it is granted the municipal electrical franchise

May 1924 – The West Kildonan mill rate is set at 17.5 mills

May 1924 – A temporary permit for 60 days is given to Joseph Curcio to operate a junk store on Main Street between Hartford and Perth

June 1924 – A sum of \$25 is given to D. Hendry for attending the furnace at the Municipal Hall during the winter of 1923-1924

June 1924 – The City of Winnipeg 50th Anniversary Jubilee on June 18, 1924 is declared a public holiday in West Kildonan

June 1924 – West Kildonan`s population is now 4,900

June 1924 –J. Dalgarno is to remove all night soil from all dwelling houses in West Kildonan and deposit it all in the nuisance grounds for a sum of \$1,400

July 1924 – A new Ford car is purchased for the Police Department for \$338 and a trade in of \$300 on the old car

July 1924 – St Martin`s Church Vestry is given permission to construct a temporary lean-to to the church hall

July 1924 – Council is told that the Winnipeg Selkirk and Lake Winnipeg Company is to reduce streetcar service between Templeton Avenue and Middle Church

August 1924 – Council is to approach Old Kildonan, West St Paul and St Andrews towards joint action towards approaching the provincial government to increase the financial support of maintaining Main Street

August 1924 – The West Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$25

September 1924 – A telephone is to be installed at the Municipal Hall for fire calls with a fireman to be stationed at the Municipal Hour 24 hours per day. Previously phone calls for fire calls were unanswered after regular business hour.

September 1924 – The Winnipeg Electric Company agrees to extend streetcar service on McGregor Avenue from Bannerman to Hartford in exchange to the company receiving the exclusive franchise for supplying electricity to West Kildonan residents for a period of five years

September 1924 – A third teamster Mr. A. Walker is hired for the Fire Department at a salary of \$105 per month. The Fire Department is put on an eight hour shift so at least one fireman will be on duty at all times

October 1924 – Council pays the Good Roads Association membership fee of \$30

November 1924 – A municipal polling station is to be set up in the City of Winnipeg

November 1924 – The City of Winnipeg is to flood the skating rink on McAdam Avenue

December 1924 – The relief schedule in effect for the 1923-1924 winter, is to be in effect for the 1924-1925 winter

December 1924 – A skating rink is approved for the corner of Jefferson and Powers

December 1924 – Indemnities for members of council for 1924, Reeve E. Partridge - \$643, Councillors – G. R. Davidson - \$365, T. Dunn - \$375, W. J. Hanna - \$394 and D. Burnside - \$342

January 1925 – Reeve G. R. Davidson, Councillors, Arthur Derbyshire, Henry C. Avery, Thomas Dunn and J. Hanna

January 1925 – William Ballard is appointed the Secretary-Treasurer for 1925

January 1925 – West Kildonan is to receive \$2,952.61 in liquor profits from the province

February 1925 – Mr. E. R. R. Mills is appointed Assessor for 1925

February 1925 – The Provincial Government is to reimburse West Kildonan 25% of all relief costs due to employment

February 1925 – Council asks the Union Bank of Canada for \$50,000 to meet current expenditures but the bank turns down the request

March 1925 – The property at 136 Jefferson Avenue is boarded up and placarded as being insanitary

March 1925 – Dr. R. Brodie Anderson the Medical Health Officer files suit against West Kildonan because of the reduction in his salary which was ordered by the Municipal Commissioner

March 1925 – The Municipal Solicitor James H. Stitt is upset that his payment was not sent to him. Council tells him a cheque was sent to the Municipal Commissioner for his counter signature as required but he has not done so.

April 1925 – The Municipal Commissioner is requested to appoint C. F. Gabriel as the Municipal Auditor to make periodic audits of the books

April 1925 – The well opposite 566 Seven Oaks Avenue is to be tested

April 1925 – All men employed on snow clearing and flood prevention works are to be paid 42.5 cents per hour

April 1925 – The municipal well opposite 566 Seven Oaks Avenue is cleaned

April 1925 – The bridge on Armstrong Avenue west of Main Street is to be repaired after it was damaged by a recent flood

April 1925 – Conklin and Garroth are to pay \$85 per day for a circus and exhibition shows on Kildonan Parish Lot 5 from June 22 to 27

April 1925 – The West and Old Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$25

April 1925 – The provincial government tells council that the municipality is to be administered by the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Board as off May 1, 1925 and the West Kildonan Council and all staff are dismissed. Council objects to the provincial government dismissing the elected representatives being from office without out any reference to the public electing them.

April 1925 – Indemnities for members of Council for 1925, Reeve George R. Davidson - \$88.34, Councillors, Henry C. Avery - \$15, Thomas H. Dunn - \$25, Arthur Derbyshire - \$40 and William J. Hanna - \$20

May 1925 – First meeting of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Board running West Kildonan with W. E. Hobbs, Chairman of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Board and George R. Davidson, representative of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Board

May 1925 – Estimates

Controllable

Administration - \$30,586.66

Works - \$8,550

Fire, Water and Light - \$7,977.53

Police and Public Health - \$13,230

Miscellaneous - \$10,000

Total Controllable - \$70,340.19

Uncontrollable

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$7,860.30

General Debentures - \$7,973.74

West Kildonan School District Levy - \$70,420

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$16,270

Sewer District # 1 - \$8,063.19

Sewer District # 2 - \$6,637.70

Water District # 1 - \$6,708.65

Water District # 2 - \$2,440.03

Total Uncontrollable - \$126,373.61

Estimated Revenue other than taxation - \$4,565

May 1925 – All permanent employees are re-engaged at their previous rate of pay

June 1925 – The scavenging contract for the removal of night soil is given to J. Delgarno for \$1,400

July 1925 – W. C. McKinnell is now the chairman of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Board

July 1925 – The West Kildonan School Board asks for a water connection to Centennial School

July 1925 – West Kildonan receives \$2,044.35 from liquor profits during the past 8 month period

July 1925 – Old Kildonan asks for the nuisance grounds to be kept in a more satisfactory condition

July 1925 – A fee of \$1 is to be charged for all dogs brought into the pound to be destroyed with the Humane Society doing the work for 75 cents per animal

July 1925 – A public standpipe is to be constructed on Burrin Avenue

September 1925 – W. Watson the Fire Chief is appointed the Chimney Sweep

September 1925 – Robert Gregg is given permission to construct a private sewer and watermain at his own expense to 312 Kilbride Avenue

September 1925 – The house at 174 Kilbride Avenue which belongs to the municipality after a housing loan default is rented to G. Murphy for \$25 per month

September 1925 – A petition signed by residents on Armetta Avenue and McAdam Avenue from McGregor to Parr ask for their streets to be annexed to the City of Winnipeg

November 1925 – E. A. McPhail is given permission to construct a radio wire across the lane on Perth Avenue

January 1926 – A skating rink is approved for the southwest corner of Powers and Seven Oaks

January 1926 – Mr. E. Partridge is added to the board as a representative of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Board

January 1926 – All municipal cheques must be signed by G. R. Davidson as the representative of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Board

January 1926 – Building permits in 1925 total 119 with a value of \$93,563

January 1926 – Dr. R. Brodie Anderson is appointed the Medical Health Officer at \$200 for the year

January 1926 – H. T. Attwater is given permission to construct a private watermain at his own expense from the corner of Salter to 318 Semple Avenue

February 1926 – Residents of Smithfield Avenue asks that St Andrews Dairy be closed down on Smithfield Avenue because its operation is a public nuisance

April 1926 – There is a complaint that material has been thrown into the creek at Seven Oaks Avenue obstructing the natural water course

April 1926 – W. Watson is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector for 1926

May 1926 – E. Williamson makes an application to operate a gasoline filling station on Jupiter Avenue

May 1926 – The Fire Chief is told that the cleaning of the Municipal Offices is to be done by the Firemen

May 1926 – E. R. R. Mills is appointed the Assessor for 1926

May 1926 – Residents are told that the removal of night soil by the municipality is to be discontinued after June 30, after that date residents will become responsible for the removal of night soil at their own expense

Estimates for 1926

Controllable

Administrative - \$29,732.50

Fire, Water and Light - \$7,405.49

Health - \$6,345

Police - \$3,300

Works - \$5,710

Unclassified - \$4,672.30

Total Controllable - \$57,165.29

Uncontrollable

Municipal Commissioner`s Levy - \$8,103.66

General Debentures - \$3,469.29

West Kildonan School District Levy - \$64,540

Greater Winnipeg Water District levy - \$12,127.17

Sewer District 1 - \$8,063.19

Sewer District 2 - \$6,637.70

Water District 1 - \$6,708.65

Water District 2 - \$2,440.03

Total Uncontrollable - \$112,089.69

The equalized assessment is set at \$2,649,079

August 1926 – With William Ballard on sick leave, S. J. Burgess is appointed the Acting Secretary-Treasurer at \$200 per month

September 1926 – The West Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$25

October 1926 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District sets the water rate at 3 cents per 1,000 gallons as of January 1, 1927

October 1926 – The lot opposite 316 Semple Avenue is to be used for a skating rink

October 1926 – St Andrews Dairy at 164 Smithfield Avenue is given permission to construct a crossing opposite 164 Smithfield Avenue

October 1926 – E. R. R. Mills is appointed the Assessor for 1927 at \$375 for the year

November 1926 – A private watermain is to be built at the owner`s expense from Aikins to 238 St Anthony Avenue

November 1926 – Skating rinks are approved for the corners of St Anthony and Aikins, Main and Royal, Seven Oaks and Enniskillen and Hartford and McGregor

December 1926 – Skating rinks are approved for Burrin Avenue, east of Main, at Belmont and Aikins and Jefferson and McKenzie

January 1927 – Skating rinks for McAdam and Matheson and Seven Oaks and Tait due to the lack of municipal funds

January 1927 – A water standpipe are approved for the corner of Sinclair and Seven Oaks at a cost of \$118.65

January 1927 – Dr. R. B. Anderson is appointed the Medical Health Officer at \$125 for the year

February 1927 – D. Burnside is appointed as a member of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Board along with J. E. Fortin who is appointed Supervisor

March 1927 – The tender for the removal of garbage is given to Charles S. Lucas for \$725 for the year

March 1927 – Estimates for 1927

Controllable

Administrative - \$11,692

Fire, Water and Light - \$15,189.76

Health - \$4,100

Police - \$3,840

Works - \$6,900

Unclassified - \$5,300

Total Controllable - \$47,021.76

Uncontrollable

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$11,830.50

Provincial Levy - \$5,672.56

Hospital - \$2,000

West Kildonan School District Levy - \$48,907.65

Debentures - \$45,492.84

School Paid - \$9,542.42

Interest Royal Bank - \$4,588.94

Interest Loan - \$4,425

Tax Title Cost - \$2,500

Royal Bank Principal Collection - \$5,000

Capital Expenditures - \$6,100

Total Uncontrollable - \$146,009.91

Total Estimates - \$193,031.67

April 1927 – J. A. McLean is appointed the Municipal Solicitor at \$70 per month

May 1927 – A grant of \$25 is made to the West Kildonan Horticultural Society

May 1927 – J. Beckett is given permission to erect a garage behind his filling station at Main and Newton

May 1927 – M. Nagel is given the contract for taking night soil to the nuisance grounds for \$1,350

June 1927 – A. Warren is hired to the Permanent Public Works Staff at \$120 per month

June 1927 – Ringling Bros. are given permission to hold a circus on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 in August for a fee of \$500

July 1927 – A. C. Walker is given the contract for the pickup of garbage at \$935 for the year

July 1927 – The Confederation 60th Anniversary Jubilee is given a grant of \$100

September 1927 – Graveling as a local improvement is to be done on

Hartford from Main to Aikins

Jefferson from Main to Salter

Seven Oaks Avenue from Main to Scotia

November 1927 – Petition for ice rinks with no hockey allowed at

Seven Oaks and Tait

Semple Avenue and Aikins

Jefferson and McKenzie

Burrin, east of Main

Newton Avenue

McAdam and McGregor

F. R. Allen the Official Trustee for the West Kildonan School District asks for a skating rink on behalf of the Centennial Hockey Club on Leila Avenue

November 1927 – St Anne`s Church is given permission to install a temporary sewer and watermain from Aikins to the St Anne`s Parish Hall

November 1927 – A sewer and watermain are to be built on Royal Avenue with a standpipe to be built on Royal

December 1927 – The Royal Bank agrees to accept a \$25,000 cash payment at 6% interest payable over 25 years and the sale of Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for \$7,000 to settle its share of the municipal debt

January 1928 – The elected council of West Kildonan is restored but a Supervisor W. C. McKinnel appointed by E. M. Sanders, chairman of a committee representing the debenture

holders is also part of council. Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors Charles H. Cook, John H. Longrigg, Thomas Sly and John Reeves

January 1928 – William Ballard is appointed the Secretary Treasurer

January 1928 – Council decides not to join the Manitoba Good Roads Association for 1928

January 1928 – W. C. McKinnel the Supervisor is to be paid \$77.09 monthly for his work

February 1928 – There are a number of scarlet fever cases in Seven Oaks School and Victory School. The schools are to be fumigated and closed until further notice

February 1928 – Controllable Estimates for 1928

Administrative - \$11,837

Fire, Water and Light - \$5,440

Police and Health - \$8,186

Works - \$8,250

Unclassified - \$9,395.16

Total Controllable Estimates - \$43,108.16

February 1928 – The West and Old Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$25

March 1928 – C. F. Gabriel is to conduct periodic audits of the books

March 1928 – Land is exchanged with P. Sly the Water Works Superintendent so he can live closer to the Municipal Hall

March 1928 – A Public Health Nurse is to be hired for West Kildonan, 25% of her salary is to be paid by the municipality, 25% by the West Kildonan School District and 50% by the Provincial Government

April 1928 – Chief Constable J. Newman resigns but council asks him to reconsider

April 1928 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District levy for 1928 is \$11,711.65

April 1928 – Main Street opposite Centennial School is to be patrolled by the Police when children leave the school at noon and in the afternoon

April 1928 – C. A. Tanner and A. A. McPhail, real estate agents are appointed agents to sell municipally owned property

April 1928 – The resignation of Chief Constable J. Newman is accepted with regret

May 1928 – The municipality obtains the property of the Home of the Friendless through tax sale proceedings

May 1928 – A by-law is introduced to permit the creation of any new cemeteries and the expansion of any existing cemeteries

May 1928 – The West Kildonan United Church is given permission to use lots 7 and 8 in Block 2, Kildonan Parish Lot 12, Plan 1796 for a tennis court

May 1928 – A plank sidewalk is to be built on Templeton Avenue from Powers to Mr. Mason's property

May 1928 – Municipal bank accounts are transferred from the Imperial Bank of Canada and the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation to the West Kildonan Branch of the Royal Bank. The bank is to pay 2% interest on the daily balance.

May 1928 – Former Chief Constable J. Newman is given \$140 in recognition for his 14 years of service

May 1928 – T. Donald is appointed the Chief Constable at \$150 per month

May 1928 – Residents of Forest Avenue ask for sewer and water from Main to Salter

May 1928 – Complaints are made that that manure is being dumped on the property of the Home of the Friendless

May 1928 – The well on Seven Oaks Avenue is to be closed

May 1928 – The Police Garage is to be moved from the property next to the former Chief Constable to the Municipal Yard

May 1928 – Malcolm McDonald is appointed a Constable at \$125 per month

June 1928 – Cinder sidewalks are advertised for local improvements on

North and South sides of Perth from Main to Scotia

North and South sides of Jefferson from Main to Andrews

North side of Kilbride from Main to Aikins

South side of Jefferson from Main to Lot 6 Block 2, Kildonan Parish Lot 7, Plan 1232

June 1928 – The Municipal Commissioner's levy for 1928 is \$4,058.36

June 1928 – C. G. McRory opens a drug store at 1839 Main Street

June 1928 – The creek is to be filled in between Kilbride and Belmont east of Main Street

June 1928 – Council is to sell 174 Kilbride Avenue for \$1,900 to Norman Smith

June 1928 – The well at the corner of Templeton and Aikins is to be tested

June 1928 – Council is to purchase 400 cubic yards of cinders for 75 cents per yard

July 1928 – Mr. E. H. Ryan makes an application to build a moving picture theatre on Main Street

July 1928 – Council asks the Winnipeg, Selkirk and Lake Winnipeg Railway Company to move its streetcar tracks on Main Street from the west side to the centre of Main Street

July 1928 – The sidewalk on Royal Avenue from Main to Centennial School is to be repaired

July 1928 – A. C. Walker is given the contract for the collection of night soil and garbage for \$2,050 for a one year contract

July 1928 – A part of the creek between Perth and Kildonan (Kingsbury) is to be filled in

August 1928 – The caretakers of Centennial and Victory Schools are paid \$5 each for their work at the last municipal election

August 1928 – Fifty public notices are to be put up stating that any person or persons riding a bicycle on any sidewalk will be prosecuted

August 1928 – A watermain and sewer is to be built on Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) from the connection at Aikins and Burrin. A water standpipe is to be built on McAdam Avenue and the well is to be closed.

September 1928 – There are reports of boards being stolen from the property of the Home of the Friendless

September 1928 – Council is to have the creek filled in between Hartford and Kilbride by allowing companies to dump manure there free of charge

September 1928 – The lock on the water standpipe on Belmont Avenue is damaged so water can be taken without the use of a key

September 1928 – A water standpipe is to be built on the south side of Seven Oaks Avenue at the corner of McKenzie Street at a cost of \$200

September 1928 – A cinder sidewalk is advertised for the north side of Newton Avenue

October 1928 – Crushed stone is to be placed at a cost of \$2.15 per cubic yard on

Hartford from Main to Aikins a distance of 800 feet with 100 cubic yards at a cost of \$215

Scotia from the south limits to Kildonan Parish Lot 6, a distance of 640 feet with 80 yards at a cost of \$172

Powers from Partridge to Leila, a distance of 320 feet with 40 cubic yards at a cost of \$86

Jefferson from Main to Salter, a distance of 1,300 feet with 160 cubic yards at a cost of \$344

October 1928 – Henry Borger and Son is given the contract for sewer and watermain

On Kildonan (Kingsbury), a watermain on Aikins for a total cost of \$1,344.93

October 1928 – The Supervisor tells council that the spending for 1928 is \$7,721 above the estimates for 1928 so expenditures for 1929 will have to be sharply curtailed

October 1928 – A total of 40 tons of coal are purchased for the Municipal Hall at \$10.50 per ton

October 1928 – The Chief Constable is instructed to take strong action against any person or persons damaging property on Halloween and the principals of the schools are so informed.

November 1928 – The West Kildonan School District is to return to an elected board with four trustees

November 1928 – Ten plank sidewalks are to be removed due to their poor condition

November 1928 – Five skating rinks are to be flooded upon request in West Kildonan upon request after a payment of \$3.00

November 1928 – The salary of Constable M. McDonald is raised to \$135 per month

December 1928 – Council is informed that the police have been unable to find the person or persons responsible for breaking all the windows at the Home of the Friendless on Halloween night

January 1929 – Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors, Charles H. Cook, Thomas Sly, John Longrigg and John Reeves with Supervisor W. C. McKinnell

January 1929 – The West Kildonan Community League asks for a copy of all minutes of council

January 1929 – J. A. McLean is appointed the Solicitor at \$1,080 for 1929

January 1929 – Dr. E. W. Stewart is appointed the Medical Health Officer at \$20 per month

January 1929 – W. Watson, the Public Works Foreman is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector and Fire Chief

January 1929 – Beek and Tevendale, Builders open a builder's supply yard at 1772 Main Street

January 1929 – The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks are to be given a license to hold Conklin and Garret All Canadian Shows from June 24-29 for a license fee of \$750

January 1929 – Winnipeg Hydro is to supply street lighting to West Kildonan for a period of five years at a rate of 14.5 cents per light per night

February 1929 – All cheques and orders for payment must be countersigned by Supervisor W. C. McKinnel

February 1929 – I. Grace, the Stenographer resigns her position. The position of Stenographer is advertised at a salary of \$90 per month

March 1929 – Council obtains title to Kildonan Parish Lot 5 through tax sale proceedings

March 1929 – The property at 230 Forest Avenue is obtained through the default of Housing Loan # 66; the property is offered for sale for \$3,000 of which \$250 must be in cash. The property at 108 Tait Avenue is obtained through the default of a housing loan; the property is offered for sale at \$4,500 of which \$300 must be in cash.

March 1929 – Miss D. Green is hired as the stenographer at \$90 per month

March 1929 – Estimates for 1929 – Controllable

Administrative - \$12,779.48

Fire, Water and Light - \$5,726

Police and Health - \$9,387

Works - \$9,400

Unclassified - \$10,435

Total Controllable - \$47,727.48

Uncontrollable

Municipal Commissioner's levy - \$4,100

Greater Winnipeg Water District - \$11,700

Debenture Interest - \$61,000

West Kildonan School District levy - \$57,000

Health Nurse - \$900

Street lighting - \$4,316.45

Miscellaneous - \$3,300

Total Uncontrollable - \$145,617.45

Total Spending - \$190,044.93

Revenue other than Taxation - \$7,283

March 1929 – Salaries

Secretary- Treasurer's Department

W. Ballard - \$2,700 per year

S. J. Burgess - \$1,920 per year

G. Parker - \$1,620 per year

I. Grace - \$1,200 per year

Fire Department

D. Hendry - \$1,500 per year

D. Gunn - \$1,400 per year

Temporary Staff - \$175 per year

Police Department

T. Donald - \$1,920 per year

M. McDonald - \$1,620 per year

Public Works Department

Foreman W. Watson - \$1,740 per year

Temporary Staff - \$3,350 per year

Auditor - \$500 per year

Temporary Help - \$400 per year

Municipal Solicitor - \$1,080 per year

Noxious Weed Inspector - \$200 per year

Rink Labour - \$70 per year

Indemnities for 1929

Reeve E. Partridge - \$540

Councillors – C. H. Cook, J. H. Longrigg, J. Reeves and T. Sly - \$240 each

Supervisor - \$925 plus \$173.40 in expenses

April 1929 – A plank sidewalk is to be built on Salter Avenue from Hartford to Perth

April 1929 – A total of \$100,000 from the Revenue Reserve Account to the Real Estate Reserve Account

April 1929 – The well opposite Centennial School is to be removed

April 1929 – The pump on the well on Royal Avenue west of Powers is to be replaced

April 1929 – C. Pearce is given permission to seed the boulevard opposite the Belmont Service Station on Main Street

April 1929 – A sewer and watermain are to be built on Belmont Avenue east of Main Street

April 1929 – A. A. McPhail is appointed the Real Estate Agent for the sale of municipal property and he is to be paid a 10% commission on all vacant lots, 5% on any improved lot on the first \$3,000 and 3% on the balance

April 1929 – Crushed stone is to be placed on Scotia Street from Seven Oaks to Perth at a cost of \$233.10

April 1929 – West Kildonan obtains \$6,522.51 from East Kildonan from debentures issued before the Rural Municipality of Kildonan split in 1914

May 1929 – Street signs are to be placed on streets east of Main Street from the southern limits to Armstrong Avenue. Stop signs are to be placed on streets intersecting the east side of Main Street on Newton, Burrin, Semple, Kilbride, Jefferson and Seven Oaks

May 1929 – Granolithic sidewalks are to be built at a total cost of \$3,719.74 on

North side of Seven Oaks from Main to Lot 11, Block 2, Kildonan Parish Lot 6, Plan 2038

North side of Perth on Blocks 1-4 Kildonan Parish Lot 9, Plan 1092

North side of Burrin from Aikins on Blocks 1-2 Kildonan Parish Lot 12, Plan 2351

May 1929 – D. Hendry resigns from the Fire Department

May 1929 – A water standpipe is to be built on Royal Avenue

May 1929 – John Scarfe is hired for the Fire Department at \$120 per month

June 1929 – The watermain on Tait Avenue is to be flushed once each month by the Water Works Department

June 1929 – A water standpipe is to be built on Armetta Avenue (Matheson) between McGregor and Parr

June 1929 – A Gestetner Duplicator Machine is purchased for \$325 minus a 10% discount

June 1929 – The newly formed Seven Oaks Division of the St John's Ambulance receives a grant of \$10 to purchase equipment

June 1929 – Night soil is now to be deposited in the sewer at Leila and Scotia with the sewer outlet extended to the Red River at a cost of \$175

June 1929 – Donald Gunn and John Scarfe are appointed Poundkeepers

July 1929 – Mr. John Holland, Chairman of the West Kildonan School Board asks for new sites for schools

July 1929 – Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bayley Shows are to hold a circus on August 10 on Kildonan Parish Lot 6

July 1929 – B. Mitchell is appointed the Acting Electrical Inspector during the absence of F. Richards

July 1929 – Concrete sidewalks are advertised for

North side of Jefferson from Main to Salter

North side of Perth from Main to Aikins

North and south sides of Belmont from Main to Aikins

North and south sides of Kilbride from Main to Aikins

South side of Semple from Main to Salter

North side of Semple from Main to Aikins

North side of Burrin from Main to Lot 64 Block 3, Kildonan Parish Lots 12/13

South side of Burrin from Main to Lot 22, Kildonan Parish Lots 12/13

North and south sides of St Anthony from Main to Norman (Jones)

July 1929 – The property of the Bank of Montreal located at Main and Kilbride is to be exempt from taxes as long as it is occupied by the West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion

July 1929 – A. C. Walker is given the contract for the collection of night soil and garbage for \$2,500 for a one year contract

July 1929 – The province obtains title to the northern half of Kildonan Parish Lot 6 that was previously the Home of the Friendless

August 1929 – It is suggested that Armetta Avenue be changed to Matheson Avenue as it is a continuation of Matheson Avenue in the City of Winnipeg

August 1929 – The well on Belmont Avenue west of Main Street is to be removed

September 1929 – The property at 108 Tait Avenue is sold to Edward P. Caw for \$3,500, payable at \$45 per month which includes 7% interest

September 1929 – Armetta Avenue is changed to Matheson Avenue

September 1929 – A street sign is to be placed on Matheson Avenue and Hartford Avenue east of Main Street

October 1929 – The Provincial Government Department of Health asks the Health Officer to immunise people against small pox and diphtheria which has become more prevalent in Manitoba

October 1929 – The Municipal Hall is insured for \$6,000 for the building and \$3,500 for the contents for a premium of \$120.78

October 1929 – The principal of Governor Semple School asks for a skating rink

October 1929 – A plank sidewalk is to be built across the boulevard to the store of Edward Donnelly at 1731 Main Street

November 1929 – A municipal skating rink, 150 feet by 80 feet is to be constructed on the east side of Main Street between Hartford and Belmont at an estimated cost of \$360. Temporary lighting is to be installed at the rink. A temporary caretaker is to be hired and a first aid kit is to be placed at the rink.

December 1929 – T. Glass is appointed as the caretaker at the municipal skating rink at 40 cents per hour. Hockey posts are to be installed on the rink

December 1929 – The McColl-Frontenac Oil Company makes an application to build a filling station at the northeast corner of Main and Jefferson

December 1929 – Residents of Matheson and McAdam ask to be annexed to the City of Winnipeg

Municipality of West Kildonan Council History 1930-1939

January 1930 – Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors, Albert Collicutt, John Reeves, Thomas Sly and Charles H. Cook. Supervisor W. C. McKinnel is also part of Council with the power to veto all financial decisions of Council and all cheques of the municipality must be co-signed by him.

January 1930 – W. Watson the Public Works Foreman is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector and Fire Chief.

J. A. McLean is appointed the Solicitor for 1930 at a salary of \$1,080 for the year.

January 1930 – Council is to proceed with the foreclosure of the mortgage on the housing loan made to Mrs. Sarah Pattenden of 135 Seven Oaks Avenue

January 1930 – A filling station owned by McColl-Frontenac Oil Company Limited is approved for Main and Jefferson

January 1930 – Council endorses a petition signed by residents on Matheson and McAdam between McGregor and Arlington to be included within the boundaries of the City of Winnipeg

January 1930 – Members of the West Kildonan School Board include J. H. Holland, Mrs. B. Southall, W. Dowling, George Tevendale and H. C. Avery

March 1930 – Enniskillen Avenue is to be opened from Salter to Main

March 1930 – Council turns down a proposal by Joe Waluch to establish a cheese factory for 1973 Main Street

March 1930 – John W. Battershill is appointed Consulting Engineer

March 1930 – The property at 230 Forest Avenue is sold to F. Gostick for \$2,500 of which \$200 is cash

March 1930 – The Municipal Ice Skating rink is to close on March 31

March 1930 – Estimates for 1930

Controllable

Administration - \$12,644

Fire Water and Light - \$6,044.78

Police and Health - \$9,399

Public Works - \$8,840

Unclassified - \$8,395

Capital Expenditures - \$500

Equipment - \$1,166

Water Department - \$15,800

Total Uncontrollable - \$62,788.78

Uncontrollable

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$11,000

Debenture Interest - \$61,011.50

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$6,686.91

Street Lighting - \$3,969.31

West Kildonan School District - \$47,176.82

Miscellaneous - \$850

Bills Payable - \$1,000

Total Uncontrollable - \$131,694.54

Total Estimates - \$192,706.04

Assessment	1929	1930
Land	\$1,457,743	\$1,217,380
Buildings	\$1,225,280	\$1,222,956
Total	\$2,683,023	\$2,440,336
Personal	\$113,550	\$158,900
Total	\$2,796,573	\$2,599,236
Exempted Land	\$1,045,422	\$1,247,955
Exempted Buildings	\$186,320	\$223,300

Total \$4,028,315 \$4,070,491

April 1930 – A plank sidewalk is to be built across the Main Street Boulevard to Gunn’s Bakery at 1783 Main Street and W. Quint Confectionary at 1681 Henderson Highway

April 1930 – A cinder sidewalk is to be built on the south side of Hartford from Aikins to 288 Hartford

April 1930 – Permission is granted to the Benevolent and Protection Order of Elks to hold a carnival show on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for six days for \$750

April 1930 – A hotel is approved for the east side of Main Street between the southern limits and Belmont (Green Brier Inn)

April 1930 – The West Kildonan Juvenile Football Club is given permission to use the skating room shack for a dressing room

April 1930 – A watermain is to be built on Scotia from the southern limits to Smithfield at a cost of \$390

May 1930 – The west side of Main Street is to be opened up and gravelled to the Bergen Cut-off

May 1930 – Municipally owned lots on the east side of Main Street are offered for sale except those fronting on Main Street are to be sold for \$75 each or two or more lots for \$50 each. The terms are cash must be paid and purchaser must build a dwelling worth \$3,500 by June 1, 1931.

May 1930 – West Kildonan is to pay the men for their time that are circulating a petition opposed to the provincial government building a jail on the property of the former Home of the Friendless. A total of 1,409 people sign the petition.

May 1930 – The Water Works Superintendent is told to stop using lead pipes for water connections and to use copper pipes instead.

May 1930 – Foreclosure proceedings are taken against Housing Loan #43 at 173 Seven Oaks Avenue

June 1930 – The contract is renewed with A. C. Walker for the collection of garbage and night soil

June 1930 – St Anne’s Tennis Club is given permission to use the lot adjoining the tennis court on Burrin Avenue

June 1930 – Municipally owned lots on the west side of Main Street are to be sold. Lots on Main from Salter fronting on streets with sewer and water are to be sold for \$50 each or \$80

for two lots. On Jefferson Avenue from Salter to Sinclair the lots are \$40 each or \$60 for two lots.

June 1930 – E. R. R. Mills is appointed the Assessor for 1931 at \$350 for the year

July 1930 – A cinder sidewalk is to be built on the east side of Aikins from Hartford to Kildonan (Kingsbury) at a cost of \$240

July 1930 – Concrete sidewalks are advertised for local improvements on

South side of Rupertsland from Main to Norman (Jones)

North side of Hartford from Main to Scotia

North side of Kilbride from Main to Scotia

South side of Kilbride from Main to Scotia

North side of Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) on Lot 1 and from Lots 72-89, Plan 1700, Kildonan Parish Lots 12/13

South side Kildonan Avenue from Main to Scotia

North side Royal from Main to Scotia

North side Newton from Main to Scotia

North side Hartford from Main to Aikins

South side Burrin from Main to Aikins

July 1930 – The plank sidewalk on the east side of Main Street from Templeton to the Bergen Cut-off because of the poor condition of the sidewalk

August 1930 – A private sewer is approved to serve the stores on the west side of Main Street between Perth and Hartford

August 1930 – All concrete sidewalks advertised as local improvements are to be built with the contract awarded to the low bidder Public Works Foreman W. Watson for \$7,719.20

September 1930 – The cost of immunizing 800-900 school children for diphtheria is 25 cents per child

September 1930 – Concrete sidewalks are to be built on the south side of Royal from Scotia and on the north side of Belmont Avenue from Main to Scotia

October 1930 – The west side of Main Street from the south limits to the north limits is to be opened up and paved to a 20 foot width with a sewer to be constructed. The Federal and Provincial Governments are to pay 40% of the cost each with West Kildonan paying 20%. Workers are to be paid 40 cents per hour with a man and his team making 70 cents per hour. A by-law is to be sent to the ratepayers to approve the sale of debentures worth \$20,000 to cover the West Kildonan share.

October 1930 – A municipal skating rink is to be constructed at Main and Forest on the property of the Home of the Good Shepherd at a cost of \$300

October 1930 – A skating rink is approved for the corner of Tait and Norman (Jones)

October 1930 – The West and Old Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$25

November 1930 – Crushed stone is to be placed on Hartford and Jefferson at a cost of \$500

November 1930 – The Provincial and Federal Governments are to pay 2/3 of the cost of relief work. Unemployed men are to clean sidewalks and highways up to a cost of \$1,500

November 1930 – For the municipal election, Deputy Returning Officers are to be paid \$9, Poll Clerks \$7 and School Caretakers \$3

December 1930 – Voters approve the \$20,000 Main Street improvements and a \$25,000 West Kildonan School District By-Law to build a four room addition to Centennial School

December 1930 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion receives Lots 1-8 in Block 2, Kildonan Parish Lots 12/13 for a Memorial Hall

December 1930 – Quotations accepted for the supply of relief orders

Bread from Brown's Bakery, 20 ounce loaves – 6 cents, 16 ounce loaves – 5 cents

Milk from St Andrews Dairies, quart – 11 cents, pint – 6 cents

Fuel from Chick's Lumber and Fuel Company

	1 Cord	½ Cord	Cut ½ Cord
Tamarac	\$9.50	\$4.90	\$5.50
Spruce	\$7.50	\$4.00	\$4.75
Poplar	\$6.50	\$3.50	\$4.25
		1 Ton	½ Ton

Drumheller Lump Coal	\$10.50	\$6.00
Drumheller Stove Coal	\$10.00	\$5.25
Anthracite Coal	\$19.50	\$9.75
Coke	\$14.00	\$7.25

December 1930 – A total of 1,080 school children are to be immunized for diphtheria at a cost of \$270

December 1930 – Councillors Sly and Cook retire from Council

January 1931 – Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors D. Nicholson, J. Pearce, A. Collicutt and J. Reeves and W. C. McKinnell the Supervisor

January 1931 – J. A. McLean is appointed the Solicitor for 1931

W. Watson the Public Works Superintendent is appointed the Noxious Weed Inspector and the Fire Chief

February 1931 – Council is told that the basement of Centennial School is not suitable for classroom space but it is being used for that purpose. The four room addition under construction will not solve the problem in the long run because of the growing population so Council offers to lend the school district \$17,500 to construct a further four rooms.

March 1931 – A steamer for thawing out culverts is to be purchased for \$150

March 1931 – Crushed stone is to be placed on

Leila from Main to Powers and from Powers to Partridge

Scotia from the south limits to the lane north of Perth

Leila from Powers to the C.P.R. tracks

Smithfield from Main to Norman (Jones)

March 1931 – A grant of \$25 is given to the West and Old Kildonan Horticultural Society

Estimates for 1931

Controllable

Administration - \$13,069

Fire, Water and Light - \$5,490.78
 Police and Health - \$9,609.75
 Public Works - \$9,140
 Unclassified - \$9,160
 Local Improvements and Capital Equipment - \$12,995
 Total Controllable - \$59,464.53
 Uncontrollable
 Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$9,521.28
 Debenture Interest - \$61,011.50
 Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,493.27
 Street Lighting - \$3,969.31
 West Kildonan School District - \$47,025
 Bills Payable - \$1,000
 Miscellaneous - \$4,912.20
 Total Uncontrollable - \$130,932.56
 Total Spending - \$190,397.09

Assessment

	1930	1931
Land	\$1,217,380	\$1,189,615
Buildings	\$1,222,956	\$1,330,591
Total	\$2,440,336	\$2,520,206
Personal	\$158,900	\$166,180
Total	\$2,599,236	\$2,686,386
Exempt Land	\$1,247,955	\$1,268,660

Exempt Buildings	\$233,300	\$223,190
Total	\$4,070,491	\$4,178,236

March 1931 – Indemnities for members of Council for 1931

Reeve E. Partridge - \$540, Councillors - \$240, Supervisor - \$1,140

Salaries

Secretary-Treasurer – W. Ballard - \$2,700 per year

Assistant Secretary-Treasurer – S. J. Burgess - \$1,920 per year

G. Parker - \$1,620 per year

D. Green - \$1,080 per year

Chief Constable – T. Donald - \$1,920 per year

Constable – M. McDonald - \$1,620 per year

Public Work Supervisor, Fire Chief and Noxious Weed Inspector - \$1,740 per year

J. A. McLean – Solicitor - \$1,000 per year

Health Officer - \$240 per year

Water Works Supervisor – P. Sly - \$1,620 per year

March 1931 – The old municipal ambulance is to be disposed of

March 1931 – Main Street Improvement Wages

Form-Setter Foreman - \$1.00 per hour

Form-Setter Helper – 45 cents per hour

Engineer in charge of 3 or more drum machines - \$1.10 per hour

Engineer in charge of 2 drum machines - \$1.00 per hour

Engineer in charge of 1 drum machine – 95 cents per hour

Fireman First Class – 75 cents per hour

Fireman Second Class – 65 cents per hour

Cement Finisher – 70 cents per hour

Carpenter - \$1.10 per hour

Water boy – 25 cents per hour

Labourers – 40 cents per hour

Two Horse Team – 30 cents per hour

Two Horse Team with Teamster – 70 cents per hour

March 1931 – E. R. R. Mills is to be paid \$1,000 for a new assessment roll for 1932

March 1931 – The Winnipeg Electric Company complains about the damage being done to the streetcar waiting room on Templeton Avenue

March 1931 – Kildonan Parish Lot 5 from Main to Aikins is sold to A. Paquin the proprietor of the St Andrews Dairy for \$500

April 1931 – Garbage is to be used for filling in the creeks and other low spots and then covered in topsoil

April 1931 – A ditch is to be constructed on Andrews from Armstrong to Leila at a cost of \$150

April 1931 – A water standpipe is to be built on Kilbride Avenue between Salter and Powers

April 1931 – Radio Oil Refineries Limited is to erect a filling station at the northeast corner of Main and Smithfield at a cost of \$3,500

May 1931 – The West Kildonan Branch of the St John's Ambulance Brigade is given permission to erect a first aid kit on the southern boundary of the municipality

May 1931 – Mr. A. I. Johnson of 549 Matheson Avenue along with Mr. Watkins of 353 Hartford Avenue are appointed chimney sweeps

May 1931 – The watermain on Main Street in West Kildonan is to be connected to the City of Winnipeg watermain on Main Street at a cost of \$223.50

May 1931 – The street car tracks on Main Street are moved from the west side of Main Street to the centre of Main Street from Templeton Avenue to the Bergen Cut-off at a cost of \$3,100

May 1931 – Concrete sidewalks are advertised as local improvements on

North side of Smithfield from Norman (Jones) to Scotia

North side of Jefferson from Main to Scotia

South side of Jefferson from Main to Scotia

South side of Perth from Lot 19, Block 4 to Scotia

North side of Perth from Lot 19 Block 4 to Scotia

North side of Semple from Aikins to Lot 24 Block 16

West side of Scotia from the southern limits to Jefferson

East side of Scotia from the southern limits to the lane north of Perth

North side of St Anthony from Norman (Jones) to Lot 12, Block 7

East side of Main from the south side of Armstrong to a point 212 feet north

May 1931 – A cinder sidewalk is to be built on the east side of Main Street from Templeton to the Bergen Cut-off

June 1931 – The West Kildonan School Board says it cannot build fire escapes on the new addition to Centennial School because of the cost

June 1931 – The Derry Branch of the Orange Lodge is given permission to hold a parade on June 21

June 1931 – Unemployment conditions as of May 31, 1931

Married – 193 with 282 dependents

Single Men – 178

Single Women – 65

Total Unemployed – 436

Total Residents on Relief - 718

Estimated number of residents who will require relief during 1931-1932

Married Men – 225, Single Men – 220, Single Women – 80

Amount expended for unemployment relief during 1930-1931

Indirect Relief by Municipality - \$3,676.72

By Federal and Provincial Governments - \$14,706.82

Direct Relief by Municipality - \$2,000.37

Direct Relief by Federal and Provincial Governments - \$4,004.74

Estimated cost of unemployment relief work which may be carried out with the assistance of the federal and provincial governments

Repairing and resurfacing the pavement on the east side of Main Street - \$30,000

Sewers - \$50,000

Sidewalks - \$10,000

June 1931 – West Kildonan since 1914 has spent \$180,000 on drainage purposes

June 1931 – The contract for the removal of garbage and night soil is extended for a further year to A. C. Walker

July 1931 – An agreement is made with the West Kildonan and Old Kildonan Horticultural Society to hold the annual fair in conjunction with the Royal American Show from August 10-22 for a fee of \$1,000 on Kildonan Parish Lot 6

July 1931 – The Public Works Department is to patch the concrete pavement on the east side of Main Street opposite Sheriff Inkster's property from Jefferson to Newton

August 1931 – The tender of Public Works Foreman W. Watson is accepted for the construction of concrete sidewalks at a cost of \$8,410.05

August 1931 – The west side of Main Street is officially opened

August 1931 – The resurfacing of the east side of Main Street is to be done under an unemployment relief project with the Federal and Provincial Government paying 40% of the cost each with the municipality paying 20%

August 1931 – There are now 35 men employed working on the construction of concrete sidewalks

August 1931 – There are complaints about the chickens being kept by J. R. Finch at 281 Burrin Avenue

August 1931 – The George Allen Garage and Service Station is to supply free of charge a quantity of oil for road work

August 1931 – List of proposed works to relieve unemployment

Watermains

Scotia from the lane north of Perth to lane north of Semple - \$4,500

Main from Armstrong to Templeton - \$4,500

McGregor from Jefferson to Matheson - \$4,500

Powers from Jefferson to Forest - \$80,000

Semple from Salter to Powers - \$1,700

Kilbride from Salter to Powers - \$1,483

Total Watermains - \$98,683

Gravel Roads

McGregor from southern limits to Kildonan (Kingsbury) and Powers from Enniskillen to Cork - \$2,520

Jefferson from Aikins to McPhillips, Hartford from Aikins to McPhillips and Leila from Powers to McPhillips - \$7,500

Total Gravel Roads - \$10,020

Sewers

Main from Newton to Margaret - \$6,000

McGregor from Jefferson to Matheson - \$8,000

Powers from Jefferson to Semple - \$100,000

Scotia from the lane north of Perth to lane north of Semple - \$6,000

Total Sewers - \$120,000

Concrete Sidewalk

West side of Main - \$10,000

September 1931 – Building of a boulevard is advertised for the east side of Scotia from Lot 49-52, Kildonan Parish Lot 5 and Lots 5-12, Kildonan Parish Lot 6

September 1931 – The rate of pay for unemployment relief work is 40 cents per hour

September 1931 – Concrete sidewalks are being built at a cost of 95 cents per lineal foot

September 1931 – Unemployment relief work is to construct

Sewer on Main Street from Newton to Margaret - \$6,000

Watermain on Main Street from Newton to Margaret - \$4,500

Sewer on McGregor from south limits to Jefferson - \$6,000

Watermain on McGregor from south limits to Jefferson - \$6,500

Sewer on Scotia from lane north of Perth to lane north of Semple - \$6,000

Watermain on Scotia from lane north of Perth to lane north of Semple - \$4,500

Total - \$33,500

September 1931 – All unemployed men seeking work must register at the municipal hall

October 1931 – The opening up of Enniskillen Avenue from Main to Salter is to be done as an unemployment relief project

October 1931 – The supply of fuel for relief orders is given to the Kildonan Ice and Fuel Company

1 Drumheller Lump - \$10.10 per ton and \$5.30 per ½ ton

October 1931 – West Kildonan is to connect to the City of Winnipeg Watermain on McGregor

October 1931 – Chief Constable Thomas Donald is also the Relief Officer

November 1931 – Gravelling as a local improvement will be done if ratepayers pay 9 cents per foot frontage before the work is done

November 1931 – So far the total amount spent on Main Street improvements under the unemployment relief plan is \$114,848.91 with the West Kildonan share \$22,969.78

November 1931 – The West Kildonan Hockey League is given permission to hold a tag day

December 1931 – Twelve unemployed men from West Kildonan are to be sent to Riding Mountain National Park for relief work

December 1931 – A watermain is to be constructed on McGregor from the southern limits to Jefferson at a cost of \$5,465.95

December 1931 – Skating rinks are to be flooded at

1. McAdam and McGregor
2. Tait and Norman (Jones)
3. Perth and Aikins
4. Belmont and Aikins
5. Newton east of Main
6. Home of the Good Shepherd
7. Seven Oaks and Powers
8. Jefferson and McKenzie
9. Main and Forest

The schools are to use the West Kildonan Hockey Rink at Main and Forest and the rink at Seven Oaks and Powers

December 1931 – Men on relief are to be employed on sewer and watermain construction on the following basis

Married Men with two dependents – 3 days per week

Married Men with three or four dependents – 4 days per week

Married Men with five or more dependents – 5 days per week

Single Men – 1 day per week

Single Men who are supported by parents – 1 day every two weeks

December 1931 – The Supervisor tells Council that unless relief orders are kept to a minimum he will not pass appropriations for public services in 1932

December 1931 – Council is told that the C.N.R. may cut its employees by 30%

December 1931 – The West Kildonan and Old Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$100 to meet its deficit

December 1931 – The cost of cord work and clothing received by those on relief work working on unemployment work is to be deducted from their paycheques up to a maximum of 50%

January 1932 – Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, T. Sly, D. Nicholson and J. Pearce along with Supervisor W. C. McKinnell

January 1932 – J. A. McLean is appointed Solicitor for 1932

W. Watson Public Works Superintendent is also appointed the Fire Chief and Noxious Weed Inspector

January 1932 – The Weekly Relief Schedule for Groceries and Provisions

1 Adult - \$2.50

2 Adults - \$3.00

2 Adults and 1 Child - \$3.70

2 Adults and 2 Children - \$4.30

2 Adults and 3 Children - \$4.85

2 Adults and 4 Children - \$5.15

2 Adults and 5 Children - \$5.45

2 Adults and 6 Children - \$5.75

January 1932 – There is a proposal to place all single men on farms

February 1932 – Mr. Horrock, Secretary of the West Kildonan Unemployed Association speaks to Council

February 1932 – Certain lots are to be acquired to straighten Scotia Street

February 1932 – Council turns down an offer of the West Kildonan Board of Trade to appoint two members of council to the Board of Trade

February 1932 – Council offers to sell 100 feet of municipally owned land on the west side of Main Street at \$1.00 per foot for a movie theatre costing approximately \$80,000

March 1932 – Cinders are to be placed on the sidewalk on the west side of Norman (Jones) from Tait to Rupertsland

March 1932 – Estimates for 1932

Controllable

Administration - \$12,408

Fire Water and Light - \$5,501.38

Police and Health - \$14,757

Public Works - \$7,725

Unclassified - \$8,220.60

Capital Spending - \$12,948

Total Controllable - \$61,559.98

Uncontrollable

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$9,500

Debenture Interest - \$61,011.50

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$2,500

Street Lighting - \$2,546.34

West Kildonan School District Levy - \$49,614.67

Miscellaneous - \$1,000

Total Uncontrollable - \$126,172.54

Total Estimates - \$187,732.49

Assessment	1931	1932
Land	\$1,189,615	\$1,059,440
Buildings	\$1,330,591	\$1,376,975
Total	\$2,520,206	\$2,436,415
Personal	\$166,180	\$172,890
Total	\$2,686,386	\$2,609,305
Exempted Land	\$1,268,660	\$1,377,955
Exempted Buildings	\$223,190	\$233,410

Total \$4,178,236 \$4,220,670

March 1932 – The Jefferson Avenue sewer outlet is to be extended at a cost of \$450

March 1932 – A watermain and a standpipe is to be built on Royal Avenue at a cost of \$548.30

March 1932 – Proposed Local Improvements to be constructed under the Unemployed Relief Works Program

Sewer and Watermain on Templeton from Main to Salter, sewer- \$4,000, watermain - \$7,116

Sewer and Watermain on Main Street from Newton to Margaret, sewer - \$8,500, watermain - \$10,000

Sewer and Watermain on Matheson Avenue from McGregor to Parr, sewer - \$3,221, watermain - \$4,135

Sewer and Watermain on McAdam Avenue from McGregor to Parr, sewer - \$3,221, watermain - \$4,135

April 1932 – The Building Inspector is instructed to board up old buildings at Main and Smithfield, Scotia and Kilbride and Main and Kilbride

April 1932 – A sewer is to be built on Parr at a cost of \$1,200

April 1932 – A culvert and crossing is to be made to the entrance to the property of the Kildonan Ice and Fuel Company on Partridge Avenue

April 1932 – Gravelling advertised as Local Improvements on

Jefferson from Salter to C.P.R. Selkirk Branch Tracks

Royal from Main to Scotia

The lane at the rear of Scotia Street frontage lots from Seven Oaks to Tait

April 1932 – The Winnipeg Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1932 – F. Watkins of 353 Hartford Avenue is appointed a Chimney Sweep

April 1932 – The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks is given permission to hold a carnival show on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for a period of 6 days for \$500

May 1932 – A well is to be removed from Royal Avenue west of Main Street where a water standpipe has been built

May 1932 – West Kildonan is to supply seed potatoes to people on relief upon application

May 1932 – Street signs are to be placed at Jefferson and Salter and at Powers and Seven Oaks

May 1932 – Permission is granted to Joseph Land to use Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for the purpose of running a golf school and a driving range

June 1932 – C. Pearce of the Green Brier Filling Station is told not to allow cars to cross the sidewalk on Smithfield Avenue to and from the station

June 1932 – Part of the plank sidewalk on the north side of Tait Avenue is to be taken up

June 1932 – A water standpipe is to be built at the corner of Hartford and McKenzie at a cost of \$607

June 1932 – A concrete sidewalk is advertised for Main Street from Kilbride to Semple at a cost of \$1.50 per lineal foot

June 1932 – An agreement is signed with A. C. Walker to collect garbage and night soil for 1932-1933 for \$2,250

July 1932 – There are complaints about the insanitary condition of the property from McGregor to the C. P. R. Tracks south of Hartford caused by the herding of cows

July 1932 – The Supervisor tells Council he will not countersign any cheque or permit any expenditure until Council arranges for the payment of the debenture interest

July 1932 – Council expresses its appreciation to the West Kildonan Welfare League for the distribution of clothing to the unemployed

August 1932 – A delegation of the unemployed ask Council to adopt the “Back to the Land” scheme stating 14 men wish to be placed on farms. Council makes an application to the province for West Kildonan to be included in the plan.

August 1932 – The occupant of the house at Hartford and Aikins is given permission to extend the chicken houses

September 1932 – Owners of cars applying for relief are told to turn in their licence plates and driver’s license before they apply for relief

September 1932 – No parking signs are to be placed on the west side of Main Street from Enniskillen to Jefferson

September 1932 – The plank sidewalk on the west side of Aikins from Kildonan (Kingsbury) to Burrin is to be taken up and replaced with a cinder sidewalk

September 1932 – There are complaints that certain people on relief are driving cars for pleasure

September 1932 – The Supervisor tells Council he will not approve any local improvement unless pay upfront the entire cost of the local improvement before the work is started

September 1932 – Four families are to be helped by the provincial government's Rural Rehabilitation Commission under the "Back to the Land" scheme with West Kildonan paying \$800 of the cost

September 1932 – Two train car loads of poplar are to be purchased for relief purposes at \$3.25 per cord

October 1932 – A cinder sidewalk is to be constructed on the north side of Hartford from Aikins to McKenzie

October 1932 – Skating rinks are to be constructed and flooded at a total cost of \$200

October 1932 – Council tells the Supervisor that it will not issue any cheque for his salary unless he becomes more reasonable

October 1932 – E. R. R. Mills is appointed the Assessor for 1933

November 1932 – C. P. Wordsworth and his family are to be deported back to England with West Kildonan paying \$165 for the trip

November 1932 – The West Kildonan Welfare League asks for orders for the distribution of clothing to be made more promptly

November 1932 – Elected by acclamation are Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors Douglas Nicholson and John Pearce and West Kildonan School Trustees George Tevendale and Allan Scott Furness

November 1932 – The rink at Aikins and Belmont is to be flooded

December 1932 – Mr. Martens of the Unemployed Association of West Kildonan tells Council that there has been sickness among his members and their families caused by insufficient food

December 1932 – The well at Hartford and McKenzie is to be removed

December 1932 – A skating rink is approved for the north side of Hartford west of Aikins

December 1932 – A total of \$25 worth of presents are purchased for the Unemployed Christmas Tree

December 1932 – The home at 218 Hartford Avenue is to be rented to Mrs. Dawson for \$20 per month until April 1, 1933 and \$25 per month for the summer months

December 1932 – After January 1, 1933, relief orders are to be issued every 14 days instead of every 7 days

January 1933 – Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors, D. Nicholson, J. Pearce, A. Collicutt and T. Sly and Supervisor W. C. McKinnell

January 1933 – W. Watson is appointed the Public Works Foreman, Noxious Weed Inspector and Fire Chief

J. A. Mclean is appointed the Solicitor at \$1,000 for the year

Dr. E. W. Steward is reappointed the Medical Health Officer

January 1933 – Salter Street is to be closed between Templeton and Mulberry

February 1933 – Ten train car loads of poplar wood are ordered for relief purposes at \$2.60 per cord

March 1933 – Number of people on relief as of February 1933

Heads of Families – 247

Dependents – 746

Single – 8

Total -1,001

Total Cost of Relief - \$7,091.13, West Kildonan share - \$2,363.71

March 1933 – Four additional families are to be settled under the “Back to the Land” movement, making eight families so far

March 1933 – Solicitor J. A. McLean’s salary is decreased from \$1,000 per year to \$400

March 1933 – Estimates

Controllable

Administration - \$11,866.60

Water and Light - \$5,181.28

Police and Health - \$22,824.60

Public Works - \$5,005.60

Unclassified - \$8,855

Capital Works - \$10,500

Total Controllable - \$64,233

Uncontrollable

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$9,100

Debenture Interest - \$61,011.15

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$2,100

Street Lighting - \$2,546.34

West Kildonan School District - \$48,400

Bills Payable - \$1,000

Total Uncontrollable - \$124,940.92

Total Estimated Spending - \$189,173.92

Assessment	1932	1933
Land	\$1,059,440	\$996,375
Buildings	\$1,376,975	\$1,369,605
Total	\$2,436,415	\$2,365,980
Personal	\$172,890	\$172,590
Total	\$2,609,305	\$2,538,570
Exempted Land	\$1,377,955	\$1,412,020

Exempted Buildings	\$233,410	\$233,950
Total	\$4,220,670	\$4,184,540
Office Salaries	1932	1933
W. Ballard	\$2,700	\$2,538
S. G. Burgess	\$1,920	\$1,824
G. Parker	\$1,620	\$1,539
D. Green	\$1,080	\$1,047.60
Police	1932	1933
T. Donald	\$1,920	\$1,785.60
M. McDonald	\$1,620	\$1,539
Fire Department	1932	1933
D. Gunn	\$1,440	\$1,368
J. Scarfe	\$1,440	\$1,368
Public Works	1932	1933
W. Watson	\$1,740	\$1,653
A. Warren	\$1,440	\$1,368
Water Works	1932	1933
P. Sly	\$1,620	\$1,539
Members of Council	1932	1933
Reeve Partridge	\$540	\$513
Councillors	\$240	\$228
Supervisor W. C. McKinnell	\$764	\$725
Solicitor	\$1,000	\$400
Health Officer	\$405	\$540

March 1933 – Charges for water service connections

22 foot connection - \$23.23

25 foot connection - \$24.00

30 foot connection - \$27.60

33 foot connection - \$29.95

37.5 foot connection - \$32.50

38 foot connection - \$33.12

47 foot connection - \$38.51

March 1933 – The house at 218 Hartford Avenue is rented to W. Larsson for \$25 per month

March 1933 – An agreement is signed with the West Kildonan and Old Kildonan Horticultural Society to host the Royal American Shows for two weeks on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for 6 weeks for a license fee of \$600

March 1933 – A total of \$9,822.46 is to be borrowed from the West Kildonan Branch of the Royal Bank of Canada to meet current expenditures

April 1933 – Relief numbers for March 1933

Heads of Families – 258

Dependents – 765

Single – 8

Total of 1,031 on relief

Cost - \$7,160.30, West Kildonan share - \$2,386.77

April 1933 – West Kildonan is to reduce the cost of street lighting by 10% by reducing the number of hours the lights are on

April 1933 – Kildonan Parish Lot 6 is to be rented to the Elks Auxiliary for a carnival for a period of 6 days for a license fee of \$500

May 1933 – Health Officer Report for April 1933

Patients seen – 63

Calls – 32

Confinements – 2

Minor Operations performed – 3

May 1933 – The West Kildonan Curling Club is to receive property tax concessions on its proposed site

May 1933 – Council asks the provincial government to make monthly allowances to persons on relief to cover the property taxes so home owners don't lose their homes due to the non-payment of property taxes

May 1933 – The provincial government gives the West Kildonan Curling Club a portion of the land of the Industrial Training School for Girls at Jefferson and Salter for a club site

May 1933 – The Municipal Shack is loaned to the West Kildonan Football Club for a dressing room

May 1933 – The Lynx Social and Athletic Club is given the use of a municipal lot for a tennis court, the lot was formerly used as a tennis court by the United Church

June 1933 – Three acres of the Industrial Training School for Girls is to be used for garden plots for the unemployed

June 1933 – A total of \$6,636.39 is to be the Royal Bank to meet current expenditures

June 1933 – A cinder sidewalk is to be built on the north side of Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) from Aikins to Andrews, a total of 1,139 feet in length at a cost of \$388

June 1933 – An agreement is signed with A. C. Walker for the removal of garbage and night soil for the sum of \$2,250

June 1933 – George F. Martens the Secretary-Treasurer of the Unemployment Association of West Kildonan invites members of council to attend the opening of their club rooms

June 1933 – The southern half of Kildonan Parish Lot 6 is rented to L. W. Patterson for a golf practice course

July 1933 – Thomas T. Bower the Postmaster of Winnipeg complains that he has been told the West Kildonan Council is engaging persons to deliver mail contrary to the Postal Act

August 1933 – There are complaints about the quality of the water at the well at Margaret and Aikins

August 1933 – The West Kildonan Ratepayers Association is to receive the minutes of the council meetings

August 1933 – There are complaints about the dust coming from the Simpson Box Factory Company

August 1933 – Edward Robert Rufus Mills is appointed the Assessor for 1934

August 1933 – There are complaints of the smell and the general condition of the Red River due to the stagnant water arising from the low water levels

September 1933 – Residents of Belmont Avenue complain about the goats and cows being kept in a barn on Belmont Avenue

October 1933 – The Home of the Good Shepherd tell Council that they are unable to raise funds to pay their property taxes of \$4,638 for 1932

October 1933 – Relief numbers for September 1933

Heads of Families – 218

Dependents – 659

Single 18

Total number on relief – 895

Cost of relief for September 1933 - \$5,826.68

Total Cost of relief from January 1933 to September 1933 - \$57,677.63

October 1933 – A skating rink is to be created on property adjoining the Inkster Estate

October 1933 – A number of plank sidewalks are to be taken up to their poor condition and replaced with cinder sidewalks

November 1933 – The Supervisor orders that the amount paid to the West Kildonan School District for 1933 be reduced by \$3,314

November 1933 – The same skating rinks flooded during the winter of 1932-1933 are to be flooded again with the addition of the Hopper's Rink at Jefferson and Sinclair and one on Smithfield Avenue

November 1933 – Crushed stone is to be placed as a local improvement on

Jefferson from Main to Scotia

Royal from Main to Scotia

Scotia from Royal to Forest

Forest from Scotia to a point 300 feet east

Hartford from Aikins to McGregor

Jefferson from Salter to the C. P. R. Tracks

December 1933 – Relief Costs for November 1933 total \$8,512.34 with the West Kildonan share \$2,837.44

December 1933 – The ``Willing Helpers of the Unemployed`` ask for material to make clothes for the unemployed

December 1933 – Elected by acclamation Edmund Partridge and elected Councillor are Albert Collicutt and Thomas Sly. Elected to the West Kildonan School Board, Mrs. Annie Jordan, William Dowling and Frederick Richards

December 1933 – A rink is to be flooded in the vicinity of Centennial School

December 1933 – One box of 280 oranges from the West Kildonan Groceteria are sent to the ``Willing Helpers of West Kildonan`` for children`s Christmas cheer

December 1933 – West Kildonan is to receive \$2,881.48 in bond payments from East Kildonan and \$5,352.91 from the City of Winnipeg

January 1934 – Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, T. Sly, D. Nicholson and J. Pearce, Supervisor W. C. McKinnell, Assistant Supervisor Mr. Wright

January 1934 – W. G. White is appointed the Relief Officer for 1934

W. Watson is appointed the Public Works Foreman, Noxious Weed Inspector and Fire Chief

January 1934 – A hockey rink for Centennial School is flooded at Perth and Aikins

January 1934 – Council thanks the Goodwill Club and the West Kildonan Welfare Association for their work in relief work

January 1934 – The West Kildonan and Old Kildonan Horticultural Society are to host the Royal American Shows on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for a license fee of \$500. The society is to receive \$400 from the Royal American Shows

February 1934 – The Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association membership fee is \$5

February 1934 – Properties obtained by the municipality from tax sales include

1583 Main Street, 426 Hartford Avenue, 543 Hartford Avenue, 184 Jefferson Avenue, 231 Belmont Avenue and 502 Belmont Avenue

February 1934 – Relief numbers for January 1934

Heads of Family – 270

Dependents – 789

Single 19

Total people on Relief – 1078

Relief Costs, Fuel - \$2,198.46, Food - \$5,069.96, Clothing - \$877.77, Shelter - \$2,140.12, Total \$10,886.31

February 1934 – Estimates for 1934

Controllable

Administration - \$11,623.60

Fire, Water and Light - \$5,043.30

Public Health - \$6,979.60

Relief - \$30,000

Public Works - \$4,610

Unclassified - \$9,327.50

Capital Spending - \$12,150

Total Controllable - \$79,734.00

Uncontrollable

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$9,100

Debenture Interest - \$61,011.50

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$2,100

Street Lighting - \$4,075.12

West Kildonan School District Levy - \$48,000

Total Uncontrollable - \$124,286.62

Total Estimates - \$204,020.62

Assessment	1933	1934
Land	\$996,375	\$946,805
Buildings	\$1,369,605	\$1,364,415
Total	\$2,365,980	\$2,483,990
Personal	\$172,590	\$172,770
Total	\$2,538,570	\$2,483,990
Exempted Land	\$1,412,020	\$1,461,110
Exempted Buildings	\$233,950	\$238,800
Total	\$4,184,540	\$4,183,900

February 1934 – The Supervisor asks the West Kildonan School District to cut its Estimates from \$59,750.34 by \$7,432 by dispensing with the teaching of high school and by closing the schools one month earlier

February 1934 – E. R. R. Mills is appointed the Assessor

February 1934 – Council goes on record in favour of a sewage system for Greater Winnipeg with the province and the federal government paying 80% of the cost

March 1934 – The home at 1583 Main Street is rented out to J. Curcio for \$15 per month

March 1934 – Relief numbers for February 1934

Heads of Families – 279

Dependents – 812

Single – 20

Total People on Relief – 1111

Relief Costs - Fuel - \$2,057.84, Food - \$4,003.98, Clothing - \$450.94, Shelter - \$1,472.61, Total Relief Costs - \$7,985.37

April 1934 – Relief numbers for March

Heads of Family – 274

Dependents – 809

Single – 22

Total People on Relief – 1105

Relief Costs – Fuel - \$2,327.95, Food - \$4,695.04, Clothing - \$494.77, Shelter - \$1,684.73, Total Relief Costs - \$9,202.49

April 1934 – Charles Botham takes over the butcher business of Mr. Patterson at 1855 Main Street

April 1934 – Dr. E. W. Steward is appointed the Medical Relief Officer and Referee

April 1934 – The Canadian Red Cross is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1934 – There is an epidemic of measles reported in West Kildonan

May 1934 – Relief numbers for April 1934

Heads of Family – 264

Dependents – 780

Single 20

Total People on Relief – 1,064

Relief Costs, Fuel - \$1,342.86, Food - \$4,627.08, Clothing - \$792.71, Shelter - \$1,901.52, Total - \$8,664.37

May 1934 – A member of council complains that the majority of people on relief are not cooperating with council by not doing any work for their relief

June 1934 – There are a number of scarlet fever cases reported in West Kildonan

June 1934 – The provincial government says that minimum wage laws are now to be enforced with the minimum wage for adult males 25 cents per hour

June 1934 – The Supervisor tells Council that no clothing may be issued to relief recipients for the next four months. In 1933 the cost of clothing for relief recipients was \$9.14 per capita

June 1934 – The Federal Government informs the municipalities that it will no longer pay 1/3 of the cost of relief

June 1934 – The Unemployed Association of West Kildonan is given permission to hold a carnival on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 but they are told not to encroach on land used by the Green Brier Softball Team

June 1934 – The Supervisor tells council to purchase green poplar wood instead of seasoned poplar wood at \$3.75 per cord because it is 70 cents per cord cheaper

June 1934 – The scavenging contract with A. C. Walker for the removal of garbage and night soil is renewed for a further year at \$2,250

June 1934 – The wells on McAdam Avenue and Glasgow Avenue are to be cleaned out

June 1934 – Council is told that only 62% of unemployed men on relief report for work for the required work when notified

June 1934 – As a cost saving measure as ordered by the Supervisor dry garbage is to be used to fill lot spots on Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) instead of gravel

July 1934 – The Manitoba Game and Fish Association asks for the old brick field on Kildonan Parish Lot 13 to be turned into a bird sanctuary

July 1934 – Plank sidewalks in poor condition are to be replaced with cinder sidewalks

July 1934 – Relief numbers for June 1934

Heads of Families – 274

Dependents – 809

Single – 22

Total Persons on Relief – 1,105

Relief Costs, Fuel - \$495.16, Food - \$4,208.81, Clothing - \$27.40, Shelter - \$1,713.20, Total Relief Costs - \$6,444.57

August 1934 – The Supervisor tells council to relieve relief costs by 12%

August 1934 – The Seven Oaks Bicycle Club asks for permission to use the grounds west of the Green Brier Inn for a quarter mile track but council turns down the request

August 1934 – Relief figures for July 1934

Heads of Families – 233

Dependents – 692

Single – 27

Total Persons on Relief – 952

Total Relief Costs - \$6,666.64

August 1934 – West Kildonan tells the Provincial Government that it cannot afford to pay 1/3 of the cost of relief costs now that the Federal Government is only paying ¼ of the cost instead of 1/3 of the cost

October 1934 – The West Kildonan School Board complains about the wilful destruction of the school grounds of Centennial School by a team of horses

November 1934 – The direct relief costs for October 1934 are \$7,219.29 with the West Kildonan share being \$3,075.23

November 1934 – A rink is to be flooded at the rear of Centennial School

November 1934 – A chicken house is to be moved from the property of Mr. Main at 136 Seven Oaks Avenue to his property at 162 Kilbride Avenue

December 1934 – Direct relief costs for November 1934 total \$7,532.11 with the West Kildonan share being \$2,611.13

December 1934 – Several boys are charged with shooting out street lights with a rifle

December 1934 – A dental clinic is to be opened at Centennial School for school pupils

December 1934 – A rink 50 feet by 100 feet is approved for the corner of Burrin Avenue and Scotia

December 1934 – Due to the lack of clothing some families are unable to send their children to school

December 1934 – A box car is to be moved to the West Kildonan Hockey Club rink at Main and Forest

December 1934 – A by-law is introduced to prohibit boys from playing hockey on streets and sidewalks

December 1934 – The Firemen and Policemen are to be given one day leave of absence during the Christmas holidays

January 1935 – Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, T. Sly, D. Nicholson and J. Pearce and Supervisor W. C. McKinnell.

January 1935 – Direct relief costs for December 1934 total \$8,761.71 with the West Kildonan share \$3,037

February 1935 – J. A. McLean is appointed the Solicitor for 1935

February 1935 – The West Kildonan Branch of the St John's Ambulance Brigade receives a grant of \$10

March 1935 – The West Kildonan Board of Trade proposes to build a wading pool for children with a dressing room at an estimated cost of \$1,500

March 1935 – The costs of the proposed sewage disposal system for Greater Winnipeg are to be paid for by the Federal Government 60%, the Provincial Government 20%, the City of Winnipeg 15% and the Suburban Municipalities including West Kildonan 5%

March 1935 – Council asks for a municipal amendment to require applicants seeking relief to have lived in West Kildonan for two years before applying rather than the current one year

March 1935 – Estimates for 1935

Controllable

Administration - \$11,888.60

Fire Water and Light - \$4,979.17

Public Health - \$6,654.48

Relief - \$33,500

Public Works - \$4,580

Unclassified - \$10,215

Capital Spending - \$12,694

Total Controllable - \$84,511.25

Uncontrollable

Greater Winnipeg Water District - \$9,100

Debenture Interest - \$61,011.50

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$2,400

Street lighting - \$4,075.12

West Kildonan School District - \$49,000

Total Uncontrollable - \$125,586.62

Total Estimates - \$210,097.87

Assessment	1934	1935
Land	\$946,805	\$891,350
Buildings	\$1,364,415	\$1,356,065
Total	\$2,311,220	\$2,247,415
Personal	\$172,770	\$149,180
Total	\$2,483,990	\$2,396,595
Exempted Land	\$1,461,110	\$1,507,735
Exempted Buildings	\$238,800	\$236,770
Total	\$4,183,900	\$4,141,100

March 1935 – The West Kildonan equalized assessment is set at \$1,704,000 for 1935 and 1936

March 1935 – The Public Health Nurse is to be paid \$700 for 1935 with the municipality and the West Kildonan School District sharing the cost equally

March 1935 – Relief numbers for February 1935

Heads of Families – 280

Dependents – 796

Total People on Relief – 1,085

Total relief costs total \$8,554.71 with the West Kildonan share being \$2,965.57

March 1935 – The Willing Helpers Association of the Unemployed are unable to use the clubrooms of the West Kildonan Unemployed Association at Main and Belmont because of a dispute between the two groups.

March 1935 – The West Kildonan Board of Trade tells council that it has been unable to raise the necessary funds for a wading pool

April 1935 – The total estimates for the West Kildonan School District total \$49,356 for 1935

April 1935 – Relief numbers for March 1935

Heads of Families – 281

Dependents – 749

Total People on Relief – 1,030

Relief Costs, Fuel - \$1,805.45, Food - \$4,479.96, Clothing - \$466.23, Shelter \$1,563.60, Total - \$8,315.24

Average Cost per Family - \$29.50

Average Cost per Person - \$8.07

April 1935 – The 34th Governor Semple Brownie Pack receive a grant of \$10

April 1935 – The West Kildonan Unemployment Association ask for police protection stating certain women have broken into the clubhouses

May 1935 – The West Kildonan Unemployment Association complain that the work the unemployed on relief are required to do on streets is humiliating and the work carried out serves no useful purpose. Some of the relief workers are only paid 20 cents per day. Those who refuse to work see their relief benefits cut by 1/3.

May 1935 – A side car is purchased for the police motorcycle for \$25

May 1935 – Relief numbers for April 1935

Heads of Families – 282

Dependents – 761

Total People on Relief – 1,043

Average Relief Cost per family - \$29.59

Average Cost per person - \$8.07

June 1935 – Signs are to be put up on vacant municipally owned lots saying “Any person taking away sod or earth will be prosecuted”.

June 1935 – The municipal shack is to be moved from the football grounds between Perth and St Anthony to the municipal yard

June 1935 – Many of the unemployed men on relief go out on strike refusing to do the required work as a response against the cut in the food voucher for those who have previously refused to do the required work.

June 1935 – The West Kildonan School District is to close John Gunn School on June 28 due to the decline in the school population

June 1935 – A delegation of unemployed strikers complain to council about their condition which provokes the West Kildonan Ratepayers Association to state the ratepayers should go on strike in paying their taxes which support the unemployed strikers.

June 1935 – A. C. Walker is given the contract for the collection of garbage and night soil for \$2,250 for a one year period

July 1935 – The Firemen are to be given one day of rest per week instead of being required to work seven days per week

July 1935 – West Kildonan asks to be included in the Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District

July 1935 – Relief numbers for June 1935

Heads of Families – 263

Dependents – 701

Total People on Relief – 964

Cost per Family - \$23.43

Cost per Person - \$6.39

July 1935 – The Unemployed Strike ends on July 18

July 1935 – The West Kildonan Athletic Association is given permission to use the council chambers for meetings

August 1935 – Relief numbers for July 1935

Heads of Families – 254

Dependents – 675

Total People on Relief – 929

August 1935 – The proposed site for the Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District sewage disposal site in on Kildonan Parish Lots 20-22

August 1935 – A grant of \$100 is given to the West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion to cover their outstanding taxes

September 1935 – Relief numbers for August 1935

Heads of Families – 249

Dependents – 662

Total People on Relief – 911

Cost per family - \$27.75

Cost per Person - \$6.67

September 1935 – Residents ask that the water standpipe at the southwest corner of Seven Oaks and Powers be moved 210 feet

September 1935 – Residents ask that the ravine at the rear of the Inkster Estate not be filled in as it is a historical site

September 1935 – West Kildonan joins the Union of Manitoba Municipalities and pays the \$10 membership fee

September 1935 – Gravel is to be placed as a local improvement on

Newton from Main to Scotia at a cost of \$624

Burrin from Main to Aikins at a cost of \$215

October 1935 – Two rinks are to be placed on the property of the Home of the Good Shepherd at Main and Forest

October 1935 – Relief numbers for September 1935

Heads of Families – 243

Dependents – 640

Total People on Relief – 883

Cost per Family - \$25.41

Cost per Person - \$6.87

October 1935 – A cinder sidewalk is to be built on Seven Oaks Avenue east of Main Street to replace the plank sidewalk

November 1935 – Gravel is to be placed on McGregor from Jefferson to Hartford so a bus service can operate on the street

November 1935 – Snow fencing is to be placed on Jefferson Avenue to protect the ice rink of the Hoppers' Club

November 1935 – Relief numbers for October 1935

Heads of Families – 254

Dependents – 672

Total People on Relief – 926

Cost per family - \$28.75

Cost per person - \$7.88

November 1935 – Residents on McAdam and Matheson ask for a rink 120 feet by 70 feet on land 200 feet north of McAdam and McGregor

November 1935 – The original members of the Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District include the Cities of Winnipeg and St Boniface and the Municipalities of West Kildonan and East Kildonan

December 1935 – The Home of the Good Shepherd financial statement

Taxes owing from 1934 - \$6,974.41

Taxes owing from 1935 - \$6,911.84

Total Taxes owed including penalties - \$14,357.02

Home of Good Shepherd Expenses for 1935 - \$18,620.50

Revenue for 1935- \$9,406.80

Amount owing on Mortgage - \$128,900

Loans Outstanding - \$72,000

The Home of the Good Shepherd opened in 1911

December 1935 – Relief numbers for November 1935

Heads of Families – 258

Dependents – 672

Total People on Relief – 930

Cost per Family - \$30.43

Cost per Person - \$8.40

December 1935 – Exemptions of earnings for recipients of relief are temporarily increased to \$20 per month from \$10 per month for the months of December and January

December 1935 – Thomas Sly retires from council

January 1936 – Reeve Edmund Partridge, Councillors, J. Pearce, A. Collicutt, W. Langton and D. Nicholson with Supervisor W. C. McKinnell and Assistant Supervisor H. C. Seagrim

January 1936 – Debentures worth \$8,000 are to be issued to provide for West Kildonan's share of the construction costs of the Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District

January 1936 – One cord of wood is sent to the West Kildonan Community Athletic Rink and one cord of wood to the Hoppers' Rink

February 1936 – There are a total of 904 people on relief in January 1936 with a total cost of \$8,958.78 and the West Kildonan share \$1,791.75

February 1936 – The West Kildonan Ratepayers Association ask for spending to be cut so the mill rate can be reduced

February 1936 – Estimates for 1936

Controllable

Administration - \$11,920.60

Fire, Water and Light - \$5,027

Public Health - \$6,569.48

Relief - \$28,500

Public Works - \$5,925

Unclassified - \$13,356

Capital Spending - \$14,250

Total Controllable - \$85,848

Uncontrollable

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$9,100

Debt Interest - \$37,192.99

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,032.92

Street Lighting - \$4,075.12

West Kildonan School District - \$48,500

Bills Payable - \$1,000

Total Uncontrollable - \$102,901.03

Total Estimates - \$188,749.11

Assessment	1935	1936
Land	\$891,350	\$853,810
Buildings	\$1,356,065	\$1,350,425
Total	\$2,247,415	\$2,204,235
Personal	\$149,180	\$143,620
Total	\$2,396,595	\$2,347,855
Exempted Land	\$1,507,735	\$1,541,270

Exempted Property	\$236,770	\$241,000
Total	\$4,141,100	\$4,130,125

February 1936 – J. A. McLean is appointed the Solicitor for 1936

February 1936 – A water standpipe is to be constructed at McKenzie and McAdam

February 1936 – A new Ford truck is purchased for the Water Works Department for \$641 plus the value of the old truck worth \$125

March 1936 – There are complaints that the mechanics and carpenters engaged by the contractors working on the sewage disposal system are not receiving the rate of pay under the Fair Wage Act but instead are being paid 35 cents per hour

March 1936 – Relief figures for February 1936

Heads of Families – 254

Dependents – 683

Total People on Relief – 937

Cost per Family - \$36.09

Cost per Person - \$9.78

Total February 1936 Cost - \$9,166.60

March 1936 – The West Kildonan Ratepayers Association opposes the purchase of road machinery as horse drawn equipment is cheaper, that new equipment would add 1 mill to the tax bill and the municipal yard is already clogged with equipment

April 1936 – March Relief figures

Heads of Families – 256

Dependents – 683

Total People on Relief – 939

Cost per Family - \$32.05

Cost per Person - \$8.73

April 1936 – Permission to use vacant municipally owned lots for kitchen gardens is granted on the payment of 50 cents per lot

April 1936 – Residents ask for a water standpipe to be installed at the corner of Semple and Powers to replace the well at this location

May 1936 – The basement of Centennial School is damaged by floodwaters from melting snow

May 1936 – Road machinery costing \$6,000 cash from Powell Equipment Company Limited

May 1936 – The Young People's Club of St John's Presbyterian Church are given permission to use land opposite the Green Brier Inn for playing softball

May 1936 – The City of Winnipeg is to complete construction of the Jefferson Trunk Sewer with the City of Winnipeg paying the full cost of the work

June 1936 – The West Kildonan School District calls for tenders for the disposal of John Gunn School

June 1936 – The Seven Oaks Ambulance Division of the St John's Ambulance Brigade Overseas receives a cheque for \$10

June 1936 – The West Athletic Association asks for a building for a clubhouse. Council suggests the former John Gunn School building which could be moved to a central location for \$60

July 1936 – A water standpipe is to be constructed between McAdam and Matheson near McKenzie

July 1936 – Plank sidewalks are to be taken up and replaced with cinder sidewalks on

North Side Leila from Scotia to Main

Newton Avenue from Scotia to Norman (Jones)

North side of Leila Avenue west of Parr

Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) from John Gunn School west

July 1936 – The police are to stop southbound traffic on Main at Kildonan Park for half a minute every 5 minutes between the hours of 8 pm and 10 pm on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays to allow people and traffic to exit Kildonan Park

July 1936 – Action is to be taken to prevent the continued dust nuisance coming from the Simpson Box Factory Limited

August 1936 – Boys convicted of riding on the sidewalk in Juvenile Court are fined \$1 and have their bicycles impounded for 3 days at the municipal hall

August 1936 – Oiling of streets is to take place on

Jefferson Avenue opposite Victory School

Powers from Forest to Kildonan (Kingsbury)

Royal east of Main

August 1936 – The West Kildonan Athletic Club is given paint to paint their two box cars at the corner of Main and Forest

August 1936 – The West Kildonan portion of the Red River is to be placed under the control of the Winnipeg and St Boniface Harbor Commission along with East Kildonan

August 1936 – A municipal garage and workshop is proposed for the rear of the municipal hall

August 1936 – The house at 218 Hartford Avenue is offered for rent at \$22.50 per month

September 1936 – The small shack at the rear of the municipal hall is to be donated to the Hoppers' Social and Athletic Association

September 1936 - Norman Street (Jones) is to be oiled from Rupertsland to Smithfield along with Scotia from Newton to the Park Gates

September 1936 – Salter Street is to be opened from the southern limits to the lane north of Enniskillen

September 1936 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion is given a grant of \$100 to cover their property taxes

September 1936 – J. S. Cameron is given the contract for building a garage for carpentry work at the rear of the municipal hall for \$285

September 1936 – Part of the property of our Lady of Charity of the Good Shepherd on Kildonan Parish Lots 14-15 is sold to the municipality at Main and Forest

September 1936 – West Kildonan asks to join the Union of Canadian Municipalities which has a \$10 membership fee but the Supervisor refuses to countersign the cheque because he feels the membership will lead to expensive trips by members of council

September 1936 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District is to charge its municipal members 5 cents per 1,000 gallons as of January 1, 1937

October 1936 – A further \$2,350 in debentures are to be issued to cover West Kildonan's share of the cost of building the Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District

October 1936 – The Seven Oaks Bicycle Club is given permission to use a tract of land 560 feet by 335 feet west of Salter on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for a cycle tract

October 1936 – There are complaints about the quality of the well at Sinclair and Matheson

November 1936 – Council appeals to the Municipal and Public Utility Board to overrule the Supervisor and to allow a \$10 membership fee payment to the Union of Canadian Municipalities

November 1936 – West Kildonan is to pay the Royal Bank the balance of the \$20,000 note and to purchase West Kildonan School Bonds from the Provincial Government from surplus funds

November 1936 – A letter is written to the West Kildonan School Board warning students not to damage vacant buildings and asking the board to keep their students on school grounds during recess

December 1936 – The wells on Templeton, Margaret and Seaforth have run dry due to the excavation for the Greater Winnipeg Sewage Disposal Plant

December 1936 – The Hoppers' Club wishes to purchase the old John Gunn School building but it is to be offered to the West Kildonan Athletic Association for a community hall on Main between Belmont and Kilbride. The West Kildonan School Board is willing to donate the building free of charge.

January 1937 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, W. Langton, D. Nicholson and J. Pearce along with Supervisor W. C. McKinnell

January 1937 – Council is told that was an epidemic of scarlet fever in the schools and that the schools were cleaned and disinfected during the Christmas holidays

January 1937 – A rink is to be flooded at the rear of the West Kildonan United Church

January 1937 – Conklin's All Canadian Shows is given permission to hold a circus carnival show in August on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for a license fee of \$500

January 1937 – Dr. E. W. Stewart is appointed the Medical Health Officer for 1937

January 1937 – Council is told that the Fire Department answered 102 fire calls in 1936

January 1937 – All of the Main Street frontage lots on the West side of Main Street between Belmont and Kilbride are set aside as a community playground and as a possible site for a community hall

January 1937 – One cord of wood is donated to the West Kildonan Community Athletic Association skating rink at the corner of Main and Forest

February 1937 – Residents protest against the filling in of the creek ravine at Salter between Seven Oaks and Enniskillen with ashes. Council orders the practice stopped

February 1937 – Estimated costs of local improvements to be carried out under an Unemployment Relief scheme

Sewers on Newton to Salter on Powers, Templeton and Margaret - \$83,179.43

Sewer and Watermain on McAdam - \$4,000

Sewer on Tait - \$1,771.23

Sewer and watermain on Seven Oaks from McGregor to McKenzie - \$4,299

Sewer on Powers and Jefferson - \$100,000

Community Hall - \$10,000

17,076.92 feet of concrete sidewalk at 80 cents per foot - \$13,664.52

38,897.86 feet of crushed stone at 27 cents per foot - \$10,502.40

February 1937 - Assessment	1936	1937
Land	\$853,810	\$800,005
Buildings	\$1,350,425	\$1,300,815
Total	\$2,204,235	\$2,100,820
Personal	\$143,620	\$142,000
Total	\$2,347,855	\$2,242,900
Exempted Land	\$1,541,270	\$1,592,015
Exempted Buildings	\$241,000	\$240,610
Total	\$4,130,125	\$4,075,525

Estimates for 1937

Controllable

Public Works - \$10,559.66

Protection of Persons and Property - \$9,463.14

Social Services - \$39,315

Administration - \$16,359.10

Miscellaneous - \$1,100

Capital Expenditures - \$12,875

Total Controllable - \$89,671.10

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$50,137.99

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,074.18

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$8,300

Debenture Interest - \$39,173.65

Street Lighting - \$4,181.08

Bills Payable - \$1,000

Total Uncontrollable - \$105,866.90

Total Estimates - \$195,528.80

February 1937 – Salaries

Office Staff

W. Ballard – Secretary Treasurer - \$2,538 per year

S. J. Burgess – Assistant Secretary-Treasurer - \$1,824 per year

R. F. Parker – Cashier - \$1,539 per year

D. Green – Stenographer - \$1,047.60 per year

Police Department

T. Donald – Chief Constable - \$1,785.60 per year

M. McDonald – Constable - \$1,539 per year

Fire Department

D. Gunn – Fireman - \$1,368 per year

J. Scarfe – Fireman - \$1,368 per year

Public Works Department

W. Watson – Foreman - \$1,653 per year

A. Warren - \$1,368 per year

Water Works Department

P. Sly – Foreman - \$1,539 per year

Members of Council

Reeve - \$540 per year

Councillors - \$240 per year

Supervisor - \$764 per year plus \$528 in expenses

Solicitor – J. A. McLean - \$750 per year

Medical Health Officer – Dr. E. W. Stewart - \$240 per year

March 1937 – Relief costs for February 1937 total \$8,977.14, in February 1936 they totaled \$9,166.60

March 1937 – The St John's Ambulance Association is given permission to hold a tag day

March 1937 – The West Kildonan Athletic Association is given permission to use the baseball grounds opposite the Green Brier Inn on the condition that no games can be played on Sundays

March 1937 – H. D. Hunter is appointed the Assessor for West Kildonan

April 1937 – The West Kildonan Board of Trade is given permission to hold a tag day to raise funds towards the expenses of the Anti-Mosquito Campaign

April 1937 – The license fee for dogs is reduced from \$3 to \$2 except for certain breeds of dogs. The license fee for huskies, great danes, mastiffs and police dogs is \$5 for males and \$8 for females.

April 1937 – A grant of \$50 is given for the Coronation Celebrations (King George VI) on May 12, 1937

April 1937 – The Parent Teachers Association is given permission to hold a tag day to raise funds for the establishment of a dental clinic

May 1937 – A total of 12,550 feet of crushed stone on

Jefferson from Main to McGregor

McGregor from Jefferson to Hartford

Hartford from Main to McGregor

Aikins from Jefferson to Hartford

May 1937 – Daylight Saving Time is to come into effect from May 16, 1937 to September 26, 1937

June 1937 – Local Improvements to be done under the Relief Work scheme

Concrete sidewalks on

North side of Forest Avenue from Main to a point 1,063 feet west

South side of Forest Avenue from Main to a point 1,215 feet west

North side of Royal Avenue from Main to Aikins – 845 feet

North side of Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) from Main to Aikins – 851 feet

South side of Forest from Main to Scotia – 1023 feet

South side of Kilbride from Aikins to Salter – 593 feet

North side of Kilbride from Aikins to Salter – 593 feet

South side of Seven Oaks from Salter to a point 746 feet west

South side of Semple from Salter to a point 75 feet west

North side of Semple from Salter to Powers – 575 feet

North side of Rupertsland from Main to Norman (Jones) – 612 feet

8,191 total feet at a cost of 80 cents per foot - \$6,552.80 with materials costing \$3,604 and labor costs of \$2,948.76

Water Standpipes

Hartford Avenue - \$107

Andrews Street - \$822

Material - \$448 and Labour - \$481

June 1937 – The Winnipeg Electric Company is to discontinue the bus service on Jefferson Avenue due to few passengers

June 1937 – The West Kildonan School Board accepts the bid of W. Weller for the former John Gunn School building and property for a mill

June 1937 – Mr. Parker the Cashier is fired for his unsatisfactory service in the municipal office

August 1937 – The residents (dairymen and market gardeners) west of the C.P.R. Tracks complain that they do not receive adequate police protection therefor they feel they should not have to pay for dog licenses.

August 1937 – Concrete sidewalks advertised for local improvements

South side of Armstrong from Main to Scotia

North side of Margaret from Main to Powers

North side of Seven Oaks from Salter to Powers

August 1937 – Residents west of the C. P.R. Tracks complain that A. C. Walker the Scavenger has not collected the garbage in the last 14 years

September 1937 – Advertised as Local Improvements

Concrete sidewalks on

South side of St Anthony from Norman (Jones) to Scotia

South side of Belmont from Main to Norman

North side of Belmont from Aikins to Salter

North side of Matheson from McGregor to Parr

East side of Scotia in Kildonan Parish Lots 7, 8, 9 and 12/13

West side of Scotia from Semple to the lane north of Perth

North side of Templeton in Blocks 1 and 3

Ditching and brushing on

North side of Armstrong from Main to Scotia

Forest Avenue from Main to Scotia

Royal from Main to Scotia

McKenzie from Hartford to Jefferson

Hartford from Aikins to the C.P.R. Tracks

Kilbride from Salter to Powers

Kildonan (Kingsbury) from Main to Powers

Kildonan from Main to Scotia

October 1937 – A water standpipe is to be built on Salter between Hartford and Perth a cost of \$294

October 1937 – The total membership of the West Kildonan Community and Athletic Association is around 300 with \$173 in revenue and \$162.64 in expenses in 1937

October 1937 – The Hoppers' Club located west of the C.P.R. Tracks has a membership of 69 with total revenue of \$506 and expenses of \$458 in 1937.

November 1937 – There are complaints about the dangerous condition of the foot bridge over the ditch in front of Governor Semple School

November 1937 – There are complaints about young people congregating around the building and fire escapes of Centennial School causing noise and annoyances to people living in the neighbourhood especially on Sunday evenings

November 1937 – A delegation of boys are given permission to erect a shack on the banks of the Red River near Perth Avenue for a dressing room at the skating rink

November 1937 – A reward of \$10 is offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons breaking the windows of the schools

December 1937 – A free dental clinic is to be set up to provide children up to grade 8 with dental care for those with parents unable to pay

December 1937 – The caretakers at the schools are to be appointed as special constables to deal with crime around the schools

December 1937 – Former Cashier Parker is found to have stolen municipal funds

January 1938 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors A. Collicutt, W. Langton, D. Nicholson and J. Pearce and Supervisor W. C. McKinnell

January 1938 – The West Kildonan C.C.F. Club and others protest the dismissal of Constable Gerald Liscum and the hiring of W. Robertson as Chief Constable with the dismissal of Malcolm McDonald as Chief Constable.

January 1938 – Dr. E. W. Stewart and others protest the proposed location of a canoe club on the east side of Scotia Street as they feel it will devalue the residential nature of the street. Council rejects the clubhouse and the location of the canoe club.

January 1938 – Dr. E. W. Stewart is appointed the Medical Health Officer and the Medical Relief Officer for 1938

January 1938 – R. A. Soucy is appointed the Relief Officer

January 1938 – Lighting fixtures are stolen from the Hoppers' Rink

January 1938 – One cord of wood is given to the West Kildonan Community Athletic Association Rink and the Hoppers' Skating Rink

February 1938 – The Spartan Hockey Club is given a cord of wood for their skating rink dressing room

February 1938 – The City of Winnipeg Head Librarian is asked not to charge fee for residents of West Kildonan on relief

February 1938 – A. V. Ashley is appointed the Municipal Auditor and J. A. McLean is appointed the Assessor

March 1938

Assessment	1937	1938
Land	\$800,005	\$670,245
Buildings	\$1,300,815	\$1,283,870
Total	\$2,100,820	\$1,954,115
Personal	\$142,080	\$140,335
Total	\$2,242,900	\$2,094,450
Exempted Land	\$1,592,015	\$1,461,675
Exempted Buildings	\$240,610	\$244,800
Total	\$4,075,255	\$3,800,925

March 1938 – Estimates

Controllable

Public Works - \$9,177.08

Protection of Persons and Property - \$9,696.49

Social Services - \$40,790

Administration - \$14,857.45

Miscellaneous - \$1,175

Unforeseen - \$3,000

Capital Spending - \$18,404.78

Total Controllable - \$97,100.89

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$50,755

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,196.09

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$8,250

Debenture Interest - \$47,518.27

Street Lighting - \$4,081.08

Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District - \$2,024.81

Total Uncontrollable - \$115,825

Total Estimates - \$212,926.05

Salaries

Reeve - \$600 per year

Councillors - \$300 per year

Supervisor - \$1,262 per year

W. Ballard - \$2,700 per year

S. J. Burgess - \$1,860.48 per year

W. G. Watts - \$1,569.78 per year

D. Green - \$1,080 per year

R. A. Soucy - \$1,320 per year

M. Johnson - \$795.60 per year

J. L. Cartwright - \$1,080 per year

H. D. Hunter - \$1,560 per year

D. Gunn - \$1,400 per year

J. Scarfe - \$1,400 per year

W. Watson - \$1,680.06 per year

A. Warren - \$1,395.36 per year

P. Sly - \$1,569.78 per year

J. Ballard - \$1,250 per year

W. Robertson - \$1538.88 per year

G. Liscum - \$1,150 per year

M. McDonald - \$1,256 per year

J. A. McLean - \$750

Dr. E. W. Stewart - \$540 per year

March 1938 – Relief Numbers

	February 1937	February 1938
Heads of Families	246	236
Dependents	682	688
Total on Relief	928	924
Cost per Person -	\$9.68	\$9.68
Cost per Family -	\$36.45	\$27.89

April 1938 – All sports in West Kildonan is to be merged under a new committee. The property west of Aikins between Perth and St Anthony is to be used for sports with the buildings moved from the present rink to the new site. Council is to supply certain old sidewalk planks for building purposes.

April 1938 – The sinking fund is to purchase \$1,700 worth of West Kildonan consolidated debentures for \$646 at 5 ½ % interest

April 1938 – Relief Numbers

	March 1937	March 1938
Heads of Families -	246	231
Dependents	682	651
Total on Relief	928	882
Cost per Person	\$9.68	\$9.93
Cost per Person	\$36.48	\$37.72

April 1938 – Green poplar wood is to be purchased for \$5.60 for relief purposes

April 1938 – Conklin’s All Canadian Shows are to hold a circus carnival on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for 6 days for \$500

April 1938 – A road tractor is to be purchased for \$2,455 minus a \$300 trade in on the old tractor

April 1938 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic receives a grant of \$100

April 1938 – The Canadian Red Cross Society receives a grant of \$25

April 1938 – The West Kildonan Curling Club Limited is to be given vacant property east of the Inkster Estates on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 between Seven Oaks and Rupertsland

May 1938 – Relief Numbers

	April 1937	April 1938
Heads of Families	240	217
Dependents	669	608
Total on Relief	909	825
Cost per Person	\$8.88	\$8.13
Cost per Family	\$33.63	\$30.91

May 1938 – The West Kildonan School District is given the vacant lots on Main Street between Burrin and Kildonan (Kingsbury) and between Royal and Forest for playgrounds

June 1938 – Local roads advertised for resurfacing

Scotia Street from the southern limits to Perth

Seven Oaks Avenue from Main to Scotia

Hartford from Main to McGregor

Jefferson from Main to McGregor

June 1938 – Relief Numbers

	May 1937	May 1938
Heads of Families	214	185
Dependents	575	490

Total on Relief	789	675
Cost per Person	\$7.73	\$7.50
Cost per Family	\$30.10	\$28.19

July 1938 – A. C. Walker is given the contract for the removal of garbage and night soil for \$2,250 for one year

July 1938 – The sinking fund purchases \$14,300 of West Kildonan consolidated debentures for \$5,720

July 1938 – Relief Numbers

	June 1937	June 1938
Heads of Families	214	185
Dependents	575	490
Total on Relief	789	675
Cost per Person	\$7.73	\$7.50
Cost per Family	\$28.50	\$27.36

August 1938 – The box cars used by the West Kildonan Community Athletic Association at Main and Perth are ordered boarded up due to the dilapidated condition of the buildings

August 1938 – Relief Numbers

	July 1937	July 1938
Heads of Families	187	174
Dependents	483	464
Total on Relief	670	638
Cost per Person	\$7.90	\$6.38
Cost per Family	\$28.31	\$25.16

August 1938 – Concrete Sidewalks advertised as local improvements under the Unemployment Relief scheme

South side of Matheson from McGregor to Parr

Both sides McAdam from McGregor to Parr

North side Jefferson from Salter to Andrews

South side Jefferson from Andrews to Powers

South side Seven Oaks Lot from 26 to Lot 50 Block 4 Plan 1768

South side Seven Oaks from McGregor to Parr

North side Seven Oaks from McGregor to McKenzie

South side Belmont from Aikins to Salter

South side Belmont from Main to Norman (Jones)

South side Newton from Main to Lot 5 Block 4 Plan 1211

South side Armstrong from Lot 16 to Lot 32 Block 3 Plan 1211

North side Burrin from Lot 3 to Lot 15 Block 2 Kildonan Parish Lot 2351

A sewer and watermain advertised for McAdam from McGregor to Parr

September 1938 – Relief Numbers

	August 1937	August 1938
Heads of Families	177	168
Dependents	468	451
Total on Relief	645	619
Cost per Person	\$8.13	\$7.41
Cost per Family	\$29.63	\$27.30

September 1938 – The Hornets' Social and Athletic Club ask for a lease of 20 years of land on Scotia between Hartford and Semple to build a clubhouse for summer and winter sports including skiing, tobogganing, canoeing and swimming. A total of 59 residents oppose the proposal so council turns it down.

October 1938 – Water standpipes are to be built at Belmont and McGregor and at Hartford and McGregor

October 1938 – Relief Numbers

	September 1937	September 1938
Heads of Families	171	173
Dependents	449	467
Total on Relief	620	640
Cost per Person	\$8.22	\$7.55
Cost per Family	\$29.80	\$27.92

November 1938 – Ten train car loads of cinders are to be purchased at \$11.25 per car load

November 1938 – Old plank sidewalks are to be taken up on Newton and Armstrong and replaced with cinder sidewalks

November 1938 – A grant of \$114 is given to the West Kildonan Curling Club to cover the cost of sewer and water connections to the property

November 1938 – Relief Numbers

	October 1937	October 1938
Heads of Families	184	161
Dependents	493	442
Total on Relief	677	603
Cost per Person	\$9.78	\$9.48
Cost per Family	\$35.98	\$35.52

December 1938 – Relief Numbers

	November 1937	November 1938
Heads of Families	198	184
Dependents	519	536
Total on Relief	717	726
Cost per Person	\$9.83	\$9.22
Cost per Family	\$35.65	\$36.06

December 1938 – There are complaints that people are begging at homes on certain streets in West Kildonan

January 1939 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, W. Langton, A. S. Furness, J. Pearce and A. Collicutt and Supervisor W. C. McKinnell

January 1939 – A cinder sidewalk is to be constructed on the south side of Semple from Powers to McGregor and on the east side of McGregor from Semple to Hartford. The plank sidewalk on Salter from Seven Oaks to Jefferson is to be taken up and replaced with a cinder sidewalk.

January 1939 – Relief Numbers

	December 1937	December 1938
Heads of Families	220	199
Dependents	610	565
Total on Relief	830	764
Cost per Person	\$10.20	\$11.10
Cost per Family	\$38.48	\$42.61

January 1939 – An agreement is signed with Conklin and Garrett Limited to exhibit a circus-carnival in June 1939 on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for a \$500 fee and a \$300 donation to the West Kildonan Dental Clinic

February 1939 – The West Kildonan School Board suggests that a joint committee of the school board and the council be set up to coordinate the visit of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth

February 1939 – The Winnipeg Suburban Association membership fee is \$7.50

February 1939 – Controllable

Public Works - \$10,252.86

Protection of Persons and Property - \$10,785.78

Social Services - \$35,425

Administration - \$15,476.45

Miscellaneous - \$1,085

Unforeseen - \$2,000

Capital Expenditures - \$13,906

Total Controllable - \$88,935.09

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$50,880.01

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,164.17

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$7,800

Street Lighting - \$4,233.83

Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District - \$1,622.52

Debenture Interest - \$34,408.25

Accounts Payable - \$153.73

Total Uncontrollable - \$102,262.51

Total Estimates - \$191,193.60

February 1939 – Assessment	1938	1939
Land	\$670,245	\$582,980
Buildings	\$1,283,870	\$1,279,370
Total	\$1,954,115	\$1,862,350
Personal	\$140,335	\$140,630
Total	\$2,094,450	\$2,002,980
Exempted Land	\$1,461,675	\$1,330,275
Exempted Buildings	\$244,800	\$247,990
Total	\$3,800,925	\$3,581,245

February 1939 – Lots east of Scotia streets are to be sold for \$100 each

February 1939 – The rate of pay for hourly employees in the Public Works Department is raised to 42.5 cents per hour from 40 cents per hour

February 1939 – J. A. McLean is appointed the Solicitor for 1939 and H. D. Hunter is appointed the Assessor

February 1939 – Three prizes of \$8, \$5 and \$3 are to be awarded to the best operated and maintained skating rinks for the 1938-1939 season. The Supervisor vetoes the idea but later changes his mind.

March 1939 – The joint committee dealing with the visit of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth consists of three members of council, three members of the school board and two members of the West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion

March 1939 – Council is to encourage the construction of new low cost homes by selling lots through the municipality for \$50 per lot

March 1939 – F. Eames is to be paid 50 cents per hour when operating the municipal tractor

March 1939 – Relief Numbers	February 1938	February 1939
Heads of Families	236	223
Dependents	688	648
Total on Relief	924	871
Cost per Person	\$9.68	\$10.00
Cost per Family	\$37.89	\$39.06

April 1939 – The operation of the bus service on Jefferson Avenue is to be discontinued for the summer

April 1939 – Permission is granted to D. Simpson to continue to use 159 Royal Avenue for making canoes and boats

April 1939 – St John`s Ambulance is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1939 – Relief Numbers	March 1938	March 1939
Heads of Families	231	228
Dependents	651	646
Total on Relief	882	874
Cost per Person	\$9.93	\$9.62

June 1939 – Relief Numbers	May 1938	May 1939
Heads of Families	211	213
Dependents	581	599
Total on Relief	792	812
Cost per Person	\$7.51	\$7.93
Cost per Family	\$28.19	\$30.24

June 1939 – The well at the corner of McGregor and Kilbride is to be cleaned out

June 1939 – Concrete sidewalks advertised as local improvements on

North side of Seven Oaks on Lots 41-52 Block 3

West side of Salter from Seven Oaks to Jefferson

South side of Jefferson from McGregor to Parr

South side of Tait on Lots 7-12 Block 8, Kildonan Parish Lot 6

North side of Royal on Lot 68 in Block 5 and Lot 23 in Block 3

North side of Semple from Lot 4-12 Block 1

North side of Seven Oaks from Lots 35-73 in Block 7

Crushed Stone is advertised as local improvements on

Scotia from the lane north of Perth to Royal

Burrin from Main to Scotia

Kilbride from Main to Scotia

Perth from Main to Scotia

Rupertsland from Main to Norman (Jones)

Forrest from Main to Aikins

Norman (Jones) from Newton to the lane between Newton and Armstrong

Belmont from Main to Salter

Kilbride from Main to Salter

Kildonan (Kingsbury) from Main to Scotia

Smithfield from Main to Mac

Forrest from Main to Scotia

A sewer and watermain is advertised for Seven Oaks from McGregor to McKenzie

June 1939 – Ringling Brothers-Barnum and Bailey Combined Shows are given permission to exhibit a circus on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for a \$750 fee

July 1939 – The Supervisor tells council to reduce direct relief expenditures as the appropriation will be overspent at the current rate by the end of the year

July 1939 – Life saving equipment will be placed in boxes along the river bank at Newton, Semple and Jefferson

July 1939 – Relief Numbers	June 1938	June 1939
Heads of Families	185	198
Dependents	490	545
Total on Relief	675	743
Total Cost per Person	\$7.50	\$7.37
Cost per Family	\$27.36	\$27.65

July 1939 – A. C. Walker is given a one year contract for the collection of garbage and night soil for \$2,250

July 1939 – The site on the river bank on Scotia between Kilbride and Semple is being used for swimming purposes with 125 people counted at this location on a hot day. It is suggested that this site be reserved as a swimming area with a frontage of 330 feet and a dock to be built at a cost of \$100. A total of 687 residents sign a petition in favour of the proposal with 34 residents of Scotia in favour. The West Kildonan Aquatic Club is given permission to construct a swimming beach along with a dock and float.

August 1939 – Relief Numbers	July 1938	July 1939
Heads of Families	174	183

Dependents	464	492
Total on Relief	638	675
Cost per Person	\$6.86	\$7.23
Cost per Family	\$25.16	\$26.68

August 1939 – The official opening of the West Kildonan Aquatic Club swimming area on Scotia takes place on August 23, 1939 at 7 pm. The band of the Canadian Legion is to play, there is to be a sing song and a bonfire. The site is to open at 10 am and close at 8 pm.

September 1939 – The St John’s Branch of the Tox H. is given permission to use the old log building at 160 Newton Avenue for a boy’s club

September 1939 – Relief Numbers	August 1938	August 1939
Heads of Families	168	171
Dependents	451	470
Total on Relief	619	641
Cost per Person	\$7.41	\$7.35
Cost per Family	\$27.30	\$27.53

October 1939 – Owners or occupants of land using municipal water from water standpipes are now to pay a fee of \$4.00 per year

October 1939 – Plank sidewalks to be repaired

Seven Oaks Avenue, east and west of the C. P. R. Tracks

Powers between Perth and Jefferson

Jefferson west of McGregor

Scotia north of Hartford

November 1939 – Kilbride is to be opened up and extended between Andrews and McGregor

November 1939 – Long-time Supervisor W. C. McKinnell passes away

November 1939 – Disused basements are to be filled in at Scotia and Kildonan (Kingsbury) and at Main and Templeton

December 1939 – The house at 230 Forrest Avenue is sold to H. L. Poulin for \$900

December 1939 – The official opening of the Tox H. Boys' Club at 160 Newton Avenue is officially opened on December 6 at 8 pm

December 1939 – The Royal Skating and Hockey Club is to open a skating rink at Main and Forrest

Municipality of West Kildonan Council History 1940-1949

January 1940 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, D. Nicholson, A. S. Furness and J. Pearce

January 1940 – West Kildonan is still under the financial control of the Municipal and Public Utility Board but there is no supervisor who overlooks the day to day operations and attends council meetings.

January 1940 – Dr. E. W. Stewart is appointed the Medical Health Officer and Medical Relief Officer for 1940. J. A. McLean is appointed the Solicitor for 1940.

January 1940 – Conklin and Garrett Limited is to hold a carnival show on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 in June for \$500 and a \$300 donation to the West Kildonan Dental Clinic.

February 1940 – The West Kildonan Scholarship Board announces a goal to raise \$1,000 in 5 years for scholarships.

February 1940 – The West Kildonan School Division is to make alterations to the north wing of Centennial School so it may be made into a classroom for domestic science and a storeroom.

February 1940 – There are complaints about the condition of the ditch on Templeton Avenue where the water from the cooling system of the dairy of M. A. Thompson runs into it.

February 1940 – The \$10 membership fee of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association is paid.

February 1940 – Estimates for 1940

Controllable

Public Works - \$18,636.06

Protection of Persons and Property - \$13,790.29

Social Services - \$36,770

Administration - \$15,535.10

Miscellaneous - \$1,320

Unforeseen - \$2,000

Water Works Department - \$14,087

Total Controllable - \$102,138

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$50,899.98

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,194

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$7,700

Street Lighting - \$4,461.47

Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District - \$1,826.03

Debenture Interest - \$18,518.65

Accounts Payable - \$49.78

Total Uncontrollable - \$86,649.91

Total Estimates - \$188,788.36

February 1940 – Salaries for 1940

Reeve - \$600

Councillors - \$300

W. Ballard - \$2,700

S. J. Burgess - \$1,860

D. Green - \$1,080

W. G. Watt - \$1,569.78

R. A. Soucy - \$1,380

M. Johnson - \$840

J. L. Cartwright - \$1,140

H. D. Hunter - \$1,620

D. Gunn - \$1,405

J. Scarfe - \$1,405

W. Watson - \$1,691

A. Warren - \$1,400.36

P. Sly - \$1,574.78

J. Ballard - \$1,250

W. Robertson - \$1,778

G. Liscum - \$1,590

M. McDonald - \$1,290

J. A. McLean - \$800

Dr. E. W. Stewart - \$540

February 1940 – The School Boys' Patrol receive a grant of \$10

March 1940 – A. D. McRae is the Municipal Auditor

April 1940 – The St John's Ambulance Brigade receives permission to conduct a tag day.

April 1940 – The West Kildonan Junior Football Club receives a grant of \$15

April 1940 – The Winnipeg Fresh Air Camps are given permission to hold a tag day

April 1940 – A total of \$50,000 in West Kildonan Consolidated Debentures are purchased for \$24,000

April 1940 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion receive a grant of \$100

April 1940 – The West Kildonan Aquatic Club receives a grant of \$50 and the West Kildonan Schools Scholarship Board receive a grant of \$25

May 1940 – St Anthony's Church is asked to move their annual fair from the vacant lot next to the church to another site because residents in the vicinity have complained about the considerable annoyance and inconvenience

May 1940 – A total of \$7,200 in West Kildonan Consolidated Debentures are purchased for \$3,500

May 1940 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic receives a grant of \$100

May 1940 – West Kildonan is to purchase a new fire truck for \$3,500.

May 1940 – Salter Street is to be graded from Templeton to Kildonan (Kingsbury)

June 1940 – A total of 18 loads of earth are to be used to fill in the property of the Aquatic Club on Scotia

June 1940 – Scotia Street is to be widened adjacent to Forrest Avenue

July 1940 – The Kildonan Ice and Fuel Company Limited is to lease part of Kildonan Parish Lots 7/9 for a further 5 years

July 1940 – The contract for the removal of garbage and night soil is renewed with A. C. Walker for a further year for \$2,500

July 1940 – New regulations require all dwellings erected on Rupertsland Avenue must be valued at \$3,500

August 1940 – West Kildonan is to take place in the Greater Winnipeg War Saving Campaign for the sale of war stamp certificates with a committee of three residents to run the campaign in West Kildonan

August 1940 – A total of \$600 in West Kildonan Consolidated Debentures are purchased for \$250

September 1940 – Council is told that two employees of the municipality are not naturalized British Subjects

September 1940 – The West Kildonan Curling Club is given permission to hold a carnival at the club

September 1940 – Councillor A. S. Furness is granted a leave of absence of one month for military service

September 1940 – The Assessor is ordered to make a new assessment of all land in West Kildonan and reduce the assessed value of all land by 10%

October 1940 – All fire hydrants in West Kildonan are to be painted red, the same as the City of Winnipeg

October 1940 – The Union of Manitoba Municipalities membership fee is \$10

October 1940- There are complaints about the odour coming from the Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District plant and from the Red River

November 1940 – Councillor Furness is granted a leave of absence for being on active service

November 1940 – The bridge on McPhillips Street opposite the Old Kildonan Post Office is to be repaired

November 1940 – Crushed stone is advertised as a local improvement on

Seven Oaks from Salter to Powers

Powers from Seven Oaks to Jefferson

Powers from Seven Oaks to Enniskillen

Salter from Enniskillen to Jefferson

Royal from Main to Aikins

December 1940 – The West Kildonan School Board asks for additional police supervision during the period when children are crossing Main Street opposite Centennial School

December 1940 – West Kildonan is to erect 15 mph signs in front of Centennial School at Main and Forrest, Main and Semple, Jefferson and Powers and at Jefferson and McGregor

December 1940 – A Christmas bonus of \$5 is to be given to all municipal employees

January 1941 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, D. Nicholson, W. Langton and J. Pearce

January 1941 – The old fire truck is to be converted into a Public Works Truck

January 1941 – The Winnipeg Electric Company is asked to increase street car service on the # 26 route during rush hour due to overcrowding

January 1941 – H. D. Hunter is appointed the Assessor and J. A. McLean is appointed the Assessor

February 1941 – The Municipal and Public Utility Board asks that the 1941 budget be prepared to reflect war time conditions and that non-essential activities be eliminated

March 1941 – The Winnipeg Fresh Air Camps are given permission to hold a tag day

March 1941 – Local Improvements advertised

Crushed stone on

Matheson from McGregor to Parr

McAdam from McGregor to Parr

Hartford from McGregor to the C.P.R. Tracks

Royal from Aikins to Powers

Royal from Aikins to a point 225 feet west

Templeton from Main to Powers

Margaret from Main to Powers

A concrete sidewalk is to be built on Leila from Main to Lot 21 Block 4, Kildonan Parish Lot 15 Plan 2200

March 1941 – Estimates

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$50,880

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,190.38

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$6,397.94

Street Lighting - \$4,511.15

Total Uncontrollable - \$64,979.47

Controllable

Public Works - \$17,099.74

Water Works - \$12,251

Protection of Persons and Property - \$12,017.43

Social Services - \$29,845

Miscellaneous - \$300

Plant and Equipment - \$2,072.15

Administration - \$15,913.79

Housing Scheme - \$905

Reserve set aside - \$19,100

Total Uncontrollable - \$109,560.11

Total Estimates - \$174,483.58

Expected Surplus - \$4,552.42

Assessment

Land - \$451,300

Buildings - \$1,274,310

Total - \$1,725,310

Personal - \$135,170

Exempted Land - \$1,102,822

Exempted Buildings - \$252,760

Total - \$3,216,362

March 1941 – Grants given out

West Kildonan Scholarship Board - \$25

St John's Ambulance Brigade - \$25

Canadian Red Cross - \$15

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$150

Winnipeg Anti Mosquito Campaign - \$15

April 1941 – The Greek Relief Fund is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1941 – As the West Kildonan Community and Athletic Association is now defunct the old dressing rooms at the rink on Main and Forrest are to be removed

April 1941 – The collection of certain materials are to be collected by the West Kildonan Salvage Corps under the chairmanship of Mrs. Jordan

May 1941 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion receives a grant of \$100

May 1941 – The Health Inspector is to take water samples of all wells in West Kildonan

May 1941 – The West Kildonan School Board is asked to give permission to allow boys to use the school grounds after school hours

May 1941 – The Winnipeg and St. Boniface Harbour Commission receives a grant of \$30

June 1941 – There are complaints that cows are causing damage to the roads in the vicinity of Sinclair and Newton

June 1941 – There are complaints of people dumping refuse in the gully at the intersection of Enniskillen and Powers Street

June 1941 – W. P. Lindsay of Dad's Cookie Company at 1665 Main Street asks for permission to have stone placed on the Main Street Boulevard opposite his store for loading and unloading trucks. He receives permission for a \$12 license fee

June 1941 – West Kildonan asks the Provincial Government to allow the municipalities to pass by-laws to provide for the early closing of stores on Wednesday afternoons

July 1941 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic receives a grant of \$300

July 1941 – General De Gaulle's Free French Legions are given permission to hold a tag day

July 1941 – All municipal employees are to receive a war-time bonus of \$1.93 per week

August 1941 – The West Kildonan School Board is to close the Governor Semple School for an indefinite period of time due to declining enrollment in the district served by the school

August 1941 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic receives an additional grant of \$150

September 1941 – The West Kildonan Curling Club reports that its mortgage of \$3,850 is in arrears and its operating expenses are above the expected numbers. It asks council to accept \$200 for the outstanding taxes owing of \$402.23 and to reduce the assessment on the building for the next five years.

October 1941 – The Greater Winnipeg Shoe Repair Association asks for a by-law to provide for the closings of shoe repair shops on Wednesday afternoons

October 1941 – There are complaints that trucks loading and unloading at the West Kildonan Groceteria on the south side of Kilbride Avenue are carrying mud and slush from the yard onto the sidewalk and some trucks are parking on the sidewalk

October 1941 – The pump on the well at the corner of Kilbride and McGregor is to be repaired

November 1941 – Owners of buildings on streets with sewer and water and not connected are ordered to connect to the services

November 1941 – The Comet Skating Rink at the intersection of Seven Oaks and Powers is to be constructed in a way so the drainage of water in the spring will drain to the lane on the south side of the rink.

November 1941 – The Police Department are to transport a movie projector to and from the schools two or three times per week

December 1941 – Council asks the Winnipeg Electric Company to provide bus transportation along McGregor Street. The company agrees to extend the Cathedral-Bannerman bus along McGregor from McAdam to Hartford during the weekday rush hours

December 1941 – All municipal employees are to receive a turkey for Christmas

January 1942 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors W. Langton, J. Pearce, A. Collicutt and D. Nicholson

January 1942 – Council receives complaints that there were acts of indecency committed outside the St. Anthony Parish Hall on December 3, 1941 where a dinner and social were held

January 1942 – The collection of garbage and night soil is to be carried out in conjunction with the Department of Social Services with Fred Emes appointed Foreman of the work at \$100 per month. A. C. Walker is hired in the Public Works Department for the collection of garbage and night soil at 50 cents per hour

January 1942 – Dr. E. W. Stewart is appointed the Medical Health Officer and Medical Relief Officer for 1942. D. Gunn is appointed the Fire Chief

January 1942 – J. W. Battershill is appointed the Engineer in rebuilding the outlet of the Newton Avenue Sewer which is estimated to cost \$3,500

January 1942 – Council is told that there were 17 cases of Infantile Paralysis (Polio) and Sleeping Sickness in 1941 which cost West Kildonan \$423 in hospitalization costs

February 1942 – H. D. Hunter is appointed the Assessor

February 1942 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$17,500 in the Second Victory Loan Campaign paying an interest rate of 3%

February 1942 – Council turns down a proposal to sell part of Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for a permanent amusement park

March 1942 – Conklin and Garrett Limited are to exhibit a show from June 20-27 on Kildonan Parish Lot 6. Certain features of the show which Council objected to are to be removed and replaced with a circus with 50 wild animals.

March 1942 – The council chambers are to be used certain evenings each month for instructional purposes for the Auxiliary Police, Auxiliary Firemen for air raid training

March 1942 – The council chambers are to be used March 25-28 for the purpose of registering the owners of cars and trucks who are willing to offer their services in cases of emergency during the war.

March 1942 – The suburban municipalities including West Kildonan are to be given an equal chance to have their unemployed employable men work at the cordite plant in Transcona

March 1942 – One first aid kit is to be purchased for the police cruiser car for \$15

Estimates

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$51,296.95

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,225.65

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$6,267.37

Street Lighting - \$4,571.75

Total Uncontrollable - \$65,361.37

Controllable

Public Works - \$15,574.40

Water Works - \$12,603.50

Protection of Persons and Property - \$13,720.78

Social Services - \$28,875

Miscellaneous - \$260

Plant and Equipment - \$775

Administration - \$15,616.83

Housing Scheme - \$644.25

Reserve for Taxes - \$15,000

Total Controllable - \$103,069.76

Total Estimates - \$168,431.48

Total Revenue - \$179,419.73 to provide for a surplus of \$10,988.25

April 1942 – Organizations given permission to hold tag days

St John's Ambulance Association

Associated Winnipeg Fresh Air Camps

Winnipeg Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals

April 1942 – The Municipal Auditor A. D. McRae reports a surplus of \$39,509.97 in 1941 with the consolidated debentures outstanding of \$956,400

April 1942 – West Kildonan is to take part in the Red Cross Campaign which has a goal of \$9,000,000 in Canada

April 1942 – The Winnipeg St Boniface Harbour Commission receives a grant of \$30

May 1942 – Ice dealers ask for permission to deliver on Sundays as a war measure to save equipment

May 1942 – Grants given out

Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign - \$25

St John's Ambulance Brigade - \$25

West Kildonan Scholarship Board - \$25

West Kildonan Boys Patrol - \$10

Red Cross Society - \$15

May 1942 – West Kildonan asks the Provincial Government to pay 50% of the cost of repairing McPhillips the boundary road between West Kildonan and Old Kildonan with the two municipalities paying 25% each.

May 1942 – The Dominion Coal Controller asks all citizens to stock up on coal now to prevent a coal shortage during the winter

May 1942 – The Lord's Day Alliance protests ice dealers delivering ice on Sundays

May 1942 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion receives a grant of \$100

June 1942 – Councillor Nicholson attends a meeting at the Winnipeg City Hall to oppose the proposal to settle Japanese evacuees from British Columbia near the Greater Winnipeg Water District where they "may" poison the water supply for Greater Winnipeg or destroy the pipe line from Shoal Lake.

June 1942 – The house at 315 Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury) to the present tenant W. Davidson for \$500

June 1942 – All applicants for social welfare must be registered with the Employment Service of Canada and an Unemployment Insurance book must be produced at the time of registration. The applicant must satisfy the Relief Officer that he or his family is destitute, that is having no work, no money and no means of obtaining the necessities of life. No member of his immediate family may have any earnings. There must be no unmarried sons or daughters of the applicants able to support him. If an investigation shows that there has been a transfer or disposal of assets within 12 months, assistance will not be provided until such a transfer is explained. No assistance of any kind will be provided if the total monthly income earned or received exceeds \$5.00 per person. Maximum Rates Payable

Single Person - \$22.50 per month

Family of 2 - \$30.00 per month

Family of 3 - \$34.00 per month

Family of 4 - \$41.00 per month

Family of 5 - \$50.00 per month

Family of 6 - \$56.00 per month

Family of 7 or more - \$62.50 per month

June 1942 – The Full Time Public Health Nurse is to receive \$600 per year with the school board and the municipality paying 50% of the cost each

July 1942 – There are complaints that the skating rink at Jefferson and Powers causes inconvenience to the residents when the ice melts in the spring

July 1942 – The Free French Society is given permission to hold a tag day

July 1942 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic receives a grant of \$300

July 1942 – The West Kildonan School District asks for the property at the rear of Centennial School, a section 100 feet by 250 feet to be turned into a playground with a bathing pool for small children

July 1942 – Crushed stone is to be placed on

Matheson from McGregor to Parr – 1217 feet at a cost of \$304

McAdam from McGregor to Parr – 1253 feet at a cost of \$314

Royal from Main to Powers – 1,807 feet at a cost of \$456

Templeton from Main to Powers – 1,205 feet at a cost \$426

Margaret from Main to Powers – 1,505 feet at a cost of \$378

August 1942 – There are complaints about the noise coming from the Flax Deconticating Plant owned by J. M. Caughlin on Jefferson Avenue, east and adjoining the C. P. R. Beach Line. There are also complaints that the plant is also a fire hazard and wages are not being paid in compliance with the Fair Wage Act.

August 1942 – Advertised for local improvements

Concrete sidewalks on

West side of McGregor from Carruthers to Matheson

South side of Jefferson from Sinclair to Lot 24, Block 5, Kildonan Parish Lot 6

Crushed stone on

Tait from Scotia to Lot 7 Block 8, Kildonan Parish Lot 6

Leila from Sinclair to the C.P.R. Tracks

St Anthony from Main to Scotia

Perth from Main to Powers

Dundee from McPhillips to a point 350 feet east

Smithfield from Main to Scotia

Kilbride from Main to Scotia

Aikins from Hartford to Kildonan (Kingsbury)

Forrest from Main to Aikins

August 1942 – Council goes on record in favour of a payment of a cost of living bonus to all municipal employees

September 1942 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic is to discontinue services until arrangements can be made to obtain the services of a dentist

October 1942 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic re-opens

October 1942 – Due to the present war time conditions and the inability to get equipment the Winnipeg Electric Company the winter bus service on Hartford Avenue is reduced to rush hour only.

October 1942 – A local rationing board is to be set up in West Kildonan

November 1942 – The Provincial Government is asked to increase the old age allowance. Premier Bracken says this is impossible as it would cost the province an additional \$800,000 per year.

December 1942 – Council asks the Provincial Government to require all motor vehicle owners to have insurance against public liability

December 1942 – The Winnipeg Electric Company tells council that due to manpower shortages and equipment shortages it cannot operate the McGregor Street and Hartford Avenue bus extensions

January 1943 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, D. Nicholson, W. Langton and J. Pearce

January 1943 – The Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association membership fee of \$10 is paid

January 1943 – The Spartan Skating Rink on Hartford is to be flooded

January 1943 – Council sets aside a block of land for a new school site

February 1943 – H. D. Hunter is appointed the Assessor for 1943

February 1943 – The West Kildonan Scholarship Board is to receive a grant of \$25

February 1943 – Work of the Public Health during the months of October-December 1942

Number of Dental Hygiene Clinics – 23

Attendance at Dental Hygiene Clinics – 292

Number of Child Health Station Clinics – 12

Attendance at Child Health Station Clinics – 123

Number of Consultation at Child Health Station Clinics – 27

March 1943 – The Associated Fresh Air Camps are granted permission to hold a tag day

April 1943 – The Winnipeg Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1943 – The house at 173 Seven Oaks Avenue is sold to \$2,180.03 to T. I. and E. A. M Flynn

April 1943 – Long- time West Kildonan Solicitor J. A. McLean passes away

April 1943 – Estimates

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$51,075.89

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,923.36

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$5,962.71

Street Lighting - \$4,445.56

Total Uncontrollable - \$65,513.51

Controllable

Public Works - \$13,405.50

Water Works - \$13,784

Protection of Persons and Property - \$12,421.28

Social Services - \$27,546.95

Miscellaneous - \$210

Administration - \$15,330.84

Housing - \$530

Sinking Fund - \$30,000

Total Controllable - \$113,228.57

Total Estimates - \$178,742.08

Assessment 1943

Land - \$465,680

Buildings - \$1,314,440

Total - \$1,807,120

Personal - \$136,040

Total - \$1,943,160

Exempted Land - \$1,099,532

Exempted Property - \$241,680

Total - \$3,284,372

April 1943 – Dr. E. W. Stewart is appointed the Medical Health Officer

May 1943 – Long-time Public Works Foreman W. Watson passes away

May 1943 – Thomas P. Hillhouse is appointed the Solicitor

May 1943 – The St John's Ambulance Association is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1943 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$10,000 in the Fourth Victory Bonds paying 3% interest

May 1943 – The Winnipeg-St Boniface Harbour Commission receives a grant of \$30

June 1943 – The Navy League of Canada is given permission to hold a tag day

June 1943 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion receives a grant of \$100

June 1943 – Conklin and Garrett Limited is given permission to exhibit their show on Kildonan Parish Lot 6

June 1943 – A grant of \$25 is made to the West Kildonan Scholarship Board

July 1943 – A total of 6 acres are sold to the Howard Smith Paper Mills Limited adjoining the present site of Fibre Industries in Block 9 Kildonan Parish Lot 8. The land was previously the site of the Hoppers' Social and Athletic Club.

August 1943 – West Kildonan is to discontinue the licensing of fuel dealers until December 31, 1943 due to the shortage of fuel and with the difficulty of delivering fuel

September 1943 – West Kildonan's outstanding debenture debt has been reduced to \$955,100

October 1943 – A grant of \$25 is made to the St John's Ambulance Association

October 1943 – The Union of Manitoba Municipalities' membership fee of \$10 is paid

October 1943 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$7,000 in the 5th Victory Loan paying 3.5%

October 1943 – Councillor W. Langton resigns from council

October 1943 – The house at 327 Perth Avenue is offered for sale for \$1,000

November 1943 – The Fighting French Committee is given permission to hold a tag day

November 1943 – The rink of the Hoppers' Social and Athletic Club is to be flooded

November 1943 – The house at 327 Perth Avenue is sold to Oscar Frank Jentke for \$1,000

December 1943 – W. G. Armstrong is elected to Council

December 1943 – To protect people skating on municipal rinks, the Police Department is to make arrangements to prohibit the playing of hockey at certain times

January 1944 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, W. Armstrong, J. Pearce and D. Nicholson

January 1944 – The Water Works truck is stolen by an unknown person or persons

January 1944 – H. D. Hunter is appointed Assessor

Thomas P. Hillhouse is appointed the Solicitor

January 1944 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$50,000 in West Kildonan Consolidated Debentures for \$31,500

February 1944 – Council supports a tag day to raise funds for the Soviet Union

February 1944 – Municipal employees will now be given a leave of absences for extended illnesses

February 1944 – Council is told that the C.P.R. is considering the demolition of the Bergen Cut-off Branch and a portion of the line could be turned into a roadway

February 1944 – Dr. E. W. Stewart is appointed the Medical Health Officer and Medical Relief Officer

March 1944 – Residents of Margaret Avenue complain that the Winnipeg Electric Company is dumping ashes from the streetcars at the loop at Main and Margaret and the ashes are blowing into their yards

March 1944 – Council is asked by the Veterans Land Act Department to supply a list of acreage suitable for subdividing into one acre lots on which the department would build homes costing \$3,000 to \$3,500. These homes would be rented to veterans for \$18 to \$20 per month including principal, interest and taxes. A total of 1/3 of the cost is to be covered by the Federal Government and 2/3 of the cost by the veteran. In addition the veteran will receive \$600 in cash to cover the cost of tools, household goods and equipment

March 1944 – Direct Relief costs for West Kildonan have fallen from \$12,238.10 in 1940 to \$65.34 in 1943 but the cost of administration; medical services have increased from \$9,320.96 in 1940 to \$20,002 in 1943. These costs are not covered in any way by the two senior levels of government unlike relief costs.

March 1944 – Council tells the Provincial Government that the Municipal and Public Utility Board has reduced their estimates for 1944 so certain municipal services cannot be maintained so West Kildonan will discontinue financing the cost of social services.

March 1944 – The Associated Fresh Air Camps are given permission to hold a tag day

March 1944 – Estimates for 1944

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$55,000

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,632.28

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$5,618.95

Street Lighting - \$4,650.41

Controllable

Public Works - \$9,310

Water Works - \$14,454.50

Protection of Persons and Property - \$12,333.83

Social Services - \$26,168

Miscellaneous - \$162

Administration - \$13,766.65

Housing - \$377

Interest and Sink Fund - \$30,000

Total Controllable - \$106,567.98

Total Estimates - \$175,469.77

Total Cash Receipts - \$207,522.36

Net Cash Surplus - \$32,052.69

Assessment 1944

Land - \$470,580

Buildings - \$1,363,635

Total - \$1,834,215

Personal - \$144,980

Total - \$1,979,195

Exempted Land - \$1,093,157

Exempted Buildings - \$219,080

Total \$3,291,432

April 1944 – The Navy League of Canada is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1944 – Grants given out

Greater Winnipeg Anti Mosquito Campaign - \$125

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$300

West Kildonan Branch Canadian Legion - \$100

West Kildonan Branch St John's Ambulance - \$25

West Kildonan School Scholarship Board - \$25

West Kildonan School Boys Patrol - \$10

April 1944 – There are complaints about the dust blowing off the property of the Howard Smith Paper Mills Limited

May 1944 – The Lions Club of Winnipeg is to host the Conklin and Garrett Show on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 to benefit the Blind Institute for a fee of \$950

May 1944 – Council is to forbid the playing of baseball on Kildonan Parish Lot 8 from Main to Aikins as a result of numerous complaints. Teams are told to use the property west of Aikins to Salter instead

June 1944 – The official opening of the new shops department in Centennial School takes place on June 16

June 1944 – Mr. T. W. Mitchell of 163 Kilbride Avenue is told to discontinue the keeping of chickens on the land adjoining his property which he has been using illegally

June 1944 – Information reaches council that certain contractors are constructing buildings without a building permit and without filling plans with the building inspector

July 1944 – A tag day is approved for the Fighting French League

July 1944 – Owing the dangerous condition of the plank sidewalk fronting the property on Main Street between Hartford and Perth, E. Munshaw is told to fix it or else it will be removed and replaced with a cinder sidewalk.

August 1944 – A petition is brought to council against council's decision to reserve certain lots on the east side of Scotia near Semple for a park. Residents feel the park would be a nuisance and annoyance to residents living near the park and would depreciate the value of their property.

September 1944 – Local Improvements advertised

A concrete sidewalk on the north side of Tait from Scotia to Mac

Crushed stone on Tait from Scotia to Norman (Jones)

Crushed stone on Kilbride from Salter to Andrews

September 1944 – The house at 154 Seven Oaks Avenue is sold to E. L. S. Fuller for \$3,000

October 1944 – The West Kildonan Memorial Sports Centre asks for a donation and a grant of land for a suitable site. The centre asks for land to be set aside between St Anthony and Perth and between Salter and Andrews

October 1944 – The house at 168 Seven Oaks Avenue is sold to K. F. and E. M. Chapman for \$3,000

The house at 162 Seven Oaks Avenue is sold to Thomas Cundall Marshall for \$2,500

The house at 88 Smithfield Avenue is sold to D. E. and E. Forrest for \$2,500

October 1944 – The Kinsmen's Club of Winnipeg is given permission to raise money by sell out tickets to purchase milk for Britain

October 1944 – West Kildonan is to participate in a comprehensive plan for Greater Winnipeg for a two year period on a per capita basis. The Provincial Government is to contribute \$11,000, the City of Winnipeg \$32,824, Brooklands, \$352, Fort Garry, \$660, East Kildonan, \$1,232, West Kildonan, \$924, St Boniface, \$2,640, St James, \$2,024, St Vital, \$1,760, Tuxedo, \$232, Transcona, \$836, Charleswood, \$308, Assiniboia, \$308

November 1944 – A report is tabled on property that was damaged on Halloween

November 1944 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion receives a grant of \$25 to help cover the cost of expenses for entertaining the children of servicemen overseas

November 1944 – The total West Kildonan debt is now \$877,400 made up of West Kildonan Municipal debt, \$740,267.48 and the West Kildonan School District debt, \$137,137.62

December 1944 – West Kildonan's Equalized Assessment for 1945 and 1946 is \$1,570,000

December 1944 – By the end of December 1944, West Kildonan is expected to have under spent its budget by \$2,940.84

January 1945 – Reeve E. Partridge, Councillors, A. Collicutt, D. Nicholson, H. Jennings and J. Pearce

January 1945 – The total value of building permits total \$162,925

January 1945 – Thomas P. Hillhouse is appointed the Solicitor for 1945

Dr. E. W. Stewart is appointed the Medical Health Officer for 1945

January 1945 – The Manitoba Tuberculosis Clinic is to conduct a T. B. survey in West Kildonan

February 1945 – Chick Lumber and Fuel Company and the George D. Simpson Box Company Limited enter into a private agreement with the City of Winnipeg Fire Department to provide fire protection to the two factories

February 1945 – The yearly cost of supervision of West Kildonan by the Municipal and Public Utility Board is to rise from \$180 to \$306 in 1945

March 1945 – Estimates

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$59,000

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,643.17

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$5,650

Street Lighting - \$4,551.55

Total Uncontrollable - \$72,844.72

Controllable

Public Works - \$9,320

Water Works - \$16,467.50

Protection of Persons and Property - \$12,785.88

Social Services - \$22,860

Miscellaneous - \$621

Administration - \$13,834.91

Housing - \$214

Interest and Sinking Fund - \$30,000

Accounts Payable - \$34.24

Total Controllable - \$106,137.41

Total Estimates - \$178,982.23

Total Estimated Revenue - \$241,119.27

Expected Surplus - \$62,210.47

March 1945 – Assessment

Land - \$501,965

Buildings - \$1,402,630

Total - \$1,904,595

Personal - \$145,560

Total - \$2,050,155

Exempted Land - \$1,061,762

Exempted Property - \$215,240

Total - \$3,327,157

March 1945 – Grants to be given out

Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign - \$25

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$300

West Kildonan Branch Canadian Legion - \$100

St John's Ambulance - \$25

Red Cross Society - \$25

West Kildonan School Scholarship Board - \$25

West Kildonan Boys Patrol - \$10

March 1945 – The Navy League of Canada is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1945 – Wartime Housing asks West Kildonan to set aside 50 acres of land for building low cost housing

April 1945 – A committee is organized for the 60th anniversary of the North West Rebellion

April 1945 – A watermain is to be built on part of Partridge Avenue and hydrants erected to provide fire protection for the Chick Lumber and Fuel Company, J. Chappel Contractor, T. P. Carver and Son, Kildonan Ice and Fuel Company Limited and the George D. Simpson Company Limited

April 1945 – The Winnipeg Women’s Air Force Auxiliary is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1945 – The West Kildonan Baseball Club is given permission to use parts of Kildonan Parish Lots 5 and 6

April 1945 – A grant of \$25 is given to cover the cost of entertaining the veterans of the North West Rebellion

May 1945 – A petition is presented to council against the creation of a playground on Leila Avenue east of Main

May 1945 – Conklin and Garrett Limited are given permission to hold a 12 day carnival show on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for fees totaling \$1,600

June 1945 – All lots in the non-local improvement areas are offered for sale for \$15 cash and an \$8 registration fee on

Belmont from Salter to Powers

Kilbride from Salter to Powers

Semple from Salter to Powers

Property set aside for playgrounds

Lots 6-11 Block 7, Kildonan Parish Lot 6

Lots 8-17 Block 2, Kildonan Parish Lot 11, lying south of Semple east of Main

All Lots in Block 6, Kildonan Parish Lot 8 between St Anthony and Perth and Powers and Andrews

June 1945 – Value of building permits from January to May, \$95,150

Local Improvements advertised

Concrete sidewalks

South side of Perth from Main to Salter

North side of Smithfield from Mac to Norman (Jones)

North side of Seven Oaks from Lot 11 Block 2 to Scotia

West side Scotia from Jefferson to Forrest

North side Tait from Scotia to Mac

South side Tait from Mac to Lot 6, Block 8

Crushed stone is to be placed on

Kilbride from Salter to Andrews

Tait from Scotia to Norman (Jones)

July 1945 – Building Permits issued from January to June total \$182,030 in value

July 1945 – West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion ask that all available lots on Jefferson from Main to McGregor be set aside for members of the armed forces

July 1945 – The City of Winnipeg is to transfer the Inkster property (Seven Oaks House property) to West Kildonan

August 1945 – The Navy League of Canada is given a grant of \$25

August 1945 – An agreement is signed with Conklin and Garrett to allow the company to hold carnival shows on Kildonan Parish Lot 6 for the years 1946-1950

August 1945 – A concrete sidewalk is advertised for the west side of Scotia from Jefferson to Forrest

August 1945 – The Comet Athletic Club is told that its skating rink at Jefferson and Powers is to permanently close

August 1945 – Local improvements advertised

Concrete sidewalk on the east side of Scotia from Kildonan Parish Lot 9 to Kildonan Parish Lot 13

West side of Scotia from Jefferson to Forrest

September 1945 – There are complaints about the offensive odor coming from the manholes on Jefferson east of Main

September 1945 – Members of the armed forces are given the right to purchase any municipally owned lot free of charge and only having to pay the transfer and registration fee of \$8.60

October 1945 – Appointed as additional chimney sweeps

D. Murray – 118 Forrest Avenue

E. Paul – 342 Seven Oaks Avenue

H. Kaake – 332 Seven Oaks Avenue

October 1945 – Additional Policemen are to be appointed for Halloween night

October 1945 – Advertised as local improvements

Sewer and watermain on St Anthony from Main to Salter along with a sidewalk on both sides of the street along with crushed stone on the street

November 1945 – A grant of \$7.50 is given to the Joint Committee of Veterans Association for a poppy wreath

November 1945 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$25,000 of the 9th Victory Loan Bonds

December 1945 – A grant of \$25 is given to the West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion towards their annual Christmas party for children

December 1945 – The Sash and Door Factory at 1914 Main Street asks an additional lot so they can expand their factory

January 1946 – Reeve Cecil J. H. Lyon, Councillors, A. E. Wright, M. H. Pearce, H. Jennings and J. Pearce

January 1946 – Thomas P. Hillhouse is appointed Solicitor

January 1946 – The Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association membership fee of \$10 is paid

January 1946 – West Kildonan's total debenture debt is \$858,600

March 1946 – Council is told that certain men in the armed forces have negotiated for the purchase of homes on St Anthony Avenue but they are unable to take possession because the contractor W. Senicki has been unable to obtain the necessary plumbing fixtures

March 1946 – Estimates

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$68,888.99

Municipal Commissioner`s Levy - \$3,764

Greater Winnipeg Water District - \$5,100.28

Street Lighting - \$4,681.79

Interest and Sinking Fund - \$25,311.01

Accounts Payable - \$38.21

Total Uncontrollable - \$107,784.28

Controllable

Public Works - \$12,489

Waterworks - \$19,009.08

Protection of Persons and Property - \$15,919.25

Social Services - \$19,593.20

Miscellaneous - \$250

Equipment - \$600

Administration - \$16,684.57

Housing - \$204

Total Controllable - \$84,749.10

Total Estimates - \$192,533.38

Total Estimated Revenue - \$254,820.21

Net Cash Surplus - \$62,286.83

March 1946 – Grants given out

Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign - \$243

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$300

West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion - \$100

St John`s Ambulance - \$25

Red Cross Society - \$25

West Kildonan School Scholarship Board - \$25

West Kildonan Boys Patrol - \$10

Shriner`s Hospital Fund - \$25

Assessment 1946

Land - \$516,870

Buildings - \$1,484,495

Total - \$2,001,365

Personal - \$148,980

Total \$2,150,345

Exempted Land - \$1,046,792

Exempted Buildings - \$209,640

Total - \$3,406,777

March 1946 – H. D. Hunter is appointed the Assessor for 1946 with P. Sly appointed to assist him in field work

April 1946 – A. D. McRae is the Municipal Auditor

May 1946 – The fee for tax certificates is increased to 50 cents from 25 cents

May 1946 – The Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1946 – The plank sidewalk on Forrest Avenue opposite the Home of the Good Shepherd is to be taken up and replaced with a cinder sidewalk

May 1946 – William Robertson the Chief Constable and Sanitary Inspector resigns his positions

June 1946 – A watermain is to be built on part of Royal Avenue West

June 1946 – The Winnipeg Humane Society is given permission to hold a tag day

July 1946 – Residents in the vicinity of the Simpson Box Company Limited complain that trucks removing saw dust and shavings do not have their trucks covered

July 1946 – A total of 6,871 ration books # 6 are to be distributed during the week of September 9 by 40 volunteers

July 1946 – G. W. Liscum is appointed the Chief Constable, Health Inspector and License Inspector

July 1946 – Douglas Brown, Fireman and John Nelson, Policeman are appointed permanent employees

September 1946 – The Metropolitan Town Planning Commission expects to spend \$22,000 in 1947

September 1946 – A total of \$50,000 in West Kildonan Debentures are purchased for \$35,000

October 1946 – The Health Care Unit proposed for West Kildonan would be 30 cents per capita or \$2,016.30

Local Improvements advertised

Concrete sidewalks on

Both sides Belmont from Salter to Powers

South side Margaret from Main to Powers

North side Smithfield from Mac to Scotia

West side Scotia from Jefferson to Forrest

Both sides Kilbride from Salter to Powers

South side Royal from Powers to Andrews

North side Semple from Lots 13-28 Block 1

South side Semple from Lots 1-25 Block 2

Crushed stone on

Salter from the south limits of the municipality to Jefferson

Belmont from Salter to Andrews

Burrin from Aikins to Salter

Kildonan (Kingsbury) from Main to Powers

Royal from Powers to Andrews

Leila from Main to McPhillips

Seven Oaks from McGregor to Parr

Seven Oaks from the West Selkirk Branch of the C. P. R. to Queen Street

Jefferson from the West Selkirk Branch of the C. P. R. to Sinclair

Sinclair from Jefferson to Enniskillen

Scotia from Forrest to Kildonan Park

Semple from Main to Scotia

Leila from Main to Scotia

Armstrong from Main to Scotia

October 1946 – A plow and truck is to be purchased for \$5,395

November 1946 – The proposed Health Unit is to consist of the Municipalities of Old Kildonan, West Kildonan, East Kildonan, North Kildonan, East St Paul and West St Paul

November 1946 – The value of building permits issued from January to October total \$1,066,175

December 1946 – West Kildonan's equalized assessment for 1947/1948 is \$2,022,000

December 1946 – The West Kildonan Memorial Sports Centre receives a grant of \$500 from the Clyde Beatty Circus which holds a carnival in West Kildonan

December 1946 – John Nelson is appointed a constable

December 1946 – Council cancels a total of \$1,632.07 for debt owing for hospitalization and institutional care

December 1946 – The McGregor bus service starts on December 16

December 1946 – West Kildonan is to pay 50% of the cost or \$9,000 towards the repairing the Jefferson Avenue sewer outlet

January 1947 – Reeve Cecil J. Lyon, Councillors, M. H. Pearce, A. E. Wright, R. F. Morrison and W. C. Macdonell

January 1947 – West Kildonan is to become of Local Health Unit # 26 with a total population of 20,461 with East Kildonan 9,099, West Kildonan 6,540, North Kildonan 2,321, Old Kildonan 664, West St Paul 955 and East St Paul 972

February 1947 – Applications for positions are advertised for policeman, fireman and an assistant clerk for the Water and License Department

February 1947 – West Kildonan is to withdraw from the Metropolitan Town Planning Commission

March 1947 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$5,000 in West Kildonan Consolidated Debentures for \$3,491.44

March 1947 – Hugh R. Eade is hired as Assessor for 1947

April 1947 – Estimates for 1947

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$68,943.45

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$4,706.85

Greater Winnipeg Water District - \$5,100

Street Lighting - \$5,450.36

Interest and Sinking Fund – \$25,311.01

Total Uncontrollable - \$109,511.67

Controllable

Public Works - \$21,373

Water Works - \$24,061

Protection of Persons and Property - \$19,177.08

Social Services - \$20,276.10

Miscellaneous - \$223

Equipment - \$5,000

Administration - \$21,133

Housing - \$200

Reserve for Taxes - \$6,000

Total Controllable - \$117,447.18

Total Estimates - \$226,958.85

Surplus - \$679.51

Assessment for 1947

Land - \$596,615

Buildings - \$1,783,205

Total - \$2,379,820

Personal - \$151,990

Total - \$2,531,810

Exempted Land - \$1,069,862

Exempted Buildings - \$209,280

Total - \$3,810,952

Salaries for 1947

W. Ballard - \$3,000

H. D. Hunter - \$2,280

W. G. Watt - \$2,050

M. J. Johnson - \$1,500

J. L. Cartwright - \$1,560

G. W. Liscum - \$2,198

P. H. Brown - \$1,820

D. Gunn - \$1,970

C. Carpenter - \$1,826

D. Brown - \$1,740

J. Nelson - \$1,820

A. Warren - \$1,974

T. Glass - \$1,874

F. Emes - \$1,824

P. Sly - \$2,095

J. Ballard - \$1,824

May 1947 – West Kildonan to adopt Daylight Saving Time to September 28, 1947

May 1947 – Council goes on record against the Federal Government plans to allow large scale immigration from Europe unless the Federal Government guarantees their medical assistance and living assistance for a period of 5 years.

May 1947 – West Kildonan signs an agreement with the O.B.U. (One Big Union) for all municipal and school board employees

May 1947 – The Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a tag day to raise funds for all servicemen and women in hospitals

June 1947 – The Home of the Good Shepherd complain about night soil be dumped in the Red River opposite their property

July 1947 – West Kildonan and other members of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipalities are worried that there are indications that the municipalities may be hit with an unemployment relief problem similar to what existed between 1929 and 1939.

August 1947 – J. W. Battershill of East Kildonan is a consulting Engineer for West Kildonan

August 1947 – The Howard Smith Paper Company asks for tax considerations as it plans to replace its temporary buildings with a new office worth \$15,000 and a new plant worth \$80,000 which will employ 50-60 men.

October 1947 – A sewer and watermain is advertised for Leila from Main to Salter along with a sewer and watermain on Hartford from Main to Norman (Jones)

November 1947 – Council is to loan the West Kildonan School District \$15,000 at 4% interest to finance the School Board up to December 31, 1947

December 1947 – Council asks the Winnipeg Electric Company to discontinue the bus service that uses Jefferson, then McGregor to Hartford to Main to the south limits because the route is too long and there is no certainty when the bus will reach a certain point. Council asks for the old route to be re-established.

January 1948 – Reeve Cecil J. Lyon, Councillors, M. H. Pearce, A.E. Wright, R. F. Morrison and W. C. Macdonell

January 1948 – Streetcar fares are to increase from 5 cents to 7 cents

January 1948 – Total building permits total 456 in 1947 worth a value of \$2,253,175

January 1948 – The Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit is established as of January 1, 1948 with the 1948 budget set at \$20,300 based on \$1.00 per capita with the Provincial Government paying 2/3 of the cost, the West Kildonan share of the costs is \$2,180

January 1948 – A donation of \$25 is given to the West Kildonan Black Hawks towards their expenses for playing a series of hockey games in Saskatoon

January 1948 – West Kildonan is to clear some driveways on request for a fee of \$2.00

February 1948 – Hugh R. Eade is appointed the Assessor for 1948

February 1948 – A trunk sewer is to be built on part of Norman (Jones) and Rupertsland Avenue

February 1948 – The Winnipeg-St Boniface Harbour Commission receives a grant of \$85

February 1948 – The Winnipeg Suburban Association asks the Province to change the name of the suburban municipality's head of council's name reeve, to the name mayor.

March 1948 – The annual membership fee of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association is to rise from \$10 per year to \$12 per year

April 1948 – Estimates

Estimated Revenue - \$282,428.98

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District Levy - \$92,077.81

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$6,505.90

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$5,059.61

Street Lighting - \$7,779.24

Interest and Sinking Fund – \$25,311.01

Total Uncontrollable - \$136,733.57

Controllable

Public Works - \$27,698.77

Water Works - \$24,040

Protection of Persons and Property - \$20,087.25

Social Services - \$23,345

Miscellaneous - \$295

Equipment - \$5,590

Engineering Department - \$6,015

Administration - \$23,445.24

Reserve for Taxes - \$6,000

Short Term Local Improvements - \$8,073.30

Total Controllable - \$144,589.56

Total Estimates - \$281,323.13

Expected Surplus - \$1,105.85

May 1948 – Grants to be handed out

Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign - \$244

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$300

West Kildonan Branch Canadian Legion - \$100

St John's Ambulance Brigade - \$25

Red Cross Society - \$25

West Kildonan Boys Patrol - \$10

West Kildonan School Scholarship Board - \$25

Salaries for 1948

W. Ballard - \$3,240

H. D. Hunter - \$2,400

W. G. Watts - \$2,220

M. J. Johnson - \$1,620

J. L. Cartwright - \$1,620

N. C. Hermiston - \$1,800

G. W. Liscum - \$2,220

P. H. Brown - \$1,920

J. Nelson - \$1,920

D. Gunn - \$2,100

C. Carpenter - \$1,860

D. Brown - \$1,860

C. Taylor - \$1,860

E. Lundman - \$2,700

A. Warren - \$2,100

T. Glass - \$2,004

F. Emes - \$1,920

P. Sly - \$2,100

J. Ballard - \$1,860

S. Dobrinsky - \$1,800

A. Harrington - \$1,800

J. Scarfe - \$1,920

A. Howe - \$1,800

R. Savage - \$1,710

M. Boychuk - \$1,710

W. Dobrinsky - \$1,800

April 1948 – Thomas P, Hillhouse is appointed Solicitor

April 1948 – West Kildonan is to adopt Daylight Saving Time

April 1948 – The title of Reeve is changed to Mayor

May 1948 – There are complaints about the annoyance of chickens at 159 Kilbride Avenue

May 1948 – The contract for the construction of a sewer and watermain on Leila Avenue from Main to Salter is awarded to A. M. Tallman for \$12,232.05

May 1948 – The indemnity for the mayor is \$600 for 1948 while the indemnity for the councillors is \$300

May 1948 – The Canadian Legion and the Lions Club of Winnipeg are given permission to hold tag days

June 1948 – Some oiling of roads is to be done by the City of Winnipeg Engineering Department at 10 cents per foot frontage

June 1948 – The Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit is to vacate the room in Centennial School and move to the basement of the school. A room is to be finished in the basement at a cost of \$300

July 1948 – The Municipality is to advertise for a Municipal Engineer

October 1948 – The Home of the Good Shepherd asks for Scotia to be closed from the intersection of Forrest to the lane south of Plan 2200. Due to the prohibitive cost, the proposal is rejected

November 1948 – A petition is presented to oppose a City of Winnipeg proposal to build a garbage dump in West Kildonan

December 1948 – Rupertsland Avenue East is to be black topped

January 1949 – Mayor Cecil J. Lyon, Councillors, M. H. Pearce, A. E. Wright, R. F. Morrison and W. C. Macdonell

January 1949 – A garbage truck is to be purchased for \$4,200

January 1949 – Smithfield is to be black topped from Main to Scotia

January 1949 – The City of Winnipeg is to establish a garbage dump in West Kildonan

February 1949 – B. Hyworon of Hyworon's Bowling Alley at 1877 Main Street asks for permission to operate his bowling alleys on Sunday

March 1949 – Scotia is to be black topped from the lane north of Perth to Semple and a concrete sidewalk is to be built on both sides of Scotia from the lane north of Perth to Semple

March 1949 – Ben Harding is appointed the Municipal Engineer

March 1949 – Thomas P. Hillhouse is appointed the Solicitor

April 1949 – Estimates for 1949

Estimated Revenue - \$314,151.82

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$103,600

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,069.50

Greater Winnipeg Water District - \$5,059.61

Street Lighting - \$8,309.22

Interest and Sinking Fund - \$25,311.01

Total Uncontrollable - \$145,349.34

Controllable

Public Works - \$27,249.56

Water Works - \$28,428.40

Protection of Persons and Property - \$22,625.89

Social Services - \$27,426.86

Miscellaneous - \$325

Equipment - \$10,905

Engineering Department - \$5,799.68

Administration - \$26,120.86

Unforeseen - \$3,000

Short Term Local Improvements - \$8,840.23

Total Controllable - \$166,721.48

Total Estimates - \$312,070.82

Expected Surplus - \$2,081

April 1949 – Grants given out

Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign - \$244

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$600

West Kildonan Branch Canadian Legion - \$100

St John`s Ambulance - \$25

Red Cross Society - \$25

West Kildonan School Scholarship Board - \$25

West Kildonan Boys Patrol - \$10

Assessment 1949

Land - \$794,060

Buildings - \$2,487,300

Total - \$3,281,360

Personal - \$196,400

Total - \$3,478,300

Exempted Land - \$891,880

Exempted Buildings - \$205,930

Total Exempted - \$1,097,810

Total - \$4,576,110

April 1949 – Nelson Buhr is appointed the Poundkeeper

April 1949 – The Municipal Bowling Club receives a grant of \$10

May 1949 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$60,000 in West Kildonan Debentures for \$39,600

June 1949 – Council is told that the black top on Rupertsland from Mac to Scotia has failed so the contractor is ordered to resurface the black top

July 1949 – As a result of not carrying out his duties in a satisfactory manner, Chief Constable Liscum resigns under pressure and Constable P. H. Brown is appointed the Acting Chief Constable. West Kildonan is to advertise for the position of Chief Constable

September 1949 – Council authorizes a referendum to decide whether West Kildonan should go on daylight saving time for the months of May to September

September 1949 – Local residents petition for concrete pavement on Rupertsland from Main to Salter

October 1949 – Sinclair is to be opened through Kildonan Parish Lots 5-6

November 1949 – A \$65,823 addition is to be made to Victory School

November 1949 – Council is to sell additional land to the West Kildonan Curling Club for \$1.00

December 1949 – The Provincial Government is asked to make a grant for snow removal on Templeton from Main to McPhillips

Leila from Main to McPhillips

Jefferson from Main to McPhillips

Main Street entire length in West Kildonan

McPhillips Street entire length in West Kildonan

Municipality of West Kildonan Council History 1950-1959

January 1950 – Mayor Cecil J. Lyon, Councillors, J. F. H. Partridge, A.E. Wright, R. f. Morrison and W. C. Macdonell

January 1950 – Thomas P. Hillhouse is appointed the Solicitor for 1950

January 1950 – The \$12 membership fee of the Winnipeg Suburban Municipal Association is paid

February 1950 – Philip H. Brown is appointed the Chief Constable

March 1950 – Smithfield is to be blacktopped from Main to Scotia and Scotia is to be blacktopped from the lane north of Perth to Semple

March 1950 – L. Rivers is appointed a Fireman

March 1950 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$118,400 of West Kildonan Debentures for \$82,000 which reduces the outstanding debenture debt from \$718,400 to \$600,000

March 1950 – Daylight Saving Time is to be in effect from April 30 to September 24, 1950

March 1950 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a tag day

March 1950 – Council goes on record in favouring the abolition of the means test for the old age pension and the lowering of the age limit from 70 to 65

March 1950 – The West Kildonan School District is to spend a total of \$182,813.27 of which \$124,679.79 must be collected by the municipality

March 1950 – Estimates for 1950

Expected Revenue - \$369,434.19

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$124,679.79

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,109.97

Greater Winnipeg Water District - \$6,241.96

Street Lighting - \$9,000

Debenture Levy - \$25,612.70

Total Uncontrollable - \$168,644.42

Controllable

Public Works - \$40,635

Water Works - \$31,336

Protection of Persons and Property - \$28,455

Social Services - \$31,814.88

Miscellaneous - \$300

Equipment - \$8,000

Engineer's Department - \$5,790

Administration - \$29,609

Unforeseen - \$6,000

Reserve for Taxes - \$8,000

Short Term Local Improvements - \$10,218.18

Total Controllable - \$200,158.06

Total Estimates \$368,802.48

Expected Surplus - \$568.71

March 1950 – Grants made

Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign - \$320

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$500

West Kildonan Branch Canadian Legion - \$100

St John's Ambulance - \$25

West Kildonan School Scholarship Board - \$25

West Kildonan School Patrol - \$10

West Kildonan Memorial Sports Centre - \$1,000

April 1950 – Council pays the Union of Manitoba Municipalities membership fee of \$15

April 1950 – Leila is to be widened from Norman (Jones) to Scotia

June 1950 – The Mount Carmel Clinic is given permission to hold a tag day

June 1950 – Advertised for local improvements the concrete paving of Smithfield and Rupertsland from Main to McGregor

July 1950 – The Municipal and Public Utility Board is asked for permission to expend up to \$25,000 for flood purposes

September 1950 – An agreement is signed with the Provincial Government relative to the construction of a permanent dike for Scotia Street and Armstrong Avenue

October 1950 – A meeting is held with the City of Winnipeg and surrounding municipalities to prepare a plan of civil defence

December 1950 – A Christmas bonus of \$15 is to be given to all municipal employees

January 1951 – Mayor C. J. Lyon, Councillors J. F. A. Partridge, A. E. Wright, F. F. Morrison and W. C. Macdonell

January 1951 – The Provincial Government provides \$38,800 to cover interim flood payments

January 1951 – The rate charged for indigent patients at Winnipeg's General Hospital is raised from \$3 to \$6 per day

January 1951 – A water standpipe is erected at the intersection of Margaret Avenue and the lane at the rear of the Main Street frontages

January 1951 – Thomas P. Hillhouse is appointed the Solicitor for 1951 and Hugh R. Eade is appointed the Assessor

January 1951 – The trees there were removed to build the dike on Armstrong Avenue are to be replaced

January 1951 – B. H. Baxter is appointed the Municipal Engineer

February 1951 – Daylight Saving Time is to be in effect from April 29 to September 30, 1951

February 1951 – Concrete sidewalks are to be built on both sides of Smithfield and Rupertsland from Main to McGregor

February 1951 – Municipal employees are to be enrolled in a pension plan run by the Great West Life Assurance Company. The estimated municipal contribution for the plan for 1951 is \$5,178.69

February 1951 – Local Improvements advertised

Concrete paving of Rupertsland from Mac to Scotia

A concrete sidewalk on the north side of Semple from Norman (Jones) to Scotia

A watermain on Kilbride from Salter to Andrews

February 1951 – The West Kildonan share of the cost of the Metropolitan Civil Defence Board is \$502.50

February 1951 – St Anne’s Church is given permission to install electrically controlled chimes

March 1951 – A. Warren is the Public Works Foreman and T. Glass is the Water Works Foreman

March 1951 – Mount Carmel Clinic is given permission to hold a tag day

March 1951 – Constable P. H. Brown is appointed Inspector of Licenses

April 1951 – The school site on Hartford Avenue East is transferred to the West Kildonan School District # 8

April 1951 – The Winnipeg Humane Society is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1951 – Estimates

Estimated Revenue - \$394,193.86

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$136,256.46

Municipal Commissioner’s Levy - \$4,441.48

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$6,026.72

Debenture Levy - \$25,612.70

Total Uncontrollable - \$172,337.36

Controllable

Public Works - \$43,400

Waterworks - \$33,870

Protection of Persons and Property - \$38,403

Social Services - \$34,490

Miscellaneous - \$350

Equipment - \$6,000

Engineering Department - \$9,860

Administration - \$32,090

Street Lighting - \$9,368

Pension Plan - \$2,300

Unforeseen - \$5,000

Reserve for Taxes - \$6,000

Total Controllable - \$221,131

Surplus - \$725.50

Grants to be given out

Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign - \$200

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$500

West Kildonan Legion - \$100

St John's Ambulance - \$25

Red Cross Society - \$25

West Kildonan School Scholarship - \$25

West Kildonan Boys Patrol - \$10

West Kildonan Memorial Sports Centre - \$2,400

Assessment 1951

Land - \$918,940

Buildings - \$3,361,965

Total - \$4,280,905

Personal - \$204,990

Exempted Land - \$779,725

Exempted Buildings - \$204,510

Total Exempted - \$984,235

Total - \$5,470,130

Salaries of Municipal Staff for 1951

W. Ballard - \$3,600

H. D. Hunter - \$2,700

Miss M. J. Johnson - \$2,220

N. C. Hermiston - \$2,220

P. H. Brown - \$2,685

J. Nelson - \$2,340

J. A. Robinson - \$2,220

D. Gunn- \$2,685

D. Brown - \$2,340

C. Taylor - \$2,220

B. H. Baxter - \$3,060

A. Warren - \$3,000

T. Glass - \$2,685

F. Emes - \$2,400

S. Dobrinsky - \$2,100

A. Harrington - \$2,300

J. Scarfe - \$2,220

M. Boychuk - \$1,920

W. Dobrinsky - \$2,100

R. R. Savage - \$2,220

P. SLY - \$2,100

J. Ballard - \$2,160

A. Howe - \$2,160

J. F. Button - \$2,100

W. J. Greig - \$2,100

A. Kane - \$2,100

L. H. Olson - \$2,100

F. Harrington - \$1,980

M. Semeniuk - \$1,980

S. Winser - \$1,920

D. E. Button - \$2,100

P. Krovats - \$1,680

The hourly men are to be paid 65 cents to 90 cents per hour

May 1951 – The Lions Club is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1951 – Miss F. Cockshott is the organizer of the Red Cross Campaign in West Kildonan

June 1951 – Residents of the east side of Scotia Street complain that the building of the permanent dike has damaged their property and reduced their property values

July 1951 – Howard Smith Paper Mills Limited purchases an additional piece of property for \$6,000

August 1951 – A sewer and watermain are to be built on Hartford Avenue East from Norman (Jones) to Scotia for \$4,997.61. A sewer and watermain are to be built on Margaret Avenue from Main to Salter at a cost of \$12,934.13.

September 1951 – The West Kildonan School District is to build a four room extension to Victory School at a cost of \$50,000

October 1951 – West Kildonan is to regulate restaurants and other food handling establishments

November 1951 – The Templeton Community Club is to be given a parcel of land

December 1951 – M. Semeniuk is paid \$1.75 per hour for the collection of night soil

December 1951 – Windsor Manufacturing Company Limited is to discontinue business at 1833 Main Street

December 1951 – A tractor and bulldozer is purchased for \$17,350.30

December 1951 - Mayor Cecil J. Lyon retires from office

January 1952 – Mayor J. F. A. Partridge, Councillors, R. F. Morrison, W. C. Macdonell, K. G. McDonald and A. E. Wright

January 1952 – Concrete sidewalks are to be built on the

West side of Scotia from Semple to Royal

North side of Seven Oaks from Powers to Lot 77 Block 3

North side of Jefferson from McGregor to Lot 30 Block 26

February 1952 – Two minutes of silence are held in the memory of the late King George VI

February 1952 – Hugh R. Eade is appointed the Municipal Assessor for 1952

February 1952 – Daylight Saving Time is to be in effect from April 27 to September 28

February 1952 – A sewer and watermain is to be built on Burrin from Aikins to Salter

April 1952 – The Good Neighbours Club is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1952 – Long-time municipal employee Percy Sly passes away

April 1952 – The Inkster Estate is to be subdivided

April 1952 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1952 – Estimates for 1952

Total Revenue - \$476,993.78

Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$165,394.12

Municipal Commissioner's Levy - \$3,695

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy - \$6,027

Debentures - \$25,200

Total Uncontrollable - \$200,256.02

Controllable

Public Works - \$49,755

Waterworks - \$56,410

Protection of Persons and Property - \$47,290

Social Services - \$22,535

Scavenging - \$18,000

Plant and Equipment - \$8,000

Engineering Department - \$10,941

Administration - \$39,925

Street Lighting - \$10,000

Pension Plan - \$2,000

Unforeseen - \$4,000

Pumping Plants - \$1,500

Provisions for Cancellation of Taxes - \$6,000

Total Controllable - \$275,974.24

Total Estimates - \$476,612.03

Net Surplus - \$381.76

May 1952 – Grants given out

Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign - \$250

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$500

West Kildonan Branch Canadian Legion - \$100

St John`s Ambulance - \$25

West Kildonan School Scholarship - \$25

West Kildonan Boys Patrol - \$10

West Kildonan Memorial Sports Centre - \$1,600

Victorian Order of Nurses - \$250

Assessment for 1952

Land - \$963,435

Buildings - \$3,837,985

Total - \$4,801,420

Personal - \$207,390

Total - \$5,008,810

Exempted Land - \$754,835

Exempted Buildings - \$204,630

Total Exempted - \$959,405

Total - \$5,968,275

May 1952 – West Kildonan`s remaining cost of diking cost come to \$40,187.37 in 1952

May 1952 – Matt Graham is given the contract to collect night soil

June 1952 – Council approves the construction of a hotel at the corner of Forrest and Main and approves the granting of a beer license. The resolution is rescinded after the majority of residents oppose it.

June 1952 – William Ballard resigns as Secretary-Treasurer

June 1952 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre is given permission to hold a tag day

July 1952 – Clyde Beattie Circus is given permission to hold a circus in West Kildonan

September 1952 – Walter McFarlane Atkinson is appointed the new Secretary-Treasurer

September 1952 – Jefferson is to be paved with concrete between Salter and McGregor in 1953

September 1952 – Residents of Newton Avenue East ask for their street to be blacktopped

September 1952 – Plans are to be drawn up for a new municipal hall at Hartford and Aikins

September 1952 – Municipal land sales total \$17,990.68 so far in 1952

September 1952 – Revenue from the circus grounds have brought in \$4,737.86 in 1952

September 1952 – A total of \$4,786.70 in West Kildonan Debentures are bought for \$3,552.64

September 1952 – Council votes to increase the number of councillors from four to six with the final decision to be made by the voters

September 1952 – Properties on the east side of Scotia Street are to see their assessments lowered by 5% to 25% by reason of the Scotia Street dike

October 1952 – The Street in the unnamed Seven Oaks development is to be named Seven Oaks Place

October 1952 – T. Glass is given a car allowance of \$50 per month

October 1952 – Enniskillen Avenue is to be paved from Main Street to the C.P.R. Tracks

October 1952 – A contract is signed with the Royal American Shows for the rent of the circus grounds for 1953 and 1954 at \$6,000 per year with an option for 1955, 1956 and 1957

November 1952 – McGregor is to be widened between Seven Oaks and Jefferson

December 1952 – A meeting is held with the West Kildonan School Board to discuss sites for a new collegiate

December 1952 – A Christmas bonus of \$4 is to be paid to all persons receiving social assistance from the municipality

December 1952 – A Christmas bonus of \$5 is to be paid to all municipal employees

December 1952 – West Kildonan is to receive a grant in aid towards the cost of snow plowing from the Provincial Government for

Templeton from Main to McPhillips

Kildonan (Kingsbury) from Main to McPhillips

Leila from Main to McPhillips

Hartford from Main to McPhillips

Jefferson from Main to McPhillips

Main Street from the southern limits to the northern limits

December 1952 – The wages of F. Emes and E. Tokarz are increased to \$1.25 per hour on their appointment as charge hands

December 1952 – West Kildonan is to use the Flood Damage and Restoration Reserve of \$43,730.18 to pay off the balance owing to the Province on behalf of the Greater Winnipeg Diking Board

January 1953 – Mayor J. F. A. Partridge, Councillors, A. E. Wright, K. G. McDonald, R. F. Morrison and Chaim. N. Kushner

January 1953 – Thomas Hillhouse is appointed the Municipal Solicitor and Maurice Jeroff the Municipal Engineer

January 1953 – H. R. Eade is appointed the Municipal Assessor at \$2,100 per year

January 1953 – St Anthony is to be closed from Salter to Powers and from Powers to Andrews to permit a new school to be built. The School Board is to pay to move three houses from the south side of St Anthony to Hartford Avenue and to offer each owner \$500 towards the construction of a basement.

January 1953 – The Police and Fire phone numbers are changed to 56-1131 and 56-1414

January 1953 – The West Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$25

January 1953 – West Kildonan receives a grant in aid from the Provincial Government for the graveling and oiling of market roads

Leila from Main to McPhillips

Templeton from Main to McPhillips

Kildonan (Kingsbury) from Main to McPhillips

Hartford from Main to McPhillips

Jefferson from Main to McPhillips

January 1953 – Council approves the purchase of the transit assets of the Winnipeg Electric Company for \$2,243,406.33 and the setting up of an independent transit commission

February 1953 – Council provides \$1,000 to the West Kildonan Community Centre towards the cost of moving two buildings to a new site, excavating for a basement, the rebuilding of a wading pool and providing sewer and water to the centre on Perth.

February 1953 – The West Kildonan share of the costs of the Metropolitan Civil Defence Board for 1953 are \$1,249.00

February 1953 – Council protest the granting by the Greater Winnipeg Water District of a 12 inch watermain at Jefferson and McPhillips for the purpose of serving a shopping centre in Old Kildonan unless there is a guarantee of better water pressure in West Kildonan that was experienced in 1952.

February 1953 – Council accepts the recommendation of Chief Constable P. H. Brown to hire Constables Waite and Neil as permanent police officers at \$200 per month

February 1953 – Daylight Saving Time is to be in effect from April 26 to September 27

February 1953 – Property owners on Newton Avenue are to be charged \$2.70 per foot frontage for the cost of blacktopping Newton Avenue

February 1953 – The Winnipeg-St Boniface Harbour Commission receives a grant of \$100

February 1953 – The Winnipeg-St Boniface River Control Board receives a grant of \$42

February 1953 – Enniskillen is to be paved from Main Street to Arlington

Seven Oaks Avenue is to be paved from Salter to McGregor

February 1953 – Council donates \$300 towards the European Flood Relief Fund

February 1953 – J. W. Murray and Son are awarded the contract for the removal of garbage and ashes for a two year period for \$35,002.47

March 1953 – West Kildonan's balanced assessment is \$5,455,990 for 1953

March 1953 – Welfare Maximum Allowance per month

Family of One - \$20.00

Family of Two - \$30.00

Family of Three - \$40.00

Family of Four - \$50.00

Family of Five - \$60.00

Family of Six - \$65.00

Family of Seven or More - \$70.00

March 1953 – An emergency payment of \$1.00 for extra help at fires

March 1953 – Building Permit Fees

Up to \$499.00 - \$5.00

\$500.00 to \$2,499.00 - \$6.50

\$2,500 to \$4,999 - \$8.00

\$5,000 to \$7,499 - \$12.00

\$7,500 to \$9,999 - \$17.00

\$10,000 to \$24,999 - \$35.00

\$25,000 to \$49,999 - \$75.00

\$50,000 to \$99,999 - \$150.00

\$100,000 to \$149,999 - \$300.00

\$150,000 and up - \$600.00

Single Garages up to \$499 - \$3.50

March 1953 – The West Kildonan share of the cost of the Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit - \$3,473.70

March 1953 – A coronation committee is formed to plan for the June 2 event

March 1953 – A grant of \$50 is given to the West Kildonan Curling Club for a trophy and awards

March 1953 – An agreement is signed with Wallace Brothers Shows for the use of the circus grounds for a two year term for \$2,500 per year for the months of May and June and an additional \$1,500 per year if used in August.

April 1953 – The West Kildonan Municipal Police Association is certified as the bargaining agent for the police employees

April 1953 – West Kildonan's population is now 12,075

April 1953 – Advertised for concrete paving

Matheson from Parr to Arlington at an estimated cost of \$8.00 per foot frontage

Rupertsland from McGregor to the western limits of McGregor

April 1953 – A new fire truck is to be purchased for \$10,800

April 1953 – A new municipal hall is to be constructed by Universal Contractors Limited for \$56,901

April 1953 – The money by-law to build a new high school is to be held on April 29

May 1953 – The West Kildonan Community Centre receives a grant of \$1,500 for supervision purposes

May 1953 – Tait Avenue is to be paved from Norman (Jones) to Seven Oaks Place at \$8.10 per foot frontage

May 1953 – Local Improvements advertised

Sewer on Belmont from Salter to Powers

Sewer and watermain on Belmont from Andrews to the C. P. R. Tracks

Sewer on Kilbride from Salter to Andrews

Sewer and watermain on Kilbride from Andrews to the C. P. R. Tracks

Sewer and watermain on Semple from Powers to McGregor

Sidewalk on the west side of Main Street from St Anthony to Perth

May 1953 – A grant of \$25 is paid to the St John's Ambulance

June 1953 – Model Homes is to buy 80 lots on Hartford and Burrin for \$17,387.60

June 1953 – The City of Winnipeg Police Department is to train members of the West Kildonan Police Department

June 1953 – A church is to be built at the northeast corner of Hartford and McGregor

June 1953 – A combined store and dwelling is approved for the northeast corner of Belmont and McGregor

June 1953 – The value of building permits issued from January to May 1953 total \$1,015,395

June 1953 – H. Hunter the Municipal Accountant resigns after 23 years of service

June 1953 – The Greater Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign receives a grant of \$300

June 1953 – The position of Accountant is advertised for \$250 per month

June 1953 – Smithfield is to be paved from McGregor to the C. P. R. Tracks

June 1953 – Appointed to the Traffic Commission

Saul Miller – 324 Enniskillen Avenue

F. Nichols – 166 Belmont Avenue

Archie Fraser – 227 Forrest Avenue

June 1953 – Matt Graham is to empty night soil pits for \$850

June 1953 – Two brick apartment blocks are to be constructed on the west side of Main Street between Burrin and Semple

July 1953 – Property is sold to Canada Safeway

July 1953 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion receives a grant of \$100

July 1953 – A further grant of \$150 is given to the Greater Winnipeg Anti-Mosquito Campaign

August 1953 – The Winnipeg Electric Company pays West Kildonan \$6,007.14 in lieu of taxes

August 1953 – All maintenance costs for Main Street and McPhillips Street are to paid for the Provincial Government

August 1953 – Imperial Oil is to build a service station at the northeast corner of Main and Leila

August 1953 – Advertised for local improvements

Blacktopping of Scotia from Semple to Royal at a cost of \$4.00 per foot frontage

A concrete sidewalk is to be built on the south side of Armstrong from Main Street to a point 1,200 feet west

August 1953 – The West Kildonan Nuisance Grounds are to be fenced

August 1953 – The closed portion of St Anthony is to be transferred to the West Kildonan School District

September 1953 – Miss S. Werier is hired as a Cashier at \$160 per month and Mrs. Hobbs, Cashier is to be paid \$165 per month

September 1953 – All employees performing waterworks maintenance are to be paid \$1.15 per hour

September 1953 – A 30 minute parking limit is to be placed on the east side of Main Street

September 1953 – A total of \$2,700 is to be spent on furnishings for the new Municipal Hall

September 1953 – J. Kosciely is given permission to establish a shoe repair shop at Jefferson and Salter

September 1953 – A water standpipe is to be constructed at Carruthers and Sinclair for \$300

September 1953 – Council asks the Greater Winnipeg Transit Commission to improve the bus service on McGregor by operating after 9 am and later than 8 pm each day

September 1953 – D. Rivers is hired as Poundkeeper for \$500 per year

October 1953 – Two signs are to be erected at Seven Oaks Park advising of the history of the park

October 1953 – Robert Willson is hired as the janitor of the new municipal hall at \$100 per month

October 1953 – A station wagon car is purchased for \$1,200

October 1953 – The cost of building a concrete sidewalk on Hartford Avenue is \$1.75 per foot

November 1953 – A sewer and watermain is to be built on Newton from Main to Aikins

November 1953 – The former bowling alley at the southeast corner of Semple and Powers is to be converted into a store and dwelling

November 1953 – All municipal employees are eligible to join the employees' pension plan after 6 months of service

November 1953 – The Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District levy for 1954 is \$7,512.95

November 1953 – A sign is to be placed at the Seven Oaks Monument, "The Historical Monument located to the east of this sign is erected in the area first settled by the Selkirk Settlers in 1812 and is in memory of Governor Semple and his men who fell at the Massacre of Seven Oaks in the year 1816"

November 1953 – An agreement is signed with Model Homes to limit the construction of new homes to 300 per year in the area west of the C.P.R. Tracks. Single homes are to be constructed with a value of not less than \$10,000. Model Homes are to pay \$25,000 per year for four years plus \$100 per lot for the construction of school purposes in the area to be developed by Model Homes (Garden City).

December 1953 – A draftsman is to be hired for \$300 per month

December 1953 – A bonus of \$4.00 is to be paid for all those on welfare in the month of 1953

December 1953 – Municipal staff are to receive a \$5.00 Christmas bonus

December 1953 – Council feels that the Provincial Government should share in the cost of traffic lights on Main Street as the majority of traffic comes from outside West Kildonan

December 1953 – Norman Street (Jones) is to be closed at Smithfield

January 1954 – Mayor A. E. Wright, Councillors, R. F. Morrison, Kushner, Gauthier, McKay, Weinberg and Beeston

January 1954 – Thomas Hillhouse is appointed the Solicitor, Maurice Jeroff is appointed the Municipal Engineer and H. R. Eade is appointed the Assessor

January 1954 – The Public Utility Board is to charge \$180 per year for supervision for 1954 but West Kildonan is now free to manage its own affairs on a day to day basis

January 1954 – The Provincial Government is to pay 50% of the cost up to \$2,000 for the grading, gravelling and oiling of

Hartford from McGregor to McPhillips

Jefferson from Main to McPhillips

Kildonan (Kingsbury) from Main to McPhillips

Leila from Main to McPhillips

Templeton from Main to McPhillips

February 1954 – Council is in favour of electricity being distributed and sold in the suburbs of Winnipeg by the Manitoba Power Commission (Manitoba Hydro)

February 1954 – Western Theatres Limited is given a lease option to build a movie theatre at St Anthony and Main with not less than 999 seats provided the theatre is built in 1954.

February 1954 – West Kildonan's balanced assessment for 1954 is \$5,394,830

February 1954 – The official opening of West Kildonan Collegiate is held on February 24 at 8 pm

February 1954 – There are complaints of rats in the vicinity of 232 Enniskillen

February 1954 – The new municipal telephone numbers are 59-7346 and 59-7347 and the new fire hall numbers are 59-6375 and 59-6376

February 1954 – A committee is appointed to enquire into the possibility of establishing a public library in West Kildonan

February 1954 – Council agrees to accept a theatre of 800 seats for a proposed theatre at St Anthony and Main

February 1954 – Model Homes announces its plans to develop the area of West Kildonan west of the C.P.R. Tracks from the south limits to Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury). The new area is to be called Garden City.

March 1954 – The West Kildonan Community Centre requests a grant of \$3,500

March 1954 – River and Streams Protection Authority # 1 requests a grant of \$56

March 1954 – The Post Office is to set up postal zones in the Greater Winnipeg area. West Kildonan is to be Winnipeg Zone 4

March 1954 – Thomas Glass is transferred to the position of Store-Keeper at \$200 per month

March 1954 – The Manitoba Home for Girls is to pay \$1,398.60 as a grant in lieu of taxes

March 1954 – Local residents protest against the proposed construction of a combined store and dwelling at the northeast corner of Semple and McGregor

March 1954 – West Kildonan is to take out an active membership in the American Public Works Association for 1954 at a cost of \$10

April 1954 – Proposed concrete paving of

Seven Oaks Avenue from McGregor to Parr at a cost of \$8.40 per foot frontage

Perth Avenue from McGregor to McKenzie at a cost of \$8.00 per foot frontage

Burrin Avenue from Main to Andrews at a cost of \$8.00 per foot frontage

Jefferson Avenue from McGregor to Parr at a cost of \$8.60 per foot frontage

St Anthony Avenue from McGregor to Parr at a cost of \$8.60 per foot frontage

May 1954 – Perth Avenue is to be paved with concrete from Main to Salter and from Andrews to McGregor at \$8.00 per foot frontage

May 1954 – Part of the Jefferson Avenue sewer is to be cleaned at a cost of \$8,000 with the City of Winnipeg doing the work and West Kildonan paying its share of the costs

May 1954 – The Ukrainian Catholic Parish of St Joseph is to build a church and rectory on the grounds of the Manitoba Home for Girls at the southeast corner of Jefferson and Aikins

May 1954 – Kildonan United Church asks for permission to build a church on the northwest corner of Belmont and Main

May 1954 – Mill Rates for 1954

General Municipal – 33.5 Mills

Paving – 2.0 Mills

Schools – 30.8 Mills

Debentures – 3.7 Mills

Greater Winnipeg Water District 5.5 Mills

Total Mill Rate – 75.5 Mills

May 1954 – Council is told that there is room for between 500 and 600 cars to park in Kildonan Park

May 1954 – The office hours for the Municipal Office for the months of June, July and August are 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday and closed on Saturdays

June 1954 – Main Street is to be widened and repaired at a cost of \$48,900 with the Provincial Government paying \$23,775 of the cost and West Kildonan paying \$25,125

June 1954 – Peter Caux is hired as Poundkeeper and Licence Inspector at \$200 per month plus fees

June 1954 – The West Kildonan Community Centre receives a grant of \$1,500

June 1954 – Matt Graham is paid \$855 for night soil collection

July 1954 – Garage entrances are to be prohibited on all north/south streets west of Main Street

July 1954 – Council approves a water connection to Old Kildonan

August 1954 – A wading pool is to be built on the grounds of the West Kildonan Community Centre at a cost of \$2,500

September 1954 – A Civil Defence Display is to be held at West Kildonan Collegiate on September 22

September 1954 – Mrs. Annie Caux and Mrs. Phyllis Kenny are to start private kindergartens

September 1954 – An agreement is signed with the Winnipeg and Central Gas Company to provide natural gas to West Kildonan

October 1954 – Model Homes Limited is to construct \$1,011,372 worth of watermains and sewers in the Garden City project. A total of 68,258 feet on concrete sidewalks are to be built at a cost of \$155,000. A total of \$908,000 is to be spent on street paving and \$100,000 is to be spent on street lights. Model Homes is also to pay \$125,000 to West Kildonan for engineering, inspection wages and administration.

October 1954 – The Fire Chief tells council that he considers the fire escape at Seven Oaks School to be unsatisfactory and there is a lack of firefighting equipment at Governor Semple School

October 1954 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic receives a grant of \$600

October 1954 – The boulevard is to be blacktopped between 1819 and 1821 Main Street

October 1954 – The cost of building a sewer and watermain on Newton Avenue between Main and Aikins is \$6.05 per foot frontage

October 1954 – Council gives a grant of \$250 towards the Ontario Hurricane Relief Fund

October 1954 – General Fire Insurance rates in West Kildonan are to be reduced by 28%

October 1954 – Mrs. E. Farlinger of 266 Scotia Street and Mr. H. C. Thompson of 419 Seven Oaks Avenue are given permission to operate private kindergartens

November 1954 – Council is told that the premises at 144 Seven Oaks Avenue are illegally be used as a multiple family dwelling contrary to the zoning bylaws and no plumbing or electrical permits had ever been taken out for the conversion.

November 1954 – The position of Municipal Assessor is advertised for a salary of \$3,200 per year plus a car allowance

November 1954 – Part of the property of the Manitoba Home for Girls is sold to the West Kildonan Synagogue Society

November 1954 – The Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District levy for West Kildonan for 1955 is \$8,520.97

November 1954 – Mr. H. J. Grenon requests permission to solicit help towards the restoration of Seven Oaks House and Park. Council sets up a committee to investigate and report on the restoration of the house and park.

December 1954 – The value of building permit for 1954 to the end of November total \$2,490,505

December 1954 – A Christmas bonus of \$4 is to be given to all persons on social welfare and a bonus of \$5 for all municipal employees

December 1954 – Constables S. Collins and W. Wozny are confirmed as permanent employees while W. White is appointed to the Fire Department by Fire Chief D. Gunn

January 1955 – Mayor A. E. Wright, Councillors, Gauthier, Weinberg, Beeston, Kushner, Morrison and McKay

January 1955 – Proposed concrete street paving of

Salter from Smithfield to Hartford

Tait from Norman (Jones) to Scotia

Jefferson from Main to Scotia

Seven Oaks Avenue from Main to Scotia

St Anthony from Main to Scotia

Perth from Main to Scotia

Hartford from Main to Scotia

Belmont from Main to Scotia

Kilbride from Main to Scotia

Semple from Main to Scotia

Burrin from Main to Scotia

Kildonan (Kingsbury) from Main to Scotia

Royal from Main to Scotia

Forrest from Main to Scotia

Leila from Main to Scotia

Newton from Main to Scotia

Armstrong from Main to Scotia

Matheson from McGregor to Parr

Hartford from Main to the C.P.R. Right of Way

Semple from Main to Salter

Burrin from Aikins to McKenzie

Scotia from 125 feet south of Belmont to Forrest

Scotia from the lane south of Leila to Armstrong

Rupertsland from Main to Norman (Jones)

January 1955 – The total value of building permits for 1955 total \$2,590,355

January 1955 – Former Councillor John Pearce of 220 Hartford passes away, he served 17 years on council

January 1955 – Councillor D. McKay and his son Mr. S. J. McKay present a map of the Kildonan area showing the original surveyed lots and the original owners as of 1814

January 1955 – The Greater Winnipeg Transit Commission reports a loss of \$122,605 in 1954 with the West Kildonan share of the loss being \$4,227.41

January 1955 – The Metropolitan Civil Defence Board levy for West Kildonan for 1955 is \$762.43

January 1955 – Dan Brody tells council he is opening a drug store on McGregor in March 1955

January 1955 – The circus grounds are rented to the Wallace Brothers Shows for \$2,500 per year from 1955-1957

February 1955 – There are complaints about the quality of the well at Main and Seaforth so local residents ask for a water standpipe

February 1955 – Mrs. G. Lemoine of 187 Leila Avenue is given permission to operate a private kindergarten

February 1955 – W. J. Murray and Son is given the contract for the removal of garbage for a period of two years for \$42,000

February 1955 – West Kildonan's equalized assessment for 1955/1956 is set at \$8,678,000

February 1955 – A machinery depreciation reserve is to be set up in the amount of \$40,000

February 1955 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre asks for a grant of \$4,440

March 1955 – Mount Carmel Clinic is given permission to hold a tag day

March 1955 – A concrete sidewalk is to be built on the south side of Belmont between Andrews and McGregor

March 1955 – A trolley bus turn-about is to be created at the southwest corner of Hartford and Salter

March 1955 – A grant of \$25 is made to the West Kildonan Junior Curling Club

March 1955 – By-Law 61 of the West Kildonan School District is introduced to borrow \$375,000 to construct a 22 room junior high school with an auditorium (Edmund Partridge) at Main and Kildonan (Kingsbury)

March 1955 – The Winnipeg and St Boniface River Control Board receives a grant of \$60 while the Winnipeg and St Boniface Harbour Commission receives a grant of \$149

March 1955 – Mr. J. Rice is reappointed to serve as Justice of the Peace in the Municipal Court

April 1955 – Former Reeve Edmund Partridge passes away, he had many years of municipal service from 1903-1945

April 1955 – The Independent Order Daughters of the Empire are given permission to hold a tag day.

April 1955 – Model Homes Limited announces plans for the building of 271 additional homes in the Garden City project south of Jefferson. This area is to have 600 homes and requires Model Homes Limited to pay \$325,000 for new schools

April 1955 – Uncontrollable

West Kildonan School District - \$262,397

Greater Winnipeg Water District - \$7,396.18

Debentures - \$25,612.70

Greater Winnipeg Transit Deficit - \$3,057.44

Total Uncontrollable - \$298,463.62

Total Controllable - \$438,925

Total Estimates - \$737,388.62

Total Revenue - \$738,330

Surplus - \$941.38

May 1955 – A sum of \$75 is to be spent on shrubs and plants for the municipal hall grounds

May 1955 – A grant of \$50 is made towards a dinner for the School Patrol Boys

May 1955 – Concrete sidewalks are advertised for the

South side of Belmont from Main to Aikins

Both sides of Newton from Main to Aikins

Both sides of Leila from Aikins to Salter

Both sides of Margaret from Main to Aikins

June 1955 – West Kildonan is in favour of Old Kildonan's application to join the Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District

June 1955 – The value of building permits to the end of May total \$959,496

June 1955 – A trunk sewer is to be built on Jefferson Avenue to take care of West Kildonan's needs and surface run off from Old Kildonan west of McPhillips

June 1955 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre receives a grant of \$1,500

July 1955 – The Provincial Government is to sell the remainder of the property occupied by the Manitoba Home for Girls

July 1955 – The Greater Winnipeg Mosquito Abatement District receives a grant of \$215

July 1955 – The area north of Kildonan (Kingsbury) and west of the C.P.R. Right of Way is zoned for industrial development by council

August 1955 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic receives a grant of \$600 while the West Kildonan Horticultural Society receives a grant of \$50

August 1955 – Building Permits to the end of July total \$1,778,873 in value

August 1955 – Fire Chief Donald Gunn submits a report on the short comings of fire hoses and first aid firefighting equipment in West Kildonan schools

August 1955 – Local improvement debentures are to be issued in the amount of \$500,000

August 1955 – A clerk stenographer and a general office clerk are to be hired at a salary of \$125 to \$140 per month

September 1955 – Mr. Posthomus is given permission to operate a bakery at 686 McGregor Street

September 1955 – George Nixon and David Allen are hired as General Municipal Clerks at \$160 per month. Mrs. E. Vinet and Mrs. P. Kenny are hired at \$125 per month. One of the councillors suggests more women should be hired for the municipal office rather than men because the municipality could save money as the union contract dictates a lower rate of pay for women.

September 1955 – The City of Winnipeg is to make an application to the Provincial Government to fluoridate the water supply

September 1955 – Mr. Thomas Glass one of the senior employees of the municipality passes away

October 1955 – A proposal is brought to council for the development of West Kildonan west of Main Street and north of Newton

October 1955 – West Kildonan defers the question of whether to fluoridate the water supply until more scientific information becomes available

October 1955 – All homes in the Garden City development are to have frontages of not less than 55 feet

October 1955 – The value of building permits to the end of September total \$2,406,658

November 1955 – The Manitoba Power Commission (Manitoba Hydro) is to assume responsibility for all electrical power transmission in West Kildonan

November 1955 – The value of all buildings permits to the end of October total \$2,815,040

November 1955 – Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury Avenue) is to be widened

December 1955 – The value of building permits to the end of November total \$3,216,905

December 1955 – The Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District Levy for 1956 is \$8,985.41

December 1955 – Traffic lights are to be installed at Hartford and Main at a cost of \$493

December 1955 – Council asks the Provincial Government to amend the Municipal Act and extend the term of office for members of council to 3 years from 2 years

December 1955 – Nels Johnson is appointed the Plumbing Inspector at a salary of 75% of the plumbing permits

December 1955 – Skating rinks are to be constructed adjoining 274 and 275 Royal Avenue

January 1956 – Mayor A. E. Wright, Councillors, C. N. Kushner, R. F. Morrison, Henry Gauthier, D. McKay, E. A. Weinberg and Beeston

January 1956 – The total value of building permits in 1956 were \$3,216,965

January 1956 – Appointed to the Zoning Board, J. D. Earls, A. Nitchuk, Saul Miller, Harold Pollock and Al Wake

January 1956 – Appointed to the Traffic Committee, W. Latham, M. Hunter, Irwin Wiseman, Archibald Fraser and E. Nichols

January 1956 – Appointed to the Parks and Boulevard Committee, Mrs. J. Slipetz, R. J. Wylie, Mrs. F. Leavens, A. Sinclair and G. Segal

January 1956 – Council approves in principle, the fluoridation of the municipal water supply

January 1956 – The Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a tag day

January 1956 – West Kildonan's share of the Greater Winnipeg Transit Commission's deficit of \$297,584 is \$10,260.71

January 1956 – Mrs. K. M. Vaughan of 294 Belmont Avenue is given permission to operate a day nursery

January 1956 – A Caterpillar motor grader is purchased for \$23,601

February 1956 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Royal Bank is held up on February 6, 1956

March 1956 – The total value of building permits for January and February total \$138,950

March 1956 – Mill Rate for 1956

General Municipal Rate – 31.9 Mills

General Debenture Levy – 2.9 Mills

Paving Levy – 3.9 Mills

Greater Winnipeg Transit Levy – 1.2 Mills

Total for Municipal Purposes – 39.0 Mills

West Kildonan School District – 42.0 Mills

Total Mill Rate 81.0 Mills

March 1956 – The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire are given permission to hold a tag day

April 1956 – The Fire Department reports that it answered 107 calls during 1955 with a total property loss of \$22,200

April 1956 – An agreement is signed with the Manitoba Power Commission (Manitoba Hydro) to supply street lighting for a period of 5 years

April 1956 – West Kildonan is to build a secondary dike up to the 24 foot level east of the dwellings at a cost not to exceed the cost of \$6,500

April 1956 – A ½ ton pickup truck is purchased for \$1,620.85 and a 3 ton truck with a dump is purchased for \$3,171.80

May 1956 – The value of building permits to the end of April total \$803,700

May 1956 – The Forrest-Leila sewer on Scotia is to be reconstructed at a cost of \$15,000

May 1956 – The West Kildonan Lions Club is given permission to hold a parade

May 1956 – Concrete paving is advertised for Dahlia Avenue, Bluebell Avenue and Primrose Crescent

June 1956 – A grant of \$1,500 is given to the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre

June 1956 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day

June 1956 – Mrs. Trojan of 357 Kilbride Avenue requests the water standpipe to be removed from in front of her property

June 1956 – Total building permits up to the end of May total \$1,402,775

June 1956 – A tractor with a bucket is purchased for \$8,980

June 1956 – A sewer and a watermain are advertised for Pearce Avenue and Avery Drive

July 1956 – The West Kildonan School District asks that the access roads and footpaths to H. C. Avery be completed for the opening of the school in September

July 1956 – The value of building permits until the end of June total \$1,830,575

July 1956 – The Secretary-Treasurer W. Atkinson announces his resignation as of August 31

July 1956 – Mildred Johnson is appointed the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer

July 1956 – The population of West Kildonan is now 14,428

August 1956 – Traffic lights are proposed for Main Street in the vicinity of the junior high school

August 1956 – A total of 65 street lights are to be installed in the first portion of the Garden City project with West Kildonan being responsible for \$10,296 of the cost

August 1956 – The value of building permits to the end of July total \$2,340,175

August 1956 – Fred Hartry is hired as Secretary-Treasurer at a salary of \$5,000 per year and a \$300 car allowance

August 1956 – The C. P.R. is asked to extend the 10 mph speed limit of trains 3.5 miles north to Kildonan Avenue (Kingsbury Avenue)

August 1956 – A by-law is introduced to approve of certain classes of licenses for the sale of liquor in West Kildonan. The measure is to be submitted to the voters

August 1956 – Jefferson Avenue is to be paved from Main to the C.P.R. Right of Way. Leila Avenue is to be paved from Main to Salter

August 1956 – Linne Street is to be paved from Jefferson to Carruthers

August 1956 – West Kildonan spent \$11,981.73 on primary diking in 1956 and \$9,905.71 on secondary dikes for a total of \$21,887.44 of which the province paid \$4,493.15

August 1956 – Former Secretary-Treasurer William Ballard who served for 38 years passes away on August 20

September 1956 – The Provincial Government is to pay \$42,000 for the paving of Leila and Jefferson

September 1956 – A watermain is to be constructed into the circus grounds at a cost of \$1,793.70

September 1956 – The value of building permits to the end of August total \$2,792,018

September 1956 – West Kildonan now has two fire trucks with 500 gallon capacity

September 1956 – West Kildonan is to buy the 18 inch watermain on McPhillips from the southern limits to Jefferson Avenue for \$12,870 from the City of Winnipeg

October 1956 – Council and the West Kildonan School Board point out to the Provincial Government that the provincial share of providing for education has dropped from 43% in 1950 to an expected 26% for 1957. In the same period due to a lack of provincial support, municipal taxes have risen by 28% but school taxes have risen by 51%

November 1956 – Mr. Rewicki of Eastern Sales Limited proposes to build a garage and car dealership on Main Street

November 1956 – Mr. W. Murray, the garbage collector says he has lost money on the collection of garbage in West Kildonan because of the additional homes in Garden City. Council pays \$400 above the contracted price to cover his losses

November 1956 – The Provincial Government is to contribute \$500 towards the plowing of market roads

November 1956 – Mrs. J. Silverberg of 324 Hartford Street is given permission to operate a day nursery

November 1956 – A service station is approved for the northwest corner of McGregor and Matheson

November 1956 – Mr. Prinz is hired as the caretaker for Seven Oaks House at a salary of \$200 per month. A total of \$500 is to be spent immediately on building materials for needed repairs on Seven Oaks House.

November 1956 – West Kildonan is to sell land on Main Street to Eastern Sales Limited for \$37,800

December 1956 – The value of building permits to the end of November total \$3,459,308

December 1956 – The students of Edmund Partridge Junior High are thanked for raising a large sum of money for Hungarian Relief

January 1957 – Mayor A. E. Wright, Councillors, Weinberg, McKay, Gauthier, C. N. Kushner, R. F. Morrison, E. C. Beeston

January 1957 – The value of building permits in 1956 total \$3,522,108

January 1957 – The West Kildonan School Board is told that students of Edmund Partridge Junior High are causing congestion on Main Street and accidents are possible because students are not being admitted to the school on their arrival

January 1957 – West Kildonan is to increase the cost of land transfer fees to \$15 and the purchaser is to pay their own registration fees

January 1957 – West Kildonan is to pay \$938.78 for civil defence for 1957

February 1957 – West Kildonan tells East Kildonan that it opposes the name of City of Kildonan for East Kildonan when East Kildonan becomes a city on July 1

March 1957 – A proposal is made to move the Templeton Community Club and tot lot to a site west of the present site

March 1957 – Mr. Pearce of 220 Hartford Avenue is given permission to operate a driving range on the circus grounds for a fee of \$25 on the condition that he cease operations during the annual circus

March 1957 – Council is told that Model Homes Limited may not pave Jefferson Avenue this year from the C. P. R. Right of Way to McPhillips

April 1957 – Mill Rate for 1957

General Municipal Levy – 31.4 Mills

Debenture Levy – 2.8 Mills

Paving Levy – 3.0 Mills

Greater Winnipeg Transit Deficit Levy - .8 Mills

Total for Municipal Purposes – 38.0 Mills

West Kildonan School District Levy – 54.0 Mills

Total for All Purposes – 92.0 Mills

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy (Land only) – 5.0 Mills

April 1957 – The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire and the Children of the Empire are given permission to hold a tag day

April 1957 – Council is to make an inspection of the Seven Oaks House to decide what further work should be planned

April 1957 – The contract for garbage collection is signed with W. J. Murray and Sons Cartage Limited

May 1957 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day for Little League Baseball

May 1957 – Mrs. S. Strachan of 169 Leila Avenue is given permission to run a day nursery

May 1957 – Centennial Community Centre is given permission to use certain lots for a baseball diamond

May 1957 – An agreement is signed with Matthew Graham to collect night soil

May 1957 – Gordon Nixon, the Cashier resigns

May 1957 – The Boulevard Committee is to take over the supervision of the repairs to Seven Oaks House. The decision is made not to extend sewer and water to the house this year

June 1957 – A senior citizen housing development is proposed for the south side of Templeton from Aikins to Salter. This development would require the Templeton Community Club to be moved one block to the west.

June 1957 – Concrete sidewalks advertised as local improvements

Royal Crescent

South side of Kilbride from Salter to Powers

North side of Perth from Aikins to Salter

South side of Kilbride from McGregor to a point 175 feet east

South side of Belmont from Salter to Powers

South side of Royal from Main to Powers

South side of Semple from 318 to 342 Semple Avenue

South side of Armstrong from Main Street to a point 405 feet west

West side of Scotia from Armstrong to Newton

West side of Main from the southern limits to Smithfield

July 1957 – Construction in the Garden City slows down to credit restrictions in the first half of the project

July 1957 – Mr. P. Kenway is the Municipal Auditor

July 1957 – The population of West Kildonan is now 15,367

July 1957 – Seven Oaks House is to be declared a historical site

July 1957 – A one inch watermain is to be constructed to the Kildonan Park Golf Course Clubhouse

July 1957 – A collection depot is to be established at the municipal office for the Fargo Tornado Disaster Fund

August 1957 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day

August 1957 – The value of building permits up to the end of July total \$1,092,750

August 1957 – Water restrictions are brought into effect from August 17-30

September 1957 – Old Kildonan is given permission to use the fire hydrant at Margaret and Main to fill the 500 gallon tank of the Civil Defence Fire Truck being used by Old Kildonan

September 1957 – Mayor A. E. Wright is to resign as mayor as of December 31, 1957 and Councillor Kushner is to resign his council seat at the same time

September 1957 – Model Homes is to provide \$160,000 for the building of a new school in the Garden City area

October 1957 – The value of building permits to the end of September total \$1,535,685

November 1957 – The value of building permits to the end of October total \$2,113,535

November 1957 – Council is to make a brief to the Greater Winnipeg Investigating Commission

November 1957 – Gelhorn Motors is to build an auto sales office at 2000 Main Street

December 1957 – The water standpipe is to be removed from the corner of Royal and Powers and one is requested for the corner of Forrest and Powers

December 1957 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club requests a grant of \$5,000 towards the cost of building a swimming pool

December 1957 – The value of building permits to the end of November total \$2,403,935

December 1957 – Skating rinks are to be placed on Primrose Crescent

December 1957 – The contract for the distribution of natural gas in West Kildonan is to be negotiated with Great Northern Gas Utilities Limited

December 1957 – Mayor Wright retires after 12 years as mayor and councillor

December 1957 – A further grant of \$25 is given to the West Kildonan School Scholarship Board

January 1958 – Mayor Chaim N. Kushner, Councillors, Robert F. Morrison, H. F. Gauthier, D. McKay, S. Miller, A. E. Weinberg and E. C. Beeston

January 1958 – Two apartment blocks are proposed for the south side of Jefferson east of Sinclair

January 1958 – The value of building permits for 1958 total \$2,748,035

February 1958 – Council tells the West Kildonan Kiwanis Club that it is willing to accept the ownership of the swimming pool to be built by the club after it is finished

March 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of February total \$28,100

March 1958 – Concrete sidewalks are to be built on Teakwood Avenue from Daffodil Street to Sinclair

Concrete paving of Teakwood Avenue from Daffodil Street to Sinclair

Concrete paving of Richardson Avenue from McPhillips to Fir

Concrete paving of Pearce Avenue from Linne Street to Cottingham Street

March 1958 – Municipal Employee Mr. A. Warren passes away

March 1958 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy for 1958 is \$9,801.68

March 1958 – Model Homes Limited submits plans for the third part of the Garden City Development

April 1958 – Mount Carmel Clinic gives permission to hold a tag day

April 1958 – The official opening of the Independent B’Nai Abraham Synagogue is to take place on May 4

April 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of March total \$278,400

April 1958 – Mill Rate

General Municipal Rate – 15.25 Mills

Debenture Levy – 1.20 Mills

Paving Levy – 1.4 Mills

Total Municipal Purposes – 17.85 Mills

West Kildonan School District Levy – 24.65 Mills

Total for all purposes – 42.50 Mills

Greater Winnipeg Water District (Land only) – 2.2 Mills

April 1958 – A Ladies Auxiliary is formed to assist the committee in charge of the restoration of the Seven Oaks House

April 1958 – Two new police cars are bought

April 1958 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1958 – Sewer and water and certain fixtures are to be installed in Seven Oaks House at a cost of \$1,280

April 1958 – There are complaints about papers from the Winnipeg Tribune Newspaper Depot at Main and Kildonan (Kingsbury) blowing around the area

April 1958 – Advertised as a local improvement, the construction of sewer and water on Carruthers from Sinclair to the C.P.R. Tracks

May 1958 – The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire are given permission to hold a tag day

May 1958 – A total of \$75,000 is to be spent on lane paving and street widening in 1958

May 1958 – There are complaints that the resident of 529 Seven Oaks Avenue is using his backyard as a used car lot

May 1958 – There are complaints that the baseball diamond at the northwest corner of the Victory School property, intended for small children is being used by adults. As the backstop is low baseballs are being hit onto private property.

May 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of April 1958 total \$952,100

May 1958 – Councillor R. F. Morrison passes away on May 5

May 1958 – Seven Oaks Lodge # 148 asks for a site for lodge hall

May 1958 – Mrs. E. Ackman of 4 Ballard Crescent is given permission to operate a day nursery

May 1958 – The 38th Boy Scout Group is given permission to hold a doughnut drive

May 1958 – B.A. Oil Company is to build a service station on the east side of Sinclair north of Carruthers

May 1958 – The West Kildonan Community Centre receives a grant of \$1,500

June 1958 – An extension is to be made to the St Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church on Jefferson Avenue

June 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of May total \$1,354,175

June 1958 – The official opening of Seven Oaks House is to take place on July 2, 1958

June 1958 – Loblaw's Supermarket is to build a grocery store in the Garden City Shopping Area at McPhillips and Carruthers

June 1958 – The Templeton Community Club receives a grant of \$100

July 1958 – Admission charges for Seven Oaks House are adults 25 cents and children 10 cents

July 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of June 1958 total \$1,776,125

July 1958 – A total of \$40,000 is transferred from surplus revenue to a Special Local Improvement Account

July 1958 – An agreement is to be negotiated with the Seven Oaks Lodge for permission to erect a Masonic Temple on the Seven Oaks property

July 1958 – Model Homes Limited is given permission to begin construction on the third section of Garden City on the north side of Jefferson west of the C. P. R. Tracks but not more than 100 building permits may be issued for 1958

August 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of July total \$2,231,175

August 1958 – Seven Oaks House is to be closed for the season on September 15

August 1958 – The indemnities for the mayor are \$150 per month and \$75 per month for the councillors

August 1958 – A vote is to be held to approve a by-law for the formation of a Parks Board

August 1958 – A day nursery is approved for Mr. M. Bassin at 2 Salvia Bay

August 1958 – A Dominion Grocery Store is to be built on Main Street between Enniskillen and Jefferson

August 1958 – The salary of M. Storozuk, Clerk 1 is \$250 per month and the salary of A. Holiday, Meter Reader is \$290 per month

September 1958 – Mrs. A. M. Johnson of 150 Perth Avenue is given permission to operate a kindergarten

September 1958 – The Winnipeg Humane Society is given permission to hold a tag day

September 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of August total \$2,708,300

October 1958 – By-Law 72 of the West Kildonan School District is introduced to build a new junior high school and collegiate in Garden City

October 1958 – The Community Chest (United Way) is given permission to conduct their annual campaign in West Kildonan

October 1958 – A petition is received for an east-west bus service to connect the Garden City area with Main Street

October 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of September total \$3,095,165

October 1958 – Aikins is to be closed from the lane north of Forrest Avenue to Partridge Avenue. Salter is to be opened from Forrest to the lane north of Forrest

October 1958 – Natural gas is to be brought to West Kildonan from a gas main on McPhillips and from a river crossing from East Kildonan to Inkster Boulevard

October 1958 – The speed limit on Templeton Avenue from Main to Powers is to be 15 mph in front of the senior citizen housing project

October 1958 – West Kildonan tells North Kildonan that it will not change the name of its Pearce Avenue

October 1958 – Council is to allow building permits to be issued on properties as far north as the south limit of Arrow Drive, the third section of the Garden City project

November 1958 – Mr. K. G. Chick asks for permission to lease the area north of Margaret Avenue known as the circus grounds to erect two toboggan slides and concession buildings from December 1, 1958 to March 31, 1959. Council agrees to the proposal and the rent is set at \$250 per month

November 1958 – The value of building permits to the end of October total \$3,246,465

November 1958 – Jefferson Avenue is to be paved from McPhillips to the C. P. R. Right of Way

November 1958 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion presents a flag for the flagstaff in front of the Municipal Hall

November 1958 – A proposal is made to build a building to house the West Kildonan School Board Offices and the Kildonan St Paul Health Unit

November 1958 – Residents are encouraged to donate to the Springhill Mining Disaster Fund

November 1958 – A sewer and watermain are to be built on Templeton from Main to Salter

November 1958 – A lease is to be entered into with the Seven Oaks Masonic Lodge for a piece of property 100 feet by 150 feet in the northeast corner of the Seven Oaks property with 100 feet of frontage on Mac and a rent of \$600 per year

December 1958 – The proposed plan of a subdivision of the Howard Smith Paper Mills site is to consist of eight apartment blocks, forty houses and a shopping area

December 1958 – Arrowwood Drive is to be designated Arrowwood Drive North and Arrowwood Drive South

January 1959 – Mayor Kushner, Councillors, E. C. Beeston, S. A. Miller, C. E. Nye, McKay, Gauthier and Weinberg

January 1959 – The West Kildonan Community Centre requests a grant of \$3,200

January 1959 – Council denies the request of the West Kildonan Fire Fighters Association to reduce the work week from 44 hours to 40 hours

January 1959 – West Kildonan is to participate in the Greater Winnipeg Emergency Number “999” and the two radio frequencies for the Greater Winnipeg area at a cost of \$1,291 for West Kildonan in 1959

January 1959 – Walter T. Sheluk is hired as a clerk in the Municipal Office at \$175 per month

January 1959 – Council expresses its approval for a consolidated school district consisting of Parkdale School District # 1927, West St Paul School District # 4, Old Kildonan School District # 2102 and West Kildonan School District # 8.

January 1959 – Trevor Priestly of 334 Burrin Avenue is hired as a Police Constable

February 1959 – A plaque is to be presented to Vince Leah on behalf on West Kildonan residents at Vince Leah Night and February 21, 1959 is proclaimed Vince Leah Day in West Kildonan.

February 1959 – Police Chief Brown asks for the creation of a senior rank in the West Kildonan Police Department

February 1959 – The value of building permit in January 1959 total \$317,000

February 1959 – The Post Office and the Trading Store is to be restored on the Seven Oaks property with the official opening is to be held in May

February 1959 – Dennis L. Allis is appointed a constable to replace the resigned Constable Sullivan

February 1959 – Street name changes

Brown Street to Monsey Street

Glasgow Avenue to Kelford Avenue

King Street to Doverside Street

Kildonan Avenue to Kingsbury Avenue

Linne Street to Arlies Street

February 1959 – Excavations are to begin at the new garbage disposal site

March 1959 – The Greater Winnipeg Water District levy for 1959 is \$15,195.08

March 1959 – Residents from Tait Avenue and Rupertsland Boulevard protest the building of the Masonic Hall on the Seven Oaks House property on Mac Street

March 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of February total \$532,950

March 1959 – The Greater Winnipeg Transit Commission is to start an east-west shuttle bus service on Jefferson from Main to McPhillips in April

March 1959 – Council resolves that no full time municipal employee shall take a part time job in addition to their full time job

March 1959 – Tag days are approved for

Mount Carmel Clinic

Kiwanis Club, Little League Baseball

Canadian Legion District Council Hospital Committee

March 1959 – Council asks for more differences in the outside appearance of new homes in Garden City

April 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of March total \$1,018,450

April 1959 – Seven Oaks Lodge # 148 is now to lease property at the southeast corner of Armstrong and Main instead of on the Seven Oaks property

April 1959 – The official opening of the Seven Oaks House is set for May 16, 1959

April 1959 – The second elementary school is to be built in Garden City at a cost of \$120,000 with the municipality purchasing the \$120,000 in West Kildonan School District Debentures

May 1959 – The West Kildonan School Boys Patrol receives a grant of \$50 for the annual School Patrols Boys Banquet

May 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of April total \$1,594,650

May 1959 – A money by-law is introduced for \$530,000 made up of

North-South Paving - \$385,000

Reconstruction of the Fire Hall on Hartford - \$50,000

New Fire Hall in Garden City at Jefferson and Sinclair - \$35,000

New Municipal Garage on Partridge between Salter and Powers - \$60,000

May 1959 – Model Homes is given permission to build 400 homes in Garden City under the terms of their agreement

May 1959 – The West Kildonan School Board proposes to build a building 83 feet by 50 feet on Main Street for a combined West Kildonan School Board Offices and Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit offices costing \$100,000 with the Health Unit paying \$300 per month in rent

May 1959 – Kenneth Atkinson is hired as a constable fourth class

June 1959 – A chain link fence is to be built around the Seven Oaks House property at a cost of \$2,850 with a power lawn mower bought for the property at a cost of \$1,750

June 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of May total \$1,846,075

June 1959 – A two storey duplex is approved for 466 Smithfield Avenue

June 1959 – Council cancels the \$530,000 money by-law

June 1959 – West Kildonan is to provide five off duty policemen for the Royal Tour on July 24, 1959

July 1959 – An air raid siren is to be installed in the Garden City area by the Metropolitan Civil Defence Board

July 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of June total \$2,401,125

July 1959 – July 24, 1959 is declared a Day of Celebration to honor the Visit of Queen Elizabeth

July 1959 – Council goes on record in favour of the general principles of the Metropolitan Commission in respect of the amalgamation of Greater Winnipeg services but not on the complete amalgamation into one city

July 1959 – Scotia is to be paved from the lane north of Hartford to Semple and from lane north of Leila to Armstrong

July 1959 – West Kildonan is to pay \$1,000 for outpatient services at Winnipeg General Hospital, St Boniface Hospital and Children's Hospital

July 1959 – West Kildonan is to levy \$638,962.73 for the Consolidated School District of Seven Oaks

July 1959 – General Mill Rate

General Municipal Purposes 12.7 Mills

Debenture Levy – 1.10 Mills

Paving Levy – 1.3 Mills

School Levy – 27.4 Mills

Greater Winnipeg Water District Levy – 3.2 Mills

Total Mill Rate – 45.7 Mills

July 1959 – A plaque is to be unveiled at Seven Oaks House on August 15, 1959

July 1959 – Norman Street (Jones) and St Cross are to be paved from Smithfield to the south limits

July 1959 – The Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit is asked to obtain office space in the new Kostick Building at 1950 Main Street at Newton

July 1959 – Templeton is to be paved from Main to Salter with the Provincial Government paying 60% of the cost

August 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of July total \$3,425,190

August 1959 – The Transit Commission tells council that it costs \$6.25 per hour or \$87.50 for a 14 hour day to operate the transit service on Jefferson Avenue from Main to McPhillips but on the first day the revenue was \$40 and on the second day \$22

August 1959 – The old fire bell is to be located in the Seven Oaks House

August 1959 – A free T. B. Testing Survey is to be done on October 22

August 1959 – Model Homes Limited is to study the construction of homes on the land north of Kingsbury from Main to McPhillips

September 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of August total \$4,010,790

By-Laws are to be introduced to borrow

\$425,000 for the paving of certain north-south streets and lanes

\$90,000 to reconstruct the Police and Fire Hall on Hartford and Aikins and construct a new fire hall in Garden City at Jefferson and Sinclair

\$65,000 to construct a new municipal garage on Partridge between Salter and Powers

September 1959 – Apartment blocks are to be built on the west side of Main Street between Forrest and Royal and on the east side of Main between Burrin and Kingsbury

September 1959 – Land between Margaret and Templeton west of Powers to the C. P. R. Right of Way is to be used for a soccer field

September 1959 – A new collegiate (Garden City) is to be built at Jefferson and Airlies

September 1959 – A sewer and watermain is to be built on Carruthers from Sinclair to the C.P.R. Right of Way

October 1959 – The West Kildonan Dental Clinic asks for a grant of \$1,200 in 1960

October 1959 – Douglas Brown resigns as Fire Captain and Fireman Jack Button is appointed the new Fire Captain

October 1959 – Building permits to the end of September 1959 total \$4,770,115

November 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of October total \$5,227,565

November 1959 – By-laws to borrow \$425,000 for paving north-south streets are defeated, along with a \$65,000 by-law to build a municipal garage and for establishing a Parks Board as all 3 by-laws fail to achieve a 3/5 majority

November 1959 – A proposal to incorporate West Kildonan as a city is tabled for further consideration

November 1959 – The Centennial Community Centre receives a grant of \$100

December 1959 – The value of building permits to the end of November total \$5,944,165

December 1959 – Councillor Elias A. Weinberg passes away on December 25

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January 1960 – Mayor C. N. Kushner, Councillors, H. F. Gauthier, D. McKay, S. A. Miller, E. C. Beeston and C. E. Nye, with council seat vacant

January 1960 – The results of the T. B. Testing Survey

8,235 persons were tested

1,750 persons showed a positive reaction

5,822 persons showed a negative result

7,579 people returned to have their results read

1,955 persons had a chest x-ray

No new cases were found

January 1960 – Building permits in 1959 had a total value of \$6,143,515

January 1960 – The Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities membership fee of \$150 is paid

January 1960 – The Greater Winnipeg Transit Commission reports a profit of \$248,348 in 1959

February 1960 – A total of 107 fire alarms were received by the Fire Department in 1959 as compared to 136 fire alarms in 1958

February 1960 – Building permits for January 1960 total \$295,350

February 1960 – The population of West Kildonan is now about 20,000 with over 4,000 homes and businesses

February 1960 – Mr. Allan Oberman is given permission to open a billiard room at 1847 Main Street

February 1960 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre asks for a grant of \$2,400. It operates 16 hockey teams, 100 senior citizens use the clubhouse once a week, a square dancing club meets once a week, a teen dance is held weekly, there is a kindergarten and public skating. Proposed new projects include an additional hockey rink, fence the property and build a war memorial on the property.

February 1960 – Fire Chief Donald Gunn completes 40 years of service

March 1960 – Councillor D. L. Hartley is elected to council

March 1960 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to operate a plant stand at Jefferson and Main.

March 1960 – Council hears of a City of Winnipeg proposal to rename Salter Street, Crosstown Drive

March 1960 – Building permits to the end of February total \$346,400

March 1960 – A total of \$40,000 is transferred from surplus revenue to a special local improvements reserve account

March 1960 – Fire Chief Donald Gunn announces he wishes to retire for health reasons

March 1960 – A billiard hall license granted to Mr. Allan Oberman for 1847 Henderson Highway is revoked due to opposition from area residents and community groups

March 1960 – Old Kildonan makes an application to join the Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District and asks West Kildonan to proceed with the construction of a joint sewer to service parts of West Kildonan and Old Kildonan

March 1960 – J. S. Richmond is the Municipal Auditor

March 1960 – West Kildonan is to ship garbage to the City of Winnipeg Incinerator

March 1960 – A 22 suite apartment block is approved for the east side of Main Street between Burrin and Kingsbury

April 1960 – The West Kildonan Bowling Alleys located at 1737 Main Street are owned by Mr. S. Sywak

April 1960 – The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire and the Mount Carmel Clinic are given permission to hold tag days

April 1960 – Mr. D. E. Button resigns as Clerk-Bookkeeper

April 1960 – Building permits to the end of March total \$581,850

April 1960 – Council is told that the possible flooding of 18 homes on the east side of the primary dike may take place

April 1960 – A petition is circulated to request council to hold a vote on creating a public library

May 1960 – Mill Rate

General Municipal Purposes – 12.55 Mills

Debenture Levy – 1.0 Mills

Greater Winnipeg Water District – 3.0 Mills

Seven Oaks School Division # 10 – 31.10 Mills

Total Mill Rate – 49.20 Mills

May 1960 – Plans for a new fire halls are tabled for Hartford and Aikins and at Jefferson and Sinclair

May 1960 – The hours for Seven Oaks House for 1960 are 2 pm to 4:30 pm and 7 pm and 9 pm with the house opening on May 24

May 1960 – The value of building permits to the end of April total \$1,344,844

May 1960 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day to benefit Little League Baseball

May 1960 – Miss Trudy Gough is hired as a Clerk-Switchboard Operator at \$150 per month. Mr. Wayne Head is hired as Clerk II at \$275 per month

May 1960 – The police cars are to be washed at the Mani Car Wash at 101 Salter Street at a cost of \$1.00 per each car wash

May 1960 – A student draftsman is to be hired for the summer months at \$225 per month

June 1960 – Model Homes Limited is to have 300 homes constructed in the area bounded on the north by Kingsbury and on the east by Sinclair

June 1960 – The Seven Oaks School Board intends to erect a school board office on Jefferson immediately east of Victory School. The School Board intends to share the building with the Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit.

June 1960 – Mr. K. Seaford is the Health Inspector

June 1960 – The value of building permits to the end of May total \$1,801,884

June 1960 – Permission is given for the continuation of the Civil Defence Warning Siren mounted on a pole in the Municipal Yard

June 1960 – Peter and Roy Woytko are to purchase 150 feet of Main Street frontage on the west side north of Margaret Avenue for a modern licensed hotel (Kildonan Hotel) for \$15,000

June 1960 – A total of 3,249 resident electors petition council requesting a by-law to create a public library

June 1960 – A total of \$190,000 is to be spent on the concrete paving of

Norman (Jones) from the south city limits to Armstrong

Aikins from the south city limits to Jefferson

Powers from the south city limits to Forrest

Parr from the south city limits to Hartford

June 1960 – Proposals are invited for the construction of a Municipal Public Works Garage at a cost of \$65,000

June 1960 – John Hyatt is hired as a Police Constable

June 1960 – The Seven Oaks School Division # 10 borrows \$65,000 from the City of West Kildonan to build a combined School Board Office and Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit building at 7.25% interest over 20 years

July 1960 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club tells council that they have been unable to secure sufficient funds to complete a swimming pool

July 1960 – Water restrictions are brought into effect for lawn watering, Even number houses may water on even numbered days between 7 pm and 11 pm. Even numbered house may water on even numbered days between 7 pm and 11 pm

July 1960 – The value of building permits to the end of June total \$2,751,180

August 1960 – The Provincial Government gives a grant of \$16,800 towards the paving of Templeton from Main to Salter

August 1960 – The value of building permits to the end of July total \$3,178,259

August 1960 – A civil defence warning siren is to be installed on Kingsbury Avenue 1,200 feet west of the C. P. R. Right of Way

September 1960 – The value of building permits to the end of August total \$4,021,809

September 1960 – West Kildonan tells the Provincial Government, Seven Oaks House will not open in 1961 if all the expenses of the house are carried by West Kildonan

September 1960 – The Greater Winnipeg Transit Commission is to install trolley bus overhead wires on Main Street from the south city limits to Margaret Avenue

September 1960 – Metro Winnipeg is to take over as Metro Streets

Main Street from the south city limits to north city limits

Salter Street from the south city limits to Semple Avenue

McGregor Street from south city limits to Leila Avenue

September 1960 – West Kildonan sells 500 feet of property on the south side of Armstrong to Shaarey Zedek Cemetery for \$1.00. The purchaser is to pay the full cost of paving Armstrong from Main to Powers at an estimated cost of \$133,850

September 1960 – Grants are given to

West Kildonan Horticultural Society - \$100

West Kildonan Dental Clinic - \$750

West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre - \$2,000

Victorian Order of Nurses - \$700

October 1960 – The West Kildonan Police and Fire Departments are to be combined in a combined Safety Department with a total strength of 22 plus Police Chief Brown and Fire Chief Button but the new department will require a minimum strength of 28. There are 2 police cars and 2 fire trucks but a third police car will be required

October 1960 – The value of building permits to the end of September total \$4,423,529

October 1960 – Surplus funds totaling \$151,000 are to be invested

October 1960 – A hotel is approved for a 20 acre commercial site in Garden City off McPhillips

October 1960 – The West Kildonan School Scholarship Board receives a grant of \$125

November 1960 - The value of building permits to the end of October total \$5,178,879

November 1960 – A public library is to be established in West Kildonan

November 1960 – Council expresses its displeasure with the Provincial Government for its refusal to provide a grant for running Seven Oaks House while West Kildonan has spent over \$20,000 for its restoration

November 1960 – An extra \$4.00 voucher for food or clothing is to be provided for the month of December for children of welfare recipients

December 1960 – The value of building permits to the end of November total \$5,678,679

December 1960 – The Board of Transport Commissioners and the C. P. R. are asked to place warnings at the C. P. R. Jefferson Avenue railway crossing

December 1960 – West Kildonan is to provide fire protection to Old Kildonan at \$150 per fire

December 1960 – A new adding machine is to be purchased for \$305

December 1960 – Council is to obtain pictures and frames of all reeves and mayors of West Kildonan for the Council Chambers for a cost of \$75

January 1961 – Mayor C. N. Kushner, Councillors, H. F. Gauthier, D. L. Hartley, D. McKay, E. C. Beeston, S. A. Miller and Calvin Scarfe

January 1961 – A Public Works Garage is to be constructed at Partridge and Powers at a cost of \$43,700

January 1961 – The value of building permits for 1960 total \$6,009,629

January 1961 – The Greater Winnipeg Sanitary District Levy for 1961 is \$19,113.50

January 1961 – Council asks the Provincial Government towards 1/3 of the operating costs of running the Seven Oaks Museum or \$1,200

January 1961 – Named as citizen members of the West Kildonan Library Board, Mrs. H. Brydon, 40 Teakwood Avenue, Judge John Solomon, 142 Seven Oaks Avenue, Mr. G. F. Hansen, 222 Burrin Avenue along with Mayor C. N. Kushner

January 1961 – The Metro Corporation of Greater Winnipeg as of January 1, 1961 takes over Assessment, the Metropolitan Transit System, the Metropolitan Waterworks System, the Metropolitan Sewage Disposal System and part of the Department of Planning

January 1961 – A Metro Mayor and Reeves Association is formed to represent all cities, municipalities and towns in the Metropolitan Winnipeg area. West Kildonan's share of the costs is \$61

January 1961 – A draft charter is created and a bill is to be introduced in the legislature to incorporate the Rural Municipality of West Kildonan into a city

February 1961 – The West Kildonan Boys Club is to be given continued use of land on Margaret Avenue for a soccer field

February 1961 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre requests a grant of \$3,791.47

February 1961 – The value of building permits for January 1961 total \$53,200

February 1961 – Conito Construction Company is given the contract for the Police and Fire Station at Hartford and Aikins for \$55,279

February 1961 – The land occupied by Jefferson Junior High is sold to the Seven Oaks School Division # 10 for \$3,000 per acre

February 1961 – Mrs. L. Elfenbaum of 107 Arrowwood Drive is given permission to teach a private kindergarten sponsored by the Collicutt Home and School Association

February 1961 – St Anthony Catholic Church is to build a church and rectory at Burrin and Aikins

March 1961 – The value of building permits to the end of February total \$305,625

March 1961 – Council is told that the Metro requirements from West Kildonan will be in the neighbourhood of \$110,000 in a direct levy and part of the West Kildonan business tax which will require a substantial increase in the mill rate.

March 1961 – Council asks Metro to consider giving a grant for the Seven Oaks Museum

March 1961 – The West Kildonan Library Board levy for 1961 is \$21,000

March 1961 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day for Little League Baseball

March 1961 – Main Street is to become a Metro Street as of May 1, 1961

March 1961 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club discusses installing electric boulevard signs on Main Street at both boundaries of West Kildonan, “Welcome to West Kildonan” with space for community groups. The club also discusses building senior citizen housing

April 1961 – There are complaints about the condition of the now unused garbage site, north of Kingsbury and west of the C.P.R. Right of Way

April 1961 – Budget and Mill Rate for 1961

General Municipal Purposes – 10.89 Mills - \$308,903.84

Debenture Refunding - .91 Mills - \$25,812.90

Paving Levy – 1.62 Mills - \$46,000

Total Municipal – 13.42 Mills - \$380,716.74

Seven Oaks School Division – 32.75 Mills - \$928,981.10

Metro Levy – 2.99 Mills - \$84,921

Library Board - .74 Mills - \$21,000

Total Mill Rate – 49.90 Mills - \$1,415,618.64

Business Tax - \$32,579

Other Revenue - \$338,200

Total - \$1,786,397.84

April 1961 – West Kildonan is now a city and the Councillors are now called Aldermen

April 1961 – Metro is to provide a grant of \$1,200 for Seven Oaks House

April 1961 – Mr. Vince Leah of 241 Hartford Avenue says the West Kildonan Boys Club is willing to take over the assets of the Templeton Community Club as the club may have to disband due to the lack of community support.

April 1961 – Miss Lois Kay is hired at a monthly salary of \$160

April 1961 – Salaries per hour for equipment operators

Motor Grader - \$1.93

Street Sweeper - \$1.81

Tractor Operator - \$1.78 to \$1.88

May 1961 – The Garden City Community Club formed on April 19, 1961 is to operate little league baseball, softball and track hopes to operate a summer playground program in 1961. The club is to use the Collicutt and Avery School grounds as well as the Leon A. Brown property north of Jefferson and east of Sinclair for a baseball diamond. They will conduct a membership drive which will cost \$2.00 per family. They have \$500 worth of equipment and \$500 in cash to purchase further equipment and ask for a grant of \$500 to \$600

May 1961 – The indemnity for the mayor is \$150 per month from January 1961 to May 31, 1961 and \$300 per month from June on. The Aldermen are to receive \$75 per month from January to May and \$100 per month after that.

May 1961 – Miss Lynda Thomson is hired as a typist and switchboard operator at \$150 per month

May 1961 – Harry F. Thompson passes away on May 16, he was the Secretary-Treasurer of Kildonan before the split of the Municipality of Kildonan in 1914 and later he became the Secretary-Treasurer of East Kildonan

May 1961 – Mr. A. L. Gustaitis is hired as a Fireman

May 1961 – Mr. R. J. Bell is hired as a Police Constable

May 1961 – Senior Constable A. Neil is named the Acting Deputy Chief of Police with a salary increase of \$25 per month

June 1961 – The cost of installing automatic traffic protection at the Jefferson Avenue Railway crossing is to cost West Kildonan \$1,037.50 plus annual maintenance charges of \$317.50

June 1961 – A new dog pound is to be constructed at the east end of the Public Works Garage

June 1961 – Earth fill is to be placed over each day's deposit of garbage at the city's garbage disposal site to eliminate odors

June 1961 – Land on the north side of Forrest from Powers to Salter is reserved for the West Kildonan Kiwanis Club as a site for senior citizens housing

June 1961 – Concrete paving is to take place on

Aikins from Jefferson to the lane south of Forrest at a cost of \$44,000

Andrews from Jefferson to the lane north of Forrest at a cost of \$38,000

McKenzie from Jefferson to Kingsbury at a cost of \$37,000

Parr from Jefferson to Hartford at a cost of \$17,000

Arlington from the south limits to Enniskillen at a cost of \$24,000

June 1961 – A total of \$177 is to be spent on sod and shrubs in front of the new Police and Fire Station

July 1961 – West Kildonan makes a grant of \$250 to the Fredericton New Brunswick Relief Fund

July 1961 – The land set aside for the Kiwanis Senior Citizen Housing is changed to the south side of Forrest

July 1961 – Legislation is to be prepared to remove West Kildonan completely from the jurisdiction of the Municipal Board

August 1961 – A total of \$100,000 of surplus funds is to be invested on a short time basis for 5% interest

August 1961 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a Kiwanis Apple Tag Day

August 1961 – The Community Chest of Greater Winnipeg (United Way) is given permission to conduct their annual campaign

September 1961 – Their complaints about youths loitering in front of Bert's Beef House at 1849 Main Street, in front of the Self-Serve Laundry at 1847 Main Street and in front of the West Kildonan Bowling Alley at 1737 Main Street

September 1961 – West Kildonan's equalized assessment for 1962 is set at \$28,093,000

September 1961 – West Kildonan is to establish a Public Recreation Commission

September 1961 – West Kildonan has 80 tons of garbage to dispose of per day so arrangements are made with the City of Winnipeg to dispose of the garbage at the City of Winnipeg Incinerator at \$4.25 per ton

October 1961 – An agreement is signed with Model Homes Limited for the sale of all city owned land and the development between the south side of Kingsbury and the north limits of the city between McPhillips on the west and Main Street to the east except for lands lying north of Margaret Avenue and east of Aikins

October 1961 – The West Kildonan Boys' Club Soccer Team captures the Provincial Midget Championship

October 1961 – The Garden City Community Club is to locate two skating rinks and a jam pail curling rink on the northeast corner of the Jefferson Avenue school site

November 1961 – The West Kildonan Boys' Club name is changed to the West Kildonan Youth Centre with girls now eligible to join

November 1961 – Fire losses for the entire area from October 1, 1959 to October 31, 1961 total \$153,697.21. In the area west of the C. P. R. Right of Way the losses have been \$4,320. Fire calls

from January 1, 1961 to October 18, 1961, West Kildonan east of the C. P. R. Tracks – 91, Garden City – 42, Old Kildonan – 13, For October 1, 1959 to October 18, 1961 there were 236 fire calls in West Kildonan east of the C. P. R. Tracks, 42 in Garden City and 14 in Old Kildonan

November 1961 – The West Kildonan share of the Metro Sewage Disposal Branch costs for 1962 are \$19,552

November 1961 – The West Kildonan Public Library budget for 1962 is to be \$30,000

December 1961 – Metro is to charge 17 cents per gallon for water supplied

December 1961 – A sum of \$264,529.98 is transferred from surplus revenue to a revolving fund for local improvements giving the revolving fund \$500,000

December 1961 – Alderman Douglas McKay retires from council after 8 years of service; previously he also served several years on the West Kildonan School Board. Alderman Henry F. Gauthier retires after 8 years of service.

December 1961 – The West Kildonan Boys and Girls Club asks for a community club grant

January 1962 – Mayor C. N. Kushner, Aldermen, Miller, Beeston, Scarfe, Hartley, Bachman and Yanofsky

January 1962 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre receives a grant of \$1,000 as Council matches the membership fees raised by community centres up to \$1,000

January 1962 – Mrs. H. Brydon and Mrs. Sylvia Miller are appointed to the Library Board

January 1962 – The official opening of the West Kildonan Collegiate Auditorium wing is on February 1, 1962

January 1962 – The Garden City Community asks for a grant, the club was formed in 1961 and has been in operation for 7 months. The membership fee is \$2.00 with 300 family memberships

January 1962 – Miss Sybil Inkster resigns from the Seven Oaks Committee

February 1962 – The Lord Selkirk Association announces plans for the 150th Anniversary of the arrival of the Selkirk Settlers.

February 1962 – An addition is made to the Peretz School at Jefferson and Teakwood on the east side of the building

February 1962 – Model Homes Inc. is to purchase 13 acres of land from the C. P. R. adjoining the Bergen Cut-off Right of Way

February 1962 – West Kildonan, East Kildonan, Old Kildonan, North Kildonan, East St Paul and West St Paul make a joint submission asking for a bridge to be built over the Red River at the Perimeter Highway

February 1962 – The West Kildonan Public Library officially opens on February 21, 1962

February 1962 – A new Civil Defence Warning Siren is to be erected on the west side of Arlington at the lane between Smithfield and McAdam

February 1962 – Tot lots are to be developed at

Kingsbury Avenue, east of Main in the creek bed property

Kingsbury Avenue, west of Main at the old Centennial Community Club site

Garden City at Macklin Avenue

February 1962 – The garbage contract is given to W. J. Murray & Sons for \$115,499.88 for a 3 year period

February 1962 – A new Poundkeeper Truck is purchased from Dominion Motors for \$2,547.40 minus a \$922 trade in. A new Public Works Truck is purchased from Stern Trucks for \$2,669.75 minus an \$884.75 trade in

February 1962 – Two four plex apartment blocks are to be built at 261 Hartford

March 1962 – The West Kildonan Public Library has 3,000 members with 200 of these from outside West Kildonan

March 1962 – The Metro Levy is \$89,427

March 1962 – There are complaints that plastic pellets from Areofoam Chemicals Limited at 1980 Main Street are littering the area

April 1962 – All community clubs in West Kildonan support a plan to build a sports arena at Perth and Powers and would also contain a swimming pool. The plan is also to make use of the present hockey facilities with an estimated cost of \$125,000.

April 1962 – Proposed Budget for 1962

General Municipal Purposes – 11.49 Mills - \$359,875.47

Debenture Refunding - .82 Mills - \$25,683.01

Paving Levy – 1.0 Mills - \$31,320.75

Library Board - .96 Mills - \$30,067.92

Seven Oaks School Division – 33.38 Mills - \$1,045,486.86

Business Tax - \$43,120

Other Revenue - \$174,885.43

Total - \$1,799,713.53

April 1962 – West Kildonan opposes a Metro plan to establishing a race track or Kart course in Kildonan Park

April 1962 – Model Homes Limited bring forth plans to develop 24.21 acres of land bound by Jefferson, Hartford, Sinclair and the C. P. R. Right of Way

April 1962 – Given permission to hold tag days

Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire

38th Winnipeg Boy Scouts Group West Kildonan

West Kildonan Kiwanis Club for Little League Baseball

April 1962 – Miss Carol Litman is hired as a temporary telephone operator in the Administrative Offices for \$150 per month

April 1962 – A total of 2,000 sandbags are purchased for \$500 to protect some homes on the east side of Scotia Street

May 1962 – The old fire bell is removed from the Seven Oaks House and is moved to the new Police and Fire Station

May 1962 – Mount Carmel Clinic is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1962 – The Lord Selkirk Association Celebrations for 1962 include a Memorial Church Service on June 24, have a ceremony on the Mall in Downtown Winnipeg with civic and government officials and a dinner on October 27 to commemorate the arrival of the Selkirk Settlers.

May 1962 – Clark`s Discount Department Store is to be located in the North Gate Plaza Shopping Centre

May 1962 – Mr. C. Nye is to supervise the tree planting program for 1962, his salary is to be based on a truck driver`s rate plus 12 cents per mile for the use of his private automobile

May 1962 – West Kildonan is to loan the Seven Oaks School Division \$75,000 at 6% interest

June 1962 – New Water Rates

Minimum charge for water consumption – 800 cubic feet per quarter - \$2.65

Up to 10,000 cubic feet per quarter – 33 cents per 100 cubic feet

10,001 cubic feet per quarter up to 100,000 cubic feet per quarter – 23 cents per 100 cubic feet

In excess of 100,000 cubic feet per quarter – 23 cents per 100 cubic feet

June 1962 – The United Church is given permission to use a temporary pre-fabricated building on Merriwood Avenue and Airlies Street for a period of two years

June 1962 – The West Kildonan Curling Club is to build a two storey addition 30 feet by 35 feet

June 1962 – A verandah is to be installed on Seven Oaks House at a cost of \$1,566

June 1962 – Mr. Robert Drime is hired as a Clerk in the Police and Fire Hall at \$165 per month

July 1962 – Clerical staff are to receive a 3.5% increase in 1962 and a 3% increase in 1963

July 1962 – A referendum is to be held on establishing a Public Recreation Commission

July 1962 – In view of the rising cost of welfare, Mr. E. Gilpin is hired for one month as a case investigator for \$300

August 1962 – Senior Constable Walter Bell is placed on probation for a period of 3 months with a reduction of \$25 per month in his salary

August 1962 – A ceremony is to be held at the Seven Oaks Monument during September with the mayors of West Kildonan, Old Kildonan, East Kildonan and North Kildonan in attendance with the Lord Selkirk District Boy Scout Pipe Band to participate. There is to be the reading of names of those who lost their lives at the Battle of Seven Oaks. Alderman J. T. Burke of the City of St James a direct descent of one who lost his life is to speak. The West Kildonan Legion is to lay a wreath. All guests are to be invited to a tea following the ceremonies at Seven Oaks House. There is also a proposal to print a history of Seven Oaks for school children

August 1962 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club grants a sum of \$150 to be used for the purchase of playground equipment for the tot lots on Kingsbury, east of Main, Viola Street and Colish Drive

August 1962 – The Community Chest (United Way) is given permission to conduct their annual campaign in West Kildonan

August 1962 – Wilful damage is done to the Arctic Ice Company property at 1833 Main Street

August 1962 – The dog catcher is ordered to take immediate action to control the dogs running at large in the school areas

August 1962 – Mrs. M. Crouch is hired as a Clerk in the Administrative Offices at \$160 per month

August 1962 – The formal ceremony at the Battle of Seven Oaks Monument is to be held on September 23

September 1962 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold its annual Apple Tag Day

September 1962 – The Police Department now has a radar unit

September 1962 – Andy Bathgate a member of the New York Rangers Hockey Team, born and raised in West Kildonan is to be honored at an exhibition game involving the New York Rangers at the Winnipeg Arena on October 4

September 1962 – Long-time Administrative Employee Harry Hunter passes away on September 13. He worked in the Administrative Offices from 1934-1951

September 1962 – West Kildonan is to be included in the River and Streams Protection Authority # 1

October 1962 – Bus service is planned for the Garden City area

November 1962 – Inaugural meeting of Council after council terms are changed from January to December to November to October.

Mayor Kushner, Aldermen, Hartley, Yanofsky, Bachman, Beeston, Miller and Scarfe

November 1962 – Part of Parr Street is to be closed

November 1962 – The Public Recreation Commission is created after the voters approve its creation

November 1962 – Mrs. Anne Durquetz is hired as a Clerk-Cashier at \$200 per month

November 1962 – Citizen Members of the Seven Oaks House Committee include

Mrs. H. Lewis, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. I. Wiseman, Mr. H. Huffman, Mr. D. McKay and Mr. H. Gauthier

November 1962 – A sewer and watermain are advertised for Kingsbury from Aikins to Andrews

December 1962 – A dictating machine is to be purchased for \$550

December 1962 – The West Kildonan Memorial Centre advises council that they have raised \$1,000 in the 1962 membership drive so they now ask council for the matching grant

December 1962 – Appointed to the Library Board for 1962-1963

Judge J. R. Solomon – 142 Seven Oaks Drive

Mr. Marcel Bonneau – 515 Semple Avenue

January 1963 – The West Kildonan Public Recreation Commission asks council for a budget of \$34,000 for 1963

January 1963 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre receives a grant of \$1,000

January 1963 – Joe Rewicki of Eastern Sales Limited asks that he may purchase 200 feet of Main Street frontage with an option to purchase another 200 feet of frontage north of Margaret but his request is turned down

January 1963 – Mr. A. Hower of the Meter Repair Department retires after 24 years of service

January 1963 – Constable Walter Bell is asked to submit his resignation immediately; if he fails to resign, he is to be dismissed. He resigns and receives 3 weeks of holidays in lieu of a paid vacation. Mr. G. G. Burton is hired for the Police Department to replace him.

February 1963 – Mr. Raymond Bailey of 384 Royal Avenue advises council that he is preparing a historical thesis on the history of education in West Kildonan from when West Kildonan had one school to the present. He asks for permission to obtain information from the records on hand in the City Hall Vaults.

February 1963 – One additional male clerk is to be hired for the Police Department at \$165 per month

February 1963 – Street names to be used in the subdivision east of the C. P. R. Tracks

Leila to Aikins – Sly Drive

Sly Drive to Leila – Weinberg Road

Veronica Bay

Vera Bay

Part of Salter from the Cemetery to north black lane on Margaret – Tanner Street

Salter to Sly Street – Hanna Street

February 1963 – Metro approves a plan of subdivision for the area north of Leila and east of the C. P. R. Right of Way

March 1963 – Mrs. Bernice Marcoe is hired as a part time social worker at \$160 per month

March 1963 – A storm sewer and catch basin is to be installed at Collicutt School and at West Kildonan Collegiate

March 1963 – British American Oil Company (B. A.) is building a service station at the northwest corner of the Northgate Shopping Centre

March 1963 – A Firestone Store is proposed for the southwest corner of Smithfield and Main

March 1963 – Council goes on record in favouring the 1967 Pan Am Games in Greater Winnipeg at an estimated cost of \$1,300,000 with the Federal Government and Provincial Governments paying 1/3 of the cost each. West Kildonan agrees to be included in the 1/3 of the costs to be paid by the Greater Winnipeg Municipalities.

March 1963 – Metro provides a grant of \$1,200 towards the operations of the Seven Oaks House

March 1963 – River and Streams Authority # 1 is to be given authority over land 350 feet from the normal summer water level on each side of the Red and Assiniboia Rivers up from 150 feet

March 1963 – Budget and Mill Rate for 1963

General Municipal Purposes – 11.18 Mills - \$369,904.67

Paving - .91 Mills - \$30,000

Debentures - .78 Mills - \$25,612.87

Seven Oaks School Division – 36.28 Mills - \$1,200,360.09

Metro Levy – 3.01 Mills - \$99,508.00

Metro Business Tax Levy - .75 Mills - \$24,786

Business Tax - \$59,125.91

Other Revenue - \$169,286.63

Total Budget - \$2,042,583.17

March 1963 – An agreement is signed with Templeton Engineering Company Limited for engineering services for the new development north of Leila and east of the C. P. R. Right of Way

March 1963 – The Public Works Foreman and Garage Foreman are given pay raises of 3%

April 1963 – The West Kildonan Junior Curling Club is given a grant of \$35

April 1963 – A reciprocal agreement involving firefighting and rescue services is signed with the City of Winnipeg

April 1963 – Council goes on record in opposition to the Metro plan to include Jefferson from Main to McPhillips as a street under Metro jurisdiction

April 1963 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a Little League tag day

April 1963 – The West Kildonan Electors' Committee complain about high taxes. They want taxes to be reduced while at the same time school and recreation services should increase.

April 1963 – An Ox Cart is to be purchased for the Seven Oaks Museum for \$250

April 1963 – Monarch Lumber is located at 1930 Main Street

May 1963 – The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire and the Ukrainian Canadian Welfare Service are given permission to hold tag days

May 1963 – Council is told that new Provincial Government legislation allows municipalities to levy up to one mill for the purpose of raising funds for the Centennial Celebrations in 1967 and 1970. The Federal Government will also provide grants available from the Federal Government. Mayor Kushner proposes the building of a civic centre to be used for sports and community programs as West Kildonan's Centennial project.

May 1963 – Mr. Robert Chamberlain of 104 Smithfield Avenue is appointed to the Public Recreation Commission to fill the unexpired term of Mr. C. J. Lyon of 108 Tait Avenue who passed away

May 1963 – A 24 lane bowling alley is proposed for the Northgate Plaza Shopping Centre behind the existing Loblaw's store

June 1963 – Centennial School Jubilee Committee is to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the school on September 28 and asks council for a grant

June 1963 – Appointed to the Public Recreation Commission

Mr. V. McGavock – 498 Kilbride Avenue

Mr. J. Goldstein – 343 Hartford Avenue

June 1963 – The plan of subdivision for the area north of Leila Avenue and east of the C. P. R. Right of Way is to be known as the Margaret Park Development

June 1963 – Raymond Hucycke is hired as a Clerk in the Police and Fire Station

June 1963 – Council is told that Metro plans to spend \$500,000 to improve the facilities in Kildonan Park including skating facilities a \$200,000 outdoor swimming pool to be built in 1964

July 1963 – Salter and Aikins are to be paved from Templeton and Margaret

July 1963 – A reserve fund is to be set up starting in 1964 to celebrate the Centennial of Canada in 1967 and Manitoba in 1970 by the way of a one mill levy starting in 1964

July 1963 – Metro asks that Norman Street and Newton Avenue be changed due to the duplication of these names in the Metro Winnipeg area

August 1963 – Metro has now built new barbecue facilities in Kildonan Park

August 1963 – Henry Calvez resigns as a Clerk in the Engineering Department

August 1963 – West Kildonan receives a cheque of \$1,500 from the Provincial Government for initiating new programs for amateur sports

August 1963 – Norman Street is to be changed to Jones Street

August 1963 – Anthony E. Berchulko is hired as a Clerk in the Engineering Department at \$160 per month

August 1963 – Salter Street north of Shaarey Zedec Cemetery is to be renamed Tanner Street

September 1963 – Westmacott Paint and Glass Limited is to purchase land on the west side of Main Street 200 feet north of the lane north of Margaret Avenue

September 1963 – The West Kildonan Library Board asks council to consider the construction of a library building as a Centennial Project

September 1963 – Mr. E. C. McMillan is appointed the City Auditor for 1963

September 1963 – West Kildonan purchases \$94,000 in Seven Oaks School Division debentures

September 1963 – A 108 inch sewer is to be built on Armstrong Avenue between Main Street and the Red River at a cost of \$355,000

September 1963 – Seven Oaks School Division introduces By-Law 19/1963 to borrow \$532,000

September 1963 – West Kildonan asks the Provincial Government to extend daylight saving time from the last Sunday in April to the last Sunday in October

October 1963 – Mr. John David Lyon of 47 Woodcrest Drive is appointed to the Public Recreation Commission to fill the unexpired term of Mr. G. Segal who passed away

October 1963 – The Jewish Welfare Council tells council that they are purchasing land on Forrest between Powers and Andrews for a senior citizen housing project

October 1963 – The West Kildonan Junior Soccer Team is given a grant of \$75 towards the cost of giving each boy a memento for winning the Provincial Championships

November 1963 – Inaugural meeting of council, Mayor C. N. Kushner, Aldermen, Beeston, Miller, Scarfe, Bachman, Hartley and Yanofsky

November 1963 – The Seven Oaks House Citizens Committee is to prepare a constitution to cover the operation of the Seven Oaks House Museum

December 1963 – The Winnipeg Summer Theatre Association (Rainbow Stage) has an outstanding operating deficit to the end of 1963 of \$42,000 from nine years of operation, asks council for a grant

December 1963 – The Metro Corporation Emergency Plan has 4 categories

Stage 1 – Delicate or strained condition

Stage 2 – Likely attack on North America

Stage 3 – Imminent Attack on North America

Stage 4 – Attack Started, National Alert has sounded

December 1963 – The West Kildonan Horticultural Society offers to assist in the development of park site north of Kingsbury and west of the C. P. R. Tracks as a Centennial Project

December 1963 – Mrs. Marjorie Crouch is promoted to Cashier at \$190 per month. Miss Donna Batchelor is hired as a telephone operator at \$175 per month.

December 1963 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks Committee

Mrs. H. Lewis – 2 -303 Templeton Avenue

Mrs. G. Smith – 181 Rupertsland Avenue

Mrs. A. Darlington – 180 Kingsbury Avenue

Mr. H. Hoffman – 100 Smithfield Avenue

Mr. D. McKay – 130 Armstrong Avenue

Mr. H. F. Gauthier – 7 Ballard Crescent

December 1963 – Appointed to the West Kildonan Library Board

Mrs. S. Brydon – 40 Teakwood Avenue

Mrs. S. Miller – 324 Enniskillen Avenue

December 1963 – Appointed to the West Kildonan Public Recreation Board

Mrs. F. Patterson – 549 Perth Avenue

Mrs. E. Farlinger – 266 Scotia Street

Mrs. N. Elwick – 269 St Anthony Avenue

Mr. J. Goldstein – 343 Hartford Avenue

Mr. V. McGavock – 498 Kilbride Avenue

January 1964 – The decision is made not to construct sidewalks on Hanna Street, Weinberg Road, Newton Avenue, Tanner Street, Vera Bay and Veronica Bay in the Margaret Park Development

January 1964 – The Royal Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a tag day

January 1964 – West Kildonan is to borrow \$61,336.92 to reconstruct the Fire and Police Station at Hartford and Aikins

January 1964 – The Police Department is to rent one police car from Eastern Sales Limited for \$125 per month and 1 cent per mile

January 1964 – The Metro Levy for 1964 is \$133,328

January 1964 – The West Kildonan Public Recreation Commission Budget for 1964 is \$33,000

February 1964 – A free T.B. Skin and Chest X-Ray Survey is to be conducted in West Kildonan on May 18

February 1964 – Permission is given to the Winnipeg Chapter Order of De Molay to hold a light bulb drive

February 1964 – Sly Drive is to be closed between Leila Avenue and Weinberg Road between Templeton and Margaret

February 1964 – The West Kildonan Library Board reports that 30% of the population of West Kildonan are members of the library, far above the usual average

February 1964 – Mr. D. Townsend of Kildonan Promotions will commence the distribution of a free newspaper in West Kildonan on a bi-weekly basis

February 1964 – Permission is granted to hold a 14 suite apartment block at 1734-1740 Main Street

March 1964 – The Victorian Order of Nurses is given a grant of \$1,500

March 1964 – The William Avenue bus is to be extended to West Kildonan on McPhillips to Jefferson and then Main Street

March 1964 – The southwest corner of Hartford and Aikins is reserved for a bowling green

April 1964 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre has 200 adults involved in running activities at the centre. A total of 66 adults are involved in running the operations of the hockey league which involves 550 children. A total of 200 senior citizens use the clubrooms once a week. In the first year of figure skating a total of 75 children are involved. The teen dances average 200 per week. The summer playground programs average 100 children per day. A total of 250 children are involved in baseball. The hockey budget alone is \$15,000 of which \$6,000 is raised by children and coaches through ticket sales. The centre asks for a closed in building which could be used for hockey and other activities with the building including the ice plant estimated to cost \$100,000.

April 1964 – Sly Drive north of Templeton and easterly to Aikins is renamed Southall Drive

April 1964 – The Ukrainian Canadian Welfare Service is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1964 – The transfer fee for the transfer of property is raised to \$20 per lot

April 1964 – Metro is to pave Salter from Semple to Leila in 1964 and to Margaret in 1965

April 1964 – Mr. Harry Kane of 170 Gilia Drive receives council's support for his proposal to operate a taxi-cab service in West Kildonan which would provide employment 77 people but the proposal is turned down by the Taxi-Cab Board.

May 1964 – The 38th Winnipeg Boy Scouts of Canada (West Kildonan) is given permission to hold a potato chip blitz

May 1964 – Advertised as a local improvement is a concrete sidewalk on the west side of Main Street from Templeton to the north boundary of Shaarey Zedek Cemetery

May 1964 – West Kildonan is to loan the Seven Oaks School Division \$150,000

May 1964 – Mount Carmel Clinic is given permission to hold a tag day

June 1964 – The Winnipeg Humane Society receives permission to hold a tag day

June 1964 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day to support Little League Baseball

June 1964 – Underground hydro and telephone services are to be installed in the Margaret Park Development

June 1964 – Council is told that 10,353 people took advantage of the free T. B. Survey

July 1964 – A portion of the West Kildonan Curling Club property is to be used for a tot lot

July 1964 – A garage is to be placed at the rear of the Police and Fire Station to store bicycles

July 1964 – The Winnipeg Hebrew School is given permission to use the lot at Jefferson and Sinclair for a playground area for a rental fee of \$1.00

July 1964 – A 96 suite apartment block is approved for Jefferson and Vanier Drive

July 1964 – A referendum is to be held to authorize the construction of a library for \$200,000 and a sports centre for \$190,000

July 1964 – West Kildonan is to purchase \$112,000 in Seven Oaks Debentures for two schools to be built in the Garden City area with the money coming from the Special Reserve Fund

July 1964 – Two sites on Old Kildonan are under consideration for a joint disposal site with Old Kildonan

August 1964 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold their annual Apple Tag Day

August 1964 – The official opening of the wading pool at Perth and Powers is held on August 24

August 1964 – Mr. W. Prins of 117 Leila Avenue suggests that the house at 117 Leila Avenue be moved to the grounds of Seven Oaks House. It was built around 1835 by William Fraser and is one of the oldest homes in Greater Winnipeg

August 1964 – The Manitoba Clothing Company is given permission to construct a two storey commercial building at 1747 Main Street

August 1964 – The Manitoba Development and Loan Fund approves two loans for West Kildonan, one for \$120,000 for a public library and one for \$116,666.66 for a recreational coliseum and sports centre.

August 1964 – A committee of 50 citizens is formed to study projects and assist council in choosing a Centennial Project

August 1964 – A number of condemned and depilated homes in the Margaret Park Development are to be removed

August 1964 – A Centenary Citizens Committee is to be formed made up of two members of council, one member of the school board and one representative each from every service club, religious denomination, each home and school association and the West Kildonan Horticultural Society.

September 1964 – The part of the Margaret Park Development with existing homes is to be serviced by overhead hydro and telephone service in the area east of the C. P. R. Right of Way.

September 1964 – The estimated cost of running an indoor recreational center is estimated at \$28,600 per year

September 1964 – The estimated cost of moving 117 Leila Avenue to the Seven Oaks property is \$2,800

September 1964 – The proposed coliseum and sports centre is to be built at Perth and Powers if approved by the rate payers. The current community centre building is then to be relocated to the Kingsbury Avenue recreational area as a community centre

October 1964 – The 38th Winnipeg Boy Scouts (West Kildonan) is given permission to hold a potato chip drive

November 1964 – Inaugural meeting of Council, Mayor Kushner, Aldermen. Hartley, Bachman, Miller, Nurgitz, Scarfe and Yanofsky

November 1964 – Voters reject the proposal for a construction of a recreation coliseum and sports centre

November 1964 – The Seven Oaks Sentinel is now to operate on a bi-monthly basis due to financial difficulties

November 1964 – New water and sewer rates

Minimum charge per quarter based on 800 cubic feet - \$3.20

Up to 10,000 cubic feet per quarter, 29.5 cents for water, 10.5 cents per quarter for sewer

10,001 to 100,000 cubic feet per quarter, 26.5 cents for water. 10.5 cents per quarter for sewer

In excess of 100,000 cubic feet per quarter, 23.5 cents per quarter, 10.5 cents per quarter for water

November 1964 – Public Works Foreman, Frank Emes is to retire

December 1964 – West Kildonan's share of financing the proposed Arts Centre (Concert Hall) is \$112,379

December 1964 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks Committee for 1965

Mrs. H. Lewis – 2-303 Templeton Avenue

Mrs. G. Smith – 181 Rupertsland Avenue

Mrs. A. Darlington – 180 Kingsbury Avenue

Mr. H. Hoffman – 100 Smithfield Avenue

Mr. D. McKay – 130 Armstrong Avenue

Mr. H. F. Gauthier – 7 Ballard Crescent

Mr. E. C. Beeston – 295 Semple Avenue

Mr. I. Wiseman – 242 Rupertsland Avenue

Mrs. Werner – 445 Jefferson Avenue

December 1964 – Appointed to the West Kildonan Library Board

Judge J. R. Solomon – 142 Seven Oaks Avenue

Mr. M. Boneau – 515 Semple Avenue

December 1964 – Appointed to the West Kildonan Public Recreation Commission

Mr. R. Chamberlain – 164 Smithfield Avenue

Mr. W. Jacobson – 159 Belmont Avenue

Mr. A. Shipman – 18 Richardson Avenue

Mr. J. D. Lyon – 47 Woodcrest Drive

Mr. Earl Simmons – 78 Montcalm Crescent

January 1965 – Old Kildonan asks West Kildonan to provide emergency police service at \$20 per hour.

January 1965 – Old Kildonan is given permission to use the Jefferson Avenue Sewer to drain part of Old Kildonan in consideration of a payment of \$39,000

January 1965 – The Mayors and Reeves Association of Greater Winnipeg levy for West Kildonan is \$102.50 for 1965

January 1965 – West Kildonan is to purchase 87 acres of property on the West side of McPhillips in Old Kildonan for a garbage disposal site. The property fronts on McPhillips for a length of 660 feet and a depth of 5,600 feet. The proposal calls for 70 acres of land to be used at the rear of McPhillips for land fill with the purchase price being \$850 per acre

February 1965 – The new building at the Margaret Park Community Centre is to be named Bathgate Hall in honour of the late Andrew Richardson Bathgate

February 1965 – West Kildonan is to invest up to \$500,000 in short term investments in 1965

February 1965 – Metro is to set up a special committee to investigate the desirability of setting up a Metropolitan Police Force

February 1965 – West Kildonan is to spend up to \$250,000 for Centennial projects in West Kildonan including the acquisition of land and the erection of a library complex and such other projects council may decide. West Kildonan is to receive a grant of \$2.00 per capita for 1967 Centennial projects and West Kildonan is to contribute \$112,379 towards the erection of a cultural centre (Concert Hall) in the City of Winnipeg.

February 1965 – W. J. Murray & Sons Limited is given a one year contract for the removal of garbage for a sum of \$39,599.96

February 1965 – A male General Clerk is to be hired for the Engineering Department for \$160 to \$260 per month

March 1965 – Salter Street from Leila to the lane north of Southall Drive is declared a Metro Street

March 1965 – A grant of \$1,148 is given to the Victorian Order of Nurses

March 1965 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a tag day for the Winnipeg District Joint Hospital Committee

March 1965 – The Association for Retarded Children is given permission to conduct a house to house canvass

March 1965 – The Edmund Partridge Band Parents Organization is given permission to hold a door to door blitz

March 1965 – A cougar skin is given to the West Kildonan Cougars Hockey Team as a mascot

March 1965 – A concrete sidewalk is to be built on the east side of Aikins from Jefferson to Enniskillen

March 1965 – Council goes on record in favour of a 3 year term for members of council instead of the present two year term

April 1965 – The Canadian Cancer Society is given permission to hold a house to house canvass

April 1965 – Dr. Walter Hrywulak is appointed as the Permanent Medical Director for the Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit

April 1965 – Mr. George A. Stewart is appointed the Architect for the construction of the proposed Library and Cultural Centre

April 1965 – Council is told that 20 homes on the east side of Scotia Street could be affected by the spring high water. Sandbagging to a height of 4 to 5 feet is needed to protect these homes. The City is to provide sandbags for the area from Tait to Hartford with the possibility of the work costing \$25,000. The lowest home is at 281 Scotia Street. A total of 10,000 sandbags are to be provided with 50 volunteers from the Canadian Legion providing much of the work.

April 1965 – Simkin's Construction Limited and Tallman Construction Company Limited announce they have amalgamated to be known as British American Construction and Materials Limited (B.A.C.M Limited)

April 1965 – The Boys Scouts Group 38th West Kildonan are given permission to hold a house to house drive.

May 1965 – The cost of diking so far are \$16,420; the city asks residents to keep the dike in place until the floodway is completed which is expected to be finished in 1967

May 1965 – The proposed Margaret Park elementary school site may be moved to a different location

May 1965 – The Ukrainian Canadian Welfare Association is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1965 – Council decides to leave the sand bags in place on the east side of Scotia until the floodway is completed

May 1965 – The firm of Armstrong and Taylor Limited are named as the Insurance Brokers for West Kildonan

May 1965 – A tot lot is to be established between 217 and 223 Forrest Avenue at the northwest corner of Seven Oaks and Scotia

May 1965 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day for little league baseball

June 1965 – The Kildonan Motor Hotel at 2100 Main Street is to be expanded

June 1965 – An Assistant to the City Engineer is to be hired at \$350 to \$375 per month

June 1965 – The Seven Oaks School Division asks to have the proposed elementary school in the Margaret Park Development moved to the west side of the C.P.R. Tracks from the east side of the tracks

June 1965 – Seven Oaks House receives a grant of \$1,200 from Metro

June 1965 – Council is to expropriate 316 Seaforth Avenue in the Margaret Park Recreation site

July 1965 – Mount Carmel Clinic is given permission to hold a tag day

July 1965 – The owner of 349 Kilbride Avenue is ordered to discontinue the bicycle repair shop at his home

July 1965 – A grant of \$750 is given to the Mount Carmel Clinic to help reduce their \$20,000 deficit

July 1965 – West Kildonan is now to remove the secondary sandbag dike on Scotia after residents complain

July 1965 – Sinclair Street is to be extended north of Kingsbury Avenue

July 1965 – A grant of \$100 is given to the West Kildonan Senior Soccer Team to send the team to a soccer tournament in Edina Minnesota

August 1965 – The new library is to be built adjoining the Seven Oaks School Board Office

August 1965 – West Kildonan plans to install a wading pool at Margaret Park

September 1965 – The Winnipeg Humane Society is given permission to hold a tag day

September 1965 – The Annual Civic Dinner is to be held at the Lincoln Motor Hotel in December as usual

September 1965 – The \$250,000 Centennial Funds are to be allocated tentatively to

The Library as the main project - \$200,000

Legion project Cairn

Horticultural Society project not to exceed \$10,000

Reserve - \$10,000

The balance of the allocation after the actual costs of the library are known is to be allocated for a closed in skating rink

September 1965 – Non-residents of West Kildonan case use the West Kildonan water standpipe for domestic use for a payment of \$20 per year

September 1965 – The Old Kildonan Police Radio is to be connected to the West Kildonan Police Radio frequency.

October 1965 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a Poppy Tag Day

October 1965 – West Kildonan goes on record in opposing the setting up a Metropolitan Police Force

October 1965 – Saturday October 30 is declared as Halloween

November 1965 – Inaugural Meeting of Council

Mayor C. N. Kushner, Aldermen, Yanofsky, Hewak, Sorokin, Miller, Nurgitz and Scarfe

November 1965 – Mr. A. T. Shipman resigns as member of the Public Recreation Commission

November 1965 – Imperial Oil is to purchase 128 feet of city owned property at the northeast corner of Leila and Main for a new service station

November 1965 – The City Solicitor is asked to submit offers for property needed to erect the library and cultural centre

361 Jefferson Avenue - \$10,900

363 Jefferson Avenue - \$12,000

365 Jefferson Avenue - \$9,500

367 Jefferson Avenue - \$8,500

December 1965 – Appointed to the Public Recreation Commission

Mr. F. Patterson – 549 Perth Avenue

Mr. J. Goldstein – 343 Hartford Avenue

Mr. V. McGavock – 498 Kilbride Avenue

Mr. N. Elwick – 269 St Anthony Avenue

Mr. R. K. Johnson – 129 Newton Avenue

Mr. C. Bachman – 655 Hartford Avenue

December 1965 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee

Mrs. H. Lewis – 2-300 Templeton Avenue

Mrs. G. Smith – 181 Rupertsland Avenue

Mrs. A. Darlington – 180 Kingsbury Avenue

Mr. H. Hoffman – 100 Smithfield Avenue

Mr. D. McKay – 130 Armstrong Avenue

Mr. H. F. Gauthier – 7 Ballard Crescent

Mr. E. C. Beeston – 295 Semple Avenue

Mrs. M. Werner – 445 Jefferson Avenue

Mrs. C. McGowan – 127 Rupertsland Avenue

Mrs. R. Shriar – 80 Montcalm Crescent

December 1965 – Appointed to the Library Board

Mrs. S. Miller – 324 Enniskillen Avenue

Mrs. S. Brydon – 40 Teakwood Avenue

January 1966 – The Mayor's and Reeve's Association of Greater Winnipeg budget is set at \$1,500 for 1966 with West Kildonan's share at \$71.00 based on 1/3 cent per capita

January 1966 – Council is now to build a new fire hall in the Garden City area

January 1966 – The garbage contract is awarded to Perfanick Brothers Trucking and Supply for \$50,000 for one year

January 1966 – The Public Works Garage is to be relocated

January 1966 – A grant of \$1,283 is given to the Manitoba Health Commission for outpatient services for West Kildonan residents

February 1966 – All organizations in West Kildonan are asked to appoint two representatives to serve on a special committee to plan a wide range of activities and projects for 1967. There are 35 organizations in West Kildonan.

February 1966 – Roy Soderstrom is hired as a Clerk in the Administrative Offices at a salary of \$200 per month

February 1966 – A quadruplex is to be built at the southeast corner of Salter and Margaret

March 1966 – Mr. Raymond R. Bailey of 384 Royal Avenue is appointed to the West Kildonan Library Board to fill the unexpired term of Mr. M. Boneau

March 1966 – The 1966 Mill Rate for Municipal purposes is set at 16.33 Mills and the mill rate for Metro Purposes is set at 7.93 Mills

March 1966 – Work is to commence immediately on constructing and raising primary and secondary dikes for the expected flood

March 1966 – A new Public Works Garage is proposed, if built it would be 60 feet by 44.4 feet and cost \$160,000

March 1966 – The Library Board Budget is set at \$37,870 for 1966 and the Public Recreation Budget is set at \$37,870 for 1966. The Centennial levy for 1966 is \$6,678.66. The Metro levy is

\$257,382 and the Metro share of Business Taxes is \$42,783 making a total Metro levy of \$300,165

March 1966 – To date 18 organizations have sent replies naming two representatives to the Citizens Centennial Committee

March 1966 – The March 4, 1966 Blizzard closed schools in the Seven Oaks School Division on Friday March 4 and Monday March 7

April 1966 – A plan of subdivision by B. A. C. M. Limited for land between Leila, Forrest between Powers and the C. P. R. Tracks is approved

April 1966 – The Seven Oaks School Division levy for West Kildonan in 1966 is \$1,436,692.60

April 1966 – The property at 363 Jefferson Avenue needed for the library is expropriated for \$12,419.45

April 1966 – Former West Kildonan Alderman E. C. Beeston passes away; he served on council for 12 years

April 1966 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Little League Baseball is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1966 – All ditches along the C.P.R. Right of Way are to be filled in and levelled

May 1966 – Citizens Centennial Committee appoints a steering committee of 8 citizen members along with 2 members of council and one member of the school board. A special committee is to be named immediately to prepare a history of West Kildonan

May 1966 – To save money the current Public Works Garage is to be moved from Partridge and Powers to the west side of Main Street north of Seaforth Avenue at a cost of \$30,000

May 1966 – There are complaints about the operations of the Saturday night teen dances at the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre. There are problems of overcrowding as the capacity is limited to 156. Trouble has been caused by youth coming from other dances which end earlier

May 1966 – The Ukrainian Canadian Welfare Fund is given permission to hold a tag day

June 1966 – Metro is to charge area municipalities 21 cents per 1,000 gallons as of January 1, 1967

June 1966 – The Historical Society of West Kildonan are holding a function at the Memorial at Main and Rupertsland on June 19

June 1966 – Mr. T. Howard Young is hired as the new City Engineer at \$10,500 per year and a car allowance of \$1,000 per year

June 1966 – John Miller & Sons Limited is given the contract for the construction of the West Kildonan Library Board for \$187,466

July 1966 – The area bounded by Leila, Kingsbury, McPhillips and the C. P. R. Tracks is rezoned R-1 One Family District

July 1966 – A short ceremony is to be held at the Welcome to West Kildonan sign on Main Street on July 28 to recognize 1,000 days in West Kildonan without a fatal traffic accident

July 1966 – West Kildonan residents will be able to use the West Kildonan Landfill site for a fee of 50 cents

July 1966 – Metro gives a grant of \$1,200 for Seven Oaks House

July 1966 – A total of \$500,000 is to be invested in short term deposits

July 1966 – An eight stall coin operated car wash is to be built in the Northgate Plaza Shopping Centre

July 1966 – A female Clerk is to be hired for the Engineering Department at a salary of \$180 to \$200 per month

August 1966 – Metro is told to stop work immediately constructing a road in Kildonan Park at the inner lane at the present exit at Armstrong. Council is upset because Metro did not obtain permission to cross the municipal boulevard. Metro in the past has refused to share in the cost of paving Armstrong Avenue because people leaving Kildonan Park do not have to use Armstrong.

September 1966 – There are complaints about the noise nuisance coming from the Canada Safeway at Main and Royal

September 1966 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion is given permission to hold its second annual Poppy Tag Day

September 1966 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold its annual Apple Tag Day

September 1966 – The Winnipeg Humane Society is given permission to hold a tag day

September 1966 – Manitoba Clothing at 1747 Main Street asks for a driveway from Main Street

September 1966 – Imperial Oil is to purchase land at Main and Leila for \$60,000

September 1966 – Armstrong Avenue is to be paved from Scotia to Main with Metro paying 20% of the cost; residents are to pay \$8.25 per foot frontage.

September 1966 – Mr. Sywak of the West Kildonan Bowling Alleys at 1737 Main Street complains he does not obtain enough revenue to pay his high property taxes

October 1966 – Third Class Constables, A. G. Cooke, P. J. Robinson and J. Melnyk see their rate of pay increased from \$360 to \$385 per month

October 1966 – Saul Miller retires from council

October 1966 – The Citizens Centennial Committee advises that it will be difficult to finalize a history of West Kildonan for 1967. The committee hopes to complete a 50 page digest book but it will not be a comprehensive history of the area. The committee suggest council buy 3 copies of Raymond R. Bailey's thesis on "A Historical Study of Public Education in West Kildonan Till 1959" for \$100 and present it to the West Kildonan Library Board. Mayor Kushner is to discuss with Mr. Bailey or someone else to write a history of the West Kildonan Municipality and City for the 1970 Centennial.

November 1966 – Inaugural Meeting of Council, Mayor Kushner, Aldermen, Hewak, Sorokin, Bachman, Nurgitz, Scarfe and Yanofsky

November 1966 – A Caterpillar Grader is purchased for \$24,565 less a trade in of \$7,500

November 1966 – Metro refuses to pay a bill of \$1,486.68 for Metro Election costs borne by West Kildonan

December 1966 – A skating rink is to be installed at the Gilia Drive Tot Lot

December 1966 – Concerns are raised about the increase in juvenile delinquency in Metro Winnipeg. One delegation supports the whipping of juvenile offenders by their parents if allowed by a court's directive

December 1966 – Council approves the construction of an enclosed hockey arena at the present site of the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre at Powers and Perth

December 1966 – Mrs. Sylvia Miller resigns from the West Kildonan Library Board

December 1966 – Mayor Kushner is to attend a Centennial Ceremony at the Winnipeg Auditorium on December 31, 1966 at 3 pm and carry a torch back to the West Kildonan City Hall and at 4:30 pm light the West Kildonan Torch. The New Year is to be welcomed in with the

ringing of bells and a sound track at Midnight. A bonfire is to be held at the Margaret Park Community Centre grounds on January 2, 1967 from 4 pm to 6 pm.

December 1966 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee for 1967

Mrs. H. Lewis – 2-300 Templeton Avenue

Mrs. G. Smith – 181 Rupertsland Avenue

Mrs. A. Darlington – 5-1944 Main Street

Mr. H. Hoffman – 100 Smithfield Avenue

Mr. D. McKay – 130 Armstrong Avenue

Mr. H. F. Gauthier – 7 Ballard Crescent

Mrs. M. Werner – 445 Jefferson Avenue

Mrs. C. McGowan – 127 Rupertsland Avenue

Mrs. R. Cramer – 147 Gilia Drive

December 1966 – Appointed to the Public Recreation Board for 1967-1968

Mr. R. Chamberlain – 164 Smithfield Avenue

Mr. E. Simmon – 647 Hartford Avenue

Mr. H. B. Loughhead – 279 Forrest Avenue

Dr. E. Hirschfield – 135 Seven Oaks Avenue

January 1967 – Appointed to the West Kildonan Library Board for 1967-1968

Judge J. R. Solomon – 142 Seven Oaks Avenue

Mr. R. Bailey – 384 Royal Avenue

Mr. S. A. Miller – 324 Enniskillen Avenue

January 1967 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee

Mr. Raymond J. Cramer – 82 Lincrest Road

January 1967 – A 3 year contract for garbage removal is signed with Acme Sanitation Services Limited for \$160,500 with the city given an option for a further 2 years for a total 5 year contract of \$275,250

January 1967 – The West Kildonan Centennial Celebrations will include a Bowling Tournament in February and a West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre Invitational Hockey Tournament and dinner.

January 1967 – West Kildonan is to spend \$70,000 for the erection of a closed in skating and hockey rink on the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre Grounds at Perth and Powers. Council is to ask the cooperation of the West Kildonan Legion and the West Kildonan Horticultural Society to make available an additional \$10,000 from Centennial funds as a joint memorial.

January 1967 – The West Kildonan Public Library Board asks for an increase in their grant to \$40,000

January 1967 – Mr. Vince Leah is President of the Margaret Park Community Centre

January 1967 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee for 1967 is Mr. I. Wiseman of 242 Rupertsland Avenue

January 1967 – Expenses of Citizens Centennial Committee to date

Centennial Fire, Labour Expenses - \$183.98

Bowling Tournament – Trophies up to \$500

Minor Hockey League Dinner - \$300

February 1967 – Council is in favour of Metro Video providing cable television in West Kildonan

February 1967 – A grant of \$50 is made towards the cost of spoons bearing the city crest for gifts to be given by hockey teams from the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre to their hosts for tournaments in Saskatchewan

February 1967 – The official opening of the new library in West Kildonan is set for June 30 at 3 pm

February 1967 – Mayor Juba of Winnipeg tells Council that the City of Winnipeg is interested in discussing a merger with the City of West Kildonan is interested

February 1967 – The West Kildonan Library is moving into their new building as of April 1, 1967

February 1967 – Centennial Projects to be funded

Garden and Flower Show and Home Grounds Competition - \$300

Art Contest - \$100

Essay Contest - \$100

Curling Tournament - \$200

Volleyball and Basketball (Girls Trophies) - \$150

Preparation of Float to be undertaken by West Kildonan Legion - ?

Advertising (3 months) preparation of an event Calendar - \$300

March 1967 – A bronze Centennial Marker for the Public Library and Cultural Centre is purchased for \$151.20

March 1967 – A Cairn is to be built at Perth and Powers at an estimated cost of \$2,000 and a further \$400 to \$500 for the base.

March 1967 – A prefabricated steel building is to be constructed as the closed in skating rink at Powers and Perth. The building is to be 120 feet by 200 feet by 16 feet and is to be constructed at a cost of \$86,226.

March 1967 – The official opening of the West Kildonan Public Library is moved to June 24

March 1967 – Municipal Budget and Mill Rate

Refunding Debentures - \$25,612.87 - .65 Mills

Street Paving - \$30,000 - .76 Mills

Centennial Projects Levy - \$6,678 - .17 Mills

General Municipal - \$574,255.47 – 14.42 Mills

Total Municipal - \$629,868.34 – 15.83 Mills

Library Board - \$39,801 – 1.00 Mills

Recreation Commission - \$39,801 – 1.00 Mills

Metro Levy - \$315,363 – 7.93 Mills

Metro Business Tax Levy - \$44,903 – 1.13 Mills

March 1967 – Garson Limestone Company Limited is given the contract for the construction and delivery of the Cairn for \$1,650

March 1967 – The West Kildonan Public Library is to be furnished at a cost of \$5,752

April 1967 – Two copies of Mr. R. Bailey's thesis on "A Historical Study of Public Education in West Kildonan to 1959" are to be bound suitable for presentation

April 1967 – Mr. R. Floom is appointed as a member of the West Kildonan Public Recreation Commission

April 1967 – Expenditures approved for Centennial Projects

Centennial Baseball Tournament in August - \$250

1000 Crests for all Sporting Events to read West Kildonan Centennial Athletics - \$300

Interfaith Ceremony (rental for Rainbow Stage) - \$35

Swimming (rental of Kildonan Park Pool for 2 mornings) - \$48

West Kildonan Float prepared by Legion - \$175 to \$200

April 1967 – Council is told that four homes on Scotia Street could receive water in their basements due to high water. The homes are at 265, 271, 275 and at 279

April 1967 – The Ukrainian Canadian Welfare Service is given permission to hold a tag day

April 1967 – Traffic lights are to be installed at Main Street and the Kildonan Park Entrance

April 1967 – Mr. Damas Joseph Richard is to be hired as a Store-Keeper for the Public Works Department at \$300 per month

April 1967 – A few of the Aldermen are to take a few turns as volunteer hosts at the Seven Oaks House.

April 1967 – Expenditures approved for Centennial Projects

Cost of erecting a float, materials only - \$450

Rental of Organ for Interfaith Festival of Thanksgiving - \$45

Bulletin and Newsletter May 1967 – estimated cost - \$300

April 1967 – The choir and band from Edmund Partridge Junior High are to perform in the official opening of the Library on June 24

May 1967 – A proposal is brought to council for a Centennial Dinner for residents over the age of 70

May 1967 – The West Kildonan Little League is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1967 – A total of \$50 is to be spent on refreshments on the Library opening

May 1967 – Mrs. W. Mitchell of 108 Tait Avenue is hired as a Clerk-Stenographer at \$250 per month. The salary of A. J. Monostori Police Clerk is increased to \$225 per month

June 1967 – An agreement is signed with the City of Winnipeg to allow Winnipeg to dump a limited amount of garbage in the West Kildonan Landfill site free of charge in exchange for West Kildonan depositing an equal amount of garbage at the Winnipeg Incinerator free of charge

June 1967 – A new bi-weekly newspaper, the Seven Oaks Community Sun, is to begin operations on July 13

June 1967 – Christ Lutheran Church announces plans for a new care unit for elderly and infirm citizens of West Kildonan

June 1967 – A tot lot is to be created at Coralberry Avenue and Arrowwood Drive at a cost of \$3,085

June 1967 – Miss Susan Smellie is hired as a temporary summer employee at \$185 per month

June 1967 – Mrs. Gladys Kowbel, Clerk, is to have her salary raised to \$225 per month

June 1967 – Expenditures approved for Centennial Projects

Pony League Centennial Trophy for annual competition between the West Kildonan Community Centres - \$40.00

Sound equipment for stage show - \$50.00

Publicity, Delivery of newsletter (wiener roast for boys) - \$60.00

July 1967 – The Jewish Child and Family Services ask for permission to erect a child care home for eight girls at Templeton and the C. P. R. Right of Way

August 1967 – Council is invited to the dedication and unveiling of the monument commemorating the 150th anniversary of the meeting of Lord Selkirk on August 10, 1817 in St John's Park on August 10, 1967 at 7:30 pm

August 1967 – The Garden City Community Centre asks for permanent baseball diamonds at the Kingsbury Avenue Recreation site. There are 21 teams with 350 boys between the ages of 7 and 14 playing baseball out of Garden City.

August 1967 – Mr. Prins who has been the caretaker at Seven Oaks House retires after working there 10 years

September 1967 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a door to door canvas to kick off their annual Apple and Cake Campaign

September 1967 – The West Kildonan Legion is given permission to hold their annual Poppy Tag Day

September 1967 – The Citizens Centennial Committee is to hold a Pancake Brunch on September 30 which will cost \$800

September 1967 – Mrs. B. Marcoe, Social Worker resigns from her position

September 1967 – An eleven storey apartment block with 121 suites is to be built on Jefferson Avenue immediately west of the C.P.R. Right of Way

September 1967 – A new Public Works and Utility Building is proposed for \$100,000

September 1967 – Twenty new units are to be added to the senior citizen housing development on Templeton Avenue

September 1967 – West Kildonan is now to have a junior hockey team, the West Kildonan North Stars

September 1967 – A sum of \$5,000 is to be allocated from the Revolving Fund to cover the initial costs of constructing two baseball diamonds at the Kingsbury Recreational Area

September 1967 – The West Kildonan Soccer Club is given \$100 from Centennial Celebrations Funds towards a banquet

October 1967 – Leila Avenue is to be made a Metro Street and a divided highway is to be made between McGregor and Main Street using Leila and Partridge as a one way pair

October 1967 – K-Mart Stores are to build on Cottingham Road and also to use several of the present units of the Northgate Plaza Shopping Centre in the mall for a new store

October 1967 – Mayor Kushner retires after 10 years as mayor and 5 years of councillor before that

October 1967 – The Margaret Park Community Centre receives a grant of \$300 from a Centennial Celebrations Grant for their annual soccer windup

October 1967 – Mrs. Cunningham is hired as a Welfare Worker at \$300 per month

November 1967 – Inaugural Meeting of Council, Mayor Saul Miller, Aldermen, Nurgitz, Bachman, Jeroff, Sorokin, Strewchuk and Yanofsky

November 1967 – A mechanical cheque signing machine is to be used for signing cheques

November 1967 – Two police cars are to be rented from Eastern Sales Limited for \$135 each per month and 1 cent per mile

November 1967 – The Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities membership fee of \$333.28 is paid

November 1967 – The President of the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre, Mr. N. Elwick presents a cheque of \$7,500 towards the cost of erecting a new arena

November 1967 – A ¼ page ad in a bulletin is to be published in regards to the start of the West Kildonan North Stars opening season at a cost of \$40 from the Centennial Programs budget

November 1967 – A new Public Works and Utility Building is to be constructed at a cost of \$163,574

December 1967 – Mr. Ray Bailey of 384 Royal Avenue presents two bound copies of his thesis on the history of schools in the West Kildonan area from 1847 and from that time to the present there have been 497 teachers and 87 trustees.

December 1967 – The grant of \$112,379 that was to be given for the construction of the Centennial Arts Centre (Centennial Concert Hall) is to be reduced to \$40,154 in line with other cities and municipalities in the Metro area.

January 1968 – Appointed to the West Kildonan Library Board for 1968-1969

Mrs. S. Brydon – 40 Teakwood Avenue

Mrs. L. Bercuson – 245 Smithfield Avenue

January 1968 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee

Mrs. D. McKay, Mr. J. Heuvel, Mrs. H. Lewis, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. A. Darlington, Mrs. H. Hoffman, Mr. D. McKay, Mrs. H. F. Gauthier, Mrs. M. Werner, Mrs. R. Cramer and Mr. R. Cramer

January 1968 – Appointed to the Public Recreation Commission for 1968

Mr. N. Elwick, Mr. H. Loughhead and Mr. E. Kimmelman

February 1968 – There have been a break-ins at various schools in West Kildonan. The Police with school staff stake out the schools and arrest the persons responsible.

February 1968 – A total of 225 city crests are purchased for the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre for their annual winter carnival at a cost of \$88.00

February 1968 – Metro Levies for West Kildonan for 1968

Sewer Rentals - \$72,050

Business Tax Levy - \$47,065

Metro Levy - \$410,725

Water – 21 cents per 1,000 gallons

February 1968 – An application for a dance hall license is made for the second floor of the former Westmacott Paint and Glass Building at 1721 Main Street

February 1968 – The West Kildonan Library Board requests a levy of \$41,000

March 1968 – Alderman Jeroff asks council to consider the advantages and disadvantages of West Kildonan amalgamating with the City of Winnipeg, the Rural Municipality of Old Kildonan and the Rural Municipality of West St Paul on an individual or a collective basis to reduce costs by the duplication of services caused by local boundaries.

March 1968 – The Royal Canadian Legion District Council is given permission to hold a tag day

March 1968 – Assessments for West Kildonan

Winnipeg-St Boniface Harbour Commission - \$375

River and Streams Protection Authority # 1 - \$205

Winnipeg and St Boniface River Control Board - \$224

April 1968 – Signal lights are to be installed at the Hartford Avenue and C. P. R. Right of Way at a cost of \$11,000 and annual maintenance charges of \$635

April 1968 – Estimates and Mill Rate for 1968

Refunding Debentures - \$25,612 - .63 Mills

Street Paving - \$30,000 - .74 Mills

General Municipal - \$631,952 – 16.59 Mills

Library Board - \$40,967 – 1.0 Mills

Recreational Levy - \$40,967 – 1.0 Mills

Centennial Levy - \$6,678.00 - .17 Mills

Metro Levy - \$410,725 – 10.03 Mills

Metro Business Levy - \$47,605

Seven Oaks School Division - \$1,352,641.57 – 35.02 Mills

May 1968 – West Kildonan Night at the Red River Exhibition is to be June 28, 1968

May 1968 – A proposed \$3,200,000 development at the corner of Main and Burrin with a frontage of 250 feet on Main Street; the plan calls for commercial buildings on Main Street with a 15 storey apartment block with 200 suites located behind the commercial buildings.

May 1968 – West Kildonan is to provide fire services to Old Kildonan on a standby of \$2,000 and \$175 per hour for fighting fires

May 1968 – Mrs. M. Barbour resigns as the Recreation Coordinator

May 1968 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee are Mrs. A. E. Wright, President of the Ladies Committee and Mr. C. McGowan

May 1968 – The Peretz School at 600 Jefferson Avenue is to expand by the construction of an addition to contain classrooms, a library and a lunch room

May 1968 – The West Kildonan North Stars Hockey Club tells council that the West Kildonan Arena must be completed before the start of the 1968-1969 season or else they cannot operate out of West Kildonan. They need dressing rooms, toilet facilities and an artificial ice plant.

May 1968 – The Carruthers Baseball Diamond is to be officially opened on June 15 and dedicated as the Hatz Palatnick Field.

May 1968 – The Seven Oaks House Committee asks council members to take turns at the house for the purpose of acting as guides

June 1968 – The new West Kildonan Cenotaph is to be unveiled in Kildonan Park on June 16.

June 1968 – Mr. Edward Tokarz is hired as the Water Works Foreman at \$6,500 per year

June 1968 – A meeting is to be held with the City of Winnipeg to discuss amalgamation

June 1968 – The Manitoba Health Commission announces that a new hospital is being planned on a 25 acre site at the northwest corner of Leila and McPhillips

June 1968 – Probationary Firemen are to be hired at \$350 per month

July 1968 – The majority of city workers receive a 12% wage increase

July 1968 – The Seven Oaks School Band is given permission to hold concerts on various streets in West Kildonan during the last week of August to raise funds for a trip to Montreal.

July 1968 – Mr. Sam Shaw the Works Mechanic is to be paid \$7,200 for 1968

August 1968 – The Elite Snack Shop is located at 686 McGregor Street

August 1968 – A grant of \$500 is made to the Seven Oaks School Band to attend and play at Montreal's Man and His World.

August 1968 – A grant of \$200 is made to the West Kildonan Revolver's Club to attend a combat shoot in Regina

August 1968 – Sergeant F. Anderson resigns from the West Kildonan Police Department

September 1968 – Rebiffe Construction is given the contract for building the bleachers, dressing rooms and equipment storage room for \$81,934.10 for the West Kildonan Arena. Canadian Ice Machine Company Limited is given the contract for the supply and installation of the artificial ice equipment, the concrete rink slab and the mechanical room for \$70,387

September 1968 – West Kildonan is to give a grant of \$225 per month to the Mount Carmel Clinic

September 1968 – Council asks the West Kildonan Recreation Commission to provide programming for children between the ages of 13 and 17.

September 1968 – Five semi-detached units are to be constructed on Armstrong and Newton

October 1968 – Tanner Street is to be paved from Margaret Avenue to the first lane north at a cost of \$3,033

October 1968 – For the Municipal Elections, Deputy Returning Officers are to be paid \$18 and Poll Clerks \$15

October 1968 – The Margaret Park School site is transferred to the Seven Oaks School Division

October 1968 – The Rotary Club of Winnipeg is given a grant of \$100 in support of the 1969 science fair

November 1968 – Inaugural Meeting of Council, Mayor Saul Miller, Aldermen Jeroff, Sorokin, Bachman, W. H. Sasaki, G. Strewchuk, Yanofsky

November 1968 – There is vandalism at Shaarey Zedec Cemetery so a reward of \$500 is offered for information leading to the persons responsible

November 1968 – The mayor is to receive an expense payment of \$1,200 in addition to his regular salary while the aldermen are to receive an extra \$600 for expenses

November 1968 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee, Chairman Alderman Yanofsky, Aldermen Bachman and Sasaki, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. A. Darlington, Mr. H. Hoffman, Mr. D. McKay, Mr. H. F. Gauthier, Mrs. M. Werner, Mrs. C. McGowan, Mrs. R. Cramer, Mr. R. Cramer, Mr. J. Heuvel, Mrs. D. McKay, Mr. C. McGowan, Mrs. A. E. Wright and Mr. W. Prins

November 1968 – Appointed to the Public Recreation Commission, Aldermen Bachman and Jeroff, Mr. N. Elwick, Mr. H. Loughead, Mr. E. Kimmelman

November 1968 – Appointed to the Library Board, Judge J. R. Solomon and Mr. R. Bailey

December 1968 – An animal pound building is to be built next the Public Works Garage at a cost of \$12,850

December 1968 – The Boy Scouts of Canada is given permission to hold their annual fund raising campaign selling chocolates door to door

December 1968 – The Public Works Garage is broken into and the vending machine is smashed in and the drinks and money are stolen

December 1968 – The official opening of the Public Works Garage is held on December 19

December 1968 – a 48 suite apartment block is approved for the southwest corner of Powers and Leila

December 1968 – Alderman Strewchuk takes out a building permit and begins construction of a building on land that he has owned on Main Street since 1949 and which is to be expropriated by Metro for the Leila Avenue Right of Way. Mayor Miller deplores the fact that any member of council would use the information they learned by being on council for their own personal gain. Alderman Strewchuk strongly objects to the mayor's comments but the mayor refuses to back down.

January 1969 – Dr. J. H. Eadie is appointed the Medical Director of the Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit

January 1969 – Judge J. R. Solomon informs council that he will be unable to accept a further appointment to the West Kildonan Library Board where he has served as chairman for the past 8 years

January 1969 – Mr. Nathan Nurgitz is appointed to the West Kildonan Library Board for 1969-1970

January 1969 – Property at McGregor and Partridge is reserved for a fire hall station

January 1969 – A 18 suite apartment block is to be built at the northwest corner of Jefferson a Vanier Drive

January 1969 – The Public Recreation Commission advises that the cost of developing 29 tot lots would be \$73,500

January 1969 – The General Metro Levy is to rise to 474,203 in 1969, a total of \$63,478 over 1968 and the water rates are to increase to 25 cents per 1,000 gallons from 21 cents per 1,000 gallons.

January 1969 – Alderman Strewchuk and Mayor Miller clash once again over Alderman Strewchuk's comments about his proposed development which is to be expropriated by Metro. Alderman Strewchuk feels the rest of council has always been against him.

January 1969 – The new arena is to be called the West Kildonan Arena with the official opening day on February 2, 1969.

February 1969 – A committee of council is formed to look into a project or projects for Manitoba's Centennial in 1970

March 1969 – Residents of Royal Crescent complain there is a constant problem of sewer backup during rain storms

March 1969 – A 750 seat movie theatre is to be built in the Garden City Shopping Centre

March 1969 – West Kildonan asks to join the Industrial Development Board of Greater Winnipeg

March 1969 – The province is to contribute \$1.00 per capita to each municipality for centennial projects for Manitoba's Centennial

March 1969 – A grant of \$100 is given to the Manitoba Science Fair for 1969

April 1969 – The Seven Oaks School Division Levy for West Kildonan is \$1,013,882.09 for 1969

April 1969 – A 45 suite apartment block is approved for the east side of Powers south of Partridge

April 1969 – The Manitoba Centennial Commission is selling Manitoba Centennial vehicle license plates for \$5.00. The 1967 Canada Centennial license plates were sold for \$3.00

April 1969 – The Partridge Avenue spur railway track is to be removed

May 1969 – The Ukrainian Canadian Welfare Service is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1969 – West Kildonan was one of 97 cities in Canada with a population of 5,000 who finished 1968 without a fatal traffic accident

May 1969 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Little League Baseball League is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1969 – The Manitoba Urban Association Membership fee for West Kildonan is \$266

May 1969 – West Kildonan is to microfilm historical documents

May 1969 – A total of \$161,720.31 in surplus funds is to be transferred to a reserve fund

May 1969 – Kingsbury is to be paved from Sinclair to McPhillips

May 1969 – The Independent Order of Foresters and Majorettes is given permission to hold a tag day

June 1969 – An apartment block is to be built at Salter and Margaret

June 1969 – McDonalds Restaurants request permission to construct a building on Main Street on the existing Safeway Shopping Lot on Royal. Council opposes the plan but Metro approves the plan

June 1969 – Council asks Old Kildonan to meet informally to further a better understanding between the two municipalities

July 1969 – There are a number of sewer backups occurring in areas where the sewers have been extended into the Garden City area and where these sewers are unable to handle the extra water during rainstorms. A suggestion is made that storm sewers should be built at an estimated cost of \$1,000,000.

July 1969 – An empty lot west of Sly Drive becomes a slough during the wet weather and a breeding ground for mosquitoes. The lot is to be raised and filled in to solve the problem.

July 1969 – West Kildonan makes an application to the Manitoba Centennial Corporation for a grant

July 1969 – Mayor Saul Miller is now a Provincial Cabinet Minister but he does not resign as mayor but some of his duties are taken over by Deputy Mayor Yanofsky.

August 1969 – Council asks Metro to contribute to roads that lead to Metro Parks

August 1969 – Applications for driveway approaches cost \$10.00

August 1969 – West Kildonan goes on record asking the Provincial Government to delete the requirement that Metro Councillors be elected. Council wanted elected municipal officials to become the members of the Metro Council.

August 1969 – Trolley bus service is removed from Salter Street and McGregor Street

September 1969 – The Seventh Day Adventist Church is given permission to hold a house to house appeal

September 1969 – West Kildonan's proposal to the Local Boundaries Commission favours the amalgamation of West Kildonan with Old Kildonan and West St Paul but not the City of Winnipeg

September 1969 – West Kildonan expresses its concern about the overall capital spending of Metro which council feels is increasing at an alarming rate

October 1969 – The West Kildonan Legion is given permission to hold their annual Poppy Day sales

October 1969 – The Provincial Government Centennial Grant is to be used to beautify tot lots at a cost of \$23,000

October 1969 – Mayor Saul Miller retires from council as he has been a provincial cabinet minister since July 15

November 1969 – Inaugural meeting of council, Mayor D. A. Yanofsky, Aldermen C. Baker, J. D. Lyon, S. Sorokin, Sasaki, Strewchuk and Bachman

November 1969 – A new fire agreement is signed with Old Kildonan; West Kildonan is to charge Old Kildonan \$200 for fighting fires in Old Kildonan and Old Kildonan is to charge West Kildonan \$150 per hour for fighting fires in West Kildonan.

November 1969 – Each member of council is to contribute \$12 to set up a fund for the purpose of buying gifts or flowers in the case of illness, retirement or death

November 1969 – There are complaints that the lighting levels in the library are below standard and a report finds this to be true so \$5,100 is to be spent to bring the lighting up to standard

November 1969 – The Luther Home at 1018 Andrews is to be officially opened

November 1969 – A total of \$5,567.20 is to be spent to replace the entire West Kildonan radio communication system except for one mobile

November 1969 – Council approves in principle three Centennial Projects

Garden City Community Centre - \$10,000 to build a baseball diamond with fencing, bleachers and lighting

Margaret Park Community Centre - \$25,000 to build a soccer pitch with lighting, fencing and bleachers

West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre - \$40,000 for a new building

December 1969 – The kickoff for the Manitoba Centennial is to begin at the Legislative Building on December 31, 1969 at 4 pm. A program is to be held at the concert hall from 7:30 pm to 10:30 pm which is to be televised nationally on CBC

December 1969 – Crossing protection signals are to be installed at Leila and the C.P.R. Tracks

December 1969 – West Kildonan is forced to pay a bill of \$18,858.50 to the Provincial Government for people who have not paid their health care premiums. Council complains about having to be responsible for this payment.

December 1969 – Victory School is given permission to hold a bonfire on January 9, 1970 to start the snowshoe race and tournament

December 1969 – Appointed to the Library Board for 1970-1971

Mrs. Brydon and Mrs. Alda Westmacott

December 1969 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee

Mrs. H. Lewis, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. A. Darlington, Mrs. M. Werner, Mrs. C. McGowan, Mrs. R. Crammer, Mrs. D. McKay, Mrs. A. E. Wright, Mrs. M. Cunningham, Mr. H. Hoffman, Mr. D. McKay, Mr. H. F. Gauthier, Mr. C. McGowan, Mr. I. Wiseman and Mr. N. Hermiston

January 1970 – Alderman George Strewchuk of 1733 Main Street appears as a delegation to council as a private citizen and taxpayer complaining about the direction and actions of City Council of which he is a member

January 1970 – The Kildonan-St Paul Health Unit asks to receive any reports of rats either dead or alive. There are reports of a rat infestation at the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre.

February 1970 – A grant of \$100 is given to the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre towards city crests for visiting hockey players for their annual playground hockey tournament

February 1970 – West Kildonan is to help in the preparation of a bill for the incorporation of the Seven Oaks Hospital

February 1970 – The West Kildonan Legion is to sell Manitoba Centennial Sweepstake Tickets with the proceeds donated to the Centennial Committee of West Kildonan for their centennial projects

February 1970 – The Garden City Community Club is given authorization to obtain suitable plans for their Centennial Project of a baseball stadium with stands, bleachers, rooms beneath the stands and fencing at a cost not to exceed \$10,000. The plans are not to exceed \$500.

February 1970 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre is given the authorization to obtain design plans for their new arena entrance for their Centennial Project at a cost not to exceed \$950.

March 1970 – An agreement is signed with the Federal Government for a 5 year period to retain the civil defence warning siren at Hartford and Aikins

March 1970 – Mrs. Jean Slobodzian of 719 McAdam Avenue to operate a day nursery

March 1970 – The Royal Canadian Legion Winnipeg District Joint Hospital Committee is given permission to hold a tag day

March 1970 – Mr. H. Loughhead is given a community service award in recognition of his many years of service to the community at large and to the Margaret Park Community Club and soccer activities

March 1970 – The West Kildonan Horticultural Society does all the preliminary steps for the Tot Lot Centennial Project. Trees are to be purchased from Rosewood Nursery at a cost of \$3,900 and landscaping by Kackenhoff Nurseries Landscaping for \$1,148.40

March 1970 – A 27 suite apartment block is to be built at Jefferson and Sinclair. The land for the apartment block is sold for \$21,000

April 1970 – Mrs. L. McKay, Clerk-Stenographer resigns

April 1970 – Property is bought for a new fire hall on the east side of McGregor between Partridge and the lane south of Forrest

April 1970 – 1970 Mill Rate

Refunding Debentures - .59 Mills

Street Paving - .69 Mills

General Municipal – 15.19 Mills

Library Board – 1.0 Mills

Recreation Commission – 1.0 Mills

Centennial - .16 Mills

Metro – 12.41 Mills

Seven Oaks School Division – Residential – 34.36 Mills, Commercial 58.65 Mills

April 1970 – Police Chief P. H. Brown completes 25 years of service as a West Kildonan Police Officer

April 1970 – Council is to underwrite up to \$5,000 per year for a full time employee to manage and supervise the ice making at the West Kildonan Arena

April 1970 – The Seven Oaks Centennial Committee is to hold a Centennial Parade and Fun Fair on May 11

May 1970 – A grant of \$100 is given to the Science Teachers Association of Manitoba for the 1970 science fair

May 1970 – There are complaints about a group of young people who hang out in the vicinity of 410 and 411 Scotia Street terrorizing young children, throw stones, ruin gardens, pull out fences and burglarize local homes.

May 1970 – Number and ages of senior citizen homeowners in West Kildonan

Ages 60-64 – 86 seniors

Ages 65-69 – 147 seniors

Ages 70-79 – 229 seniors

Ages 80-89 – 87 seniors

Ages 90 and up – 9 seniors

Age not indicated – 41 seniors

Total seniors – 599

May 1970 – There are complaints that one of the playground supervisors hired is the daughter of an alderman

June 1970 – The speed limit on Main Street north of the Kildonan Park Entrance is 45 mph

June 1970 – The Garden City Shopping Centre is to open on August 12, 1970 with all stores opening on that date

June 1970 – The City of West Kildonan is to twin with the City of Levis Quebec

June 1970 – Council is told that the foundation sill on the east side of the Seven Oaks House is deteriorating and the verandah needs to be removed so a new sill can be built

June 1970 – The West Kildonan Arena sustains a deficit of \$1,500 for the 1969-1970 season

June 1970 – Council asks for the 45 mph speed limit on Main Street to be moved north from the entrance to Kildonan Park entrance to the Bergen Cut off

June 1970 – Queen Elizabeth and Prince Phillip are to pass through West Kildonan on the C.P.R. Beach Line on July 14 so the area on the west side of the railway tracks between Jefferson and Belmont are to be cleared of grass and debris for people wishing to see the train. Banners are to be placed on Main Street at Jefferson and Hartford and in front of City Hall for the passing of Prince Charles and Princess Anne on the same day.

July 1970 – Council approves expenses up to \$500 for the preparation of drawings for the new club room and change house at the Margaret Park Community Club

July 1970 – A proposal is made to move the building from the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre to the Garden City Community Club

July 1970 – Mr. J. Schoen is hired as a Store-Keeper at \$2.50 per hour

July 1970 – Fun-O-Rama Week is to be held on September 12-19 as part of the Centennial Celebrations

July 1970 – The West Kildonan Auditors report that West Kildonan overspent its 1969 estimates by \$29,413 but had a surplus of \$192,858 for 1969

July 1970 – The new building front for the West Kildonan Arena is to cost \$85,620.80

August 1970 – The official opening of the McDonalds Restaurant on Main at Royal is to open on August 15, 1970

August 1970 – A housing development is proposed for 12 acres of city owned land at Main and Seaforth

August 1970 – The Margaret Park Community Club is given permission to hold a casino night as part of the Seven Oaks Day Centennial Celebrations on September 19

August 1970 – The West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre is given permission to hold a car raffle

August 1970 – Metro gives a grant of \$1,200 for Seven Oaks House

August 1970 – The Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is given permission to hold a shoeshine shinearama

August 1970 – A senior citizen home is to be built at Sinclair and Kingsbury

September 1970 – The Union of Manitoba Municipalities' Membership fee is \$115

September 1970 – The Garden City Community Club's executive feels the club has not received its fair share of recreation funds as it does not even have a proper building

September 1970 – Seven Oaks Days is to take place at the Garden City Shopping Centre

September 1970 – Miss Katie Enns of the Margaret Park Baptist Church and Mrs. S. Altman of 40 Viola Street are given permission to open nursery schools.

September 1970 – There are complaints about teenagers hanging out at all hours at the Primrose Crescent Tot Lot. Small children are afraid to go there as the teens are threatening the younger children. They are using bad language and drinking, tearing up gardens, lawns and fences. A constable on the beat is to patrol the area.

October 1970 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a Poppy Tag Day

October 1970 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold their annual Apple Day

October 1970 – A beer garden is to be held at the Garden City Shopping Centre in November 1970 as part of the Centennial Programs of the Garden City Community Club

October 1970 – The H. C. Avery Home and School Association is to hold a fun fair on October 23

October 1970 – The new West Kildonan Arena front official opening is to take place on November 25

October 1970 – Mr. R. Floom is appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee

October 1970 – Council feels the juvenile court system is too permissive and too lenient. In the first 9 months of 1970 there have been 176 juvenile cases in West Kildonan as compared to 104 cases during the same period in 1969.

November 1970 – Members of council whose terms of office would normally end in October, remain in office under legislation passes by the Provincial Government

Mayor Yanofsky, Aldermen, Bachman, Baker, Lyon, Sasaki, Sorokin and Strewchuk

November 1970 – A day nursery is proposed for St Annes Church and Burrin and Aikins

November 1970 – November 29 to December 6, 1970 is declared Centennial Awards Week

November 1970 – A 54 suite apartment block is to be built at the southwest corner of Seaforth and Main

December 1970 – The Centennial Committee is to donate one trophy for the Centennial Hockey Tournament at a cost not to exceed \$50

December 1970 – A total of 1,100 children of West Kildonan perform in a concert at the Concert Hall with over 2,200 people in attendance on December 7

December 1970 – Appointed to the Public Recreation Commission, N. Elwick, L. Boehm and E. Kimmelman

December 1970 – Appointed to the Library Board, Mr. R. Bailey, Mr. N. Nurgitz

December 1970 – Appointed to the Seven Oaks House Committee

Mr. H. Lewis, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. A. Darlington, Mrs. M. Werner, Mrs. C. McGowan, Mrs. R. Cramer, Mrs. D. McKay, Mrs. A. E. Wright, Mrs. M. Cunningham, Mr. D. McKay, Mr. H. F. Gauthier, Mr. C. McGowan, Mr. N. Hermiston, Mr. R. Floom and Mrs. F. Mathias,

December 1970 – A new ice machine is to be purchased for the West Kildonan Arena for \$5,075

December 1970 – The old John Black School is to be retained on the grounds of Edmund Partridge Junior High for another year.

December 1970 – Traffic control signals are to be installed at Kingsbury Avenue and the C.P.R. Crossing

December 1970 – The “Hats off to the Second Century Ceremony” is to be held at the West Kildonan Arena from 4 pm to 5 pm on December 31, 1970. A hat making contest is to be held and a time capsule is to be prepared containing historical documents, pictures and other mementoes of the Centennial Year.

December 1970 – The Architectual plans for the new fire hall are approved

January 1971 – A grant of \$75.00 is given to the West Kildonan Memorial Community Centre to purchase 200 crests for its hockey tournament

January 1971 – Three apartment blocks are to be built at the southeast corner of Sinclair and Leila

January 1971 – The Ladies League of St Joseph Ukrainian Catholic Church are given permission to conduct a raffle

January 1971 – Provisional Estimates

General Government Services - \$48,285

Protective Services - \$167,328

Transportation Services - \$143,250

Environmental Health Services - \$32,000

Public Health and Welfare Services - \$26,100

Planning and Community Development Services - \$4,218

Economic Development Services - \$160

Recreation and Cultural Services - \$49,000

Fiscal Services - \$989,873

Total - \$1,455,214

Capital Requirements - \$45,000

Utility Operating Requirements - \$129,880

Utility Capital Requirements - \$14,400

January 1971 – A position paper is to be prepared by a special committee of council in reply to the Provincial Government White Paper on Local Government in Greater Winnipeg. The White Paper calls for the total amalgamation of all municipalities in the Greater Winnipeg into one city.

January 1971 – The Kildonan Village subdivision is registered

January 1971 – The Margaret Party Community Club's estimated cost for the construction of hockey rinks, soccer/football field, fencing, bleachers, parking, hard court area and a new building is \$128,500

January 1971 – Vince Leah proposes writing a history of West Kildonan.

January 1971 – The Seven Oaks House Committee applies for \$2,000 under the Museum and Miscellaneous Grants Act

February 1971 – The Metro Levy is \$603,165, the Metro Business Tax Levy is \$59,154 and the Metro Sewer Rental Levy is \$100,157.28 and the Metro Water Rate charge is 25 cents per 1,000 gallons for 1971

February 1971 – The estimated cost of repairing the foundation for the west wall of the Seven Oaks House is estimated at \$3,000

February 1971 – Miss Elizabeth Cairns is hired as a Clerk-Steno at \$325 per month

March 1971 – The West Kildonan Senior Soccer Club is given a grant of \$315 to defray registration costs for two soccer tournaments

March 1971 – The Royal Canadian Legion Winnipeg and District Council Joint Hospital Campaign is given permission to hold a tag day

March 1971 – The estimated cost of the new West Kildonan Fire Hall at McGregor and Partridge is \$210,000 including the cost of furnishings and architects fees

March 1971 – Mill Rate for 1971

Refunding Debentures - .54 Mills

Reserve Fund Allocation – 1.74 Mills

General Municipal – 12.10 Mills

Library Board – 1.00 Mills

Recreation Commission – 1.00 Mills

Centennial - .14 Mills

Metro – 12.52 Mills

Schools – Residential – 31.84 Mills, Commercial – 77.10 Mills

April 1971 – The Seven Oaks School Division Levy is \$1,371,645 for 1971

April 1971 – Council endorses the mayor's plan for urban reorganization

April 1971 – The West Kildonan Playground Hockey Team wins the provincial championship, the players receive city pins

May 1971 – The Ukrainian Canadian Welfare Society is given permission to hold a tag day

May 1971 – A 54 suite apartment block is to be built at Andrews and Partridge

May 1971 – A proposal is made for a subdivision north of Leila, west of Sinclair to the C. P. R. Tracks and north to Templeton

May 1971 – West Kildonan qualifies for an award for communities over 5,000 with no fatal traffic accidents in 1970

May 1971 – The foundation work for the new fire hall at McGregor and Partridge is under way

June 1971 – Low rental housing is proposed for southwest corner of Salter and Hartford

June 1971 – Seven-Eleven stores are to be built at the southeast corner of Main and Kingsbury and at McGregor and Jefferson

June 1971 – There are complaints that teenagers are using Kildonan Park as a beer garden after the park is officially closed at night and then racing their cars on Armstrong Avenue after 3 am

June 1971 – A Jaycees Chapter is to be formed in West Kildonan

June 1971 – Seven Oaks Day is to be held in September

June 1971 – D. J. Putasnick, Senior Clerk is to be paid \$600 per month

Mrs. A. Chapryk is promoted from Clerk II to Clerk III at \$405 per month

Mrs. L. Simpson is to be paid \$420 per month

June 1971 – Mayor Yanofsky drafts an open letter to West Kildonan residents asking them to appear before the Law Amendments Committee of the Provincial Legislature to oppose the One City Proposal

June 1971 – The West Kildonan Jaycees are to hold their organization meeting on June 27

June 1971 – The official ceremony for laying the cornerstone for the new fire hall is to take place June 22 at 11 am

June 1971 – Pembina Construction is to construct the two buildings at Margaret Park and Garden City Community Centres for \$248,293

July 1971 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Little League Baseball receives permission to hold a tag day

July 1971 – The North Main bus service is to be split with one part to go west on Jefferson Avenue into Old Kildonan

July 1971 – There are complaints that there is not enough business for local merchants to allow Seven-Eleven stores to come into West Kildonan. Small merchants feel that they may lose their livelihood because of the extended hours of Seven-Eleven

July 1971 – Council is to honour Constable Finney for his work in the safety programs in the schools

August 1971 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to hold a tag day

August 1971 – West Kildonan receives a per capita grant from the Provincial Government for \$177,920

August 1971 – Mayor Yanofsky and Alderman Sorokin announce that they will run for the Unicity Council

September 1971 – McDonalds Restaurant at Main and Royal announce that they will close at midnight

September 1971 – The garbage contract with Acme Sanitation is extended for a further 18 months

September 1971 – West Kildonan now has 6,160 houses and 1,291 apartment suites

September 1971 – West Kildonan's equalized assessment is set at \$47,724,300 for 1972

October 1971 – The West Kildonan Branch of the Canadian Legion is given permission to hold a Poppy Day Tag Day

October 1971 – Six members of Council run for Unicity Council seats with Mayor Yanofsky and Aldermen Baker and Sasaki elected

October 1971 – The West Kildonan Kiwanis Club is given permission to conduct a door to door campaign for their annual apple and cake campaign

October 1971 – Metro provides a \$1,200 grant for Seven Oaks House

October 1971 – A total of \$125,000 in surplus revenue is transferred to the reserve fund

October 1971 – Larry Shepherd is hired as a Recreation Coordinator at \$8,400 per year with an increase to \$9,000 per year in June 1972

November 1971 – A senior citizen home is proposed for the east side of Airlies between Leila and Cork

November 1971 – The new fire hall is to open on December 13, 1971

December 1971 – The official opening of the new fire hall on McGregor and Partridge is to take place on December 22

December 1971 – The Margaret Park Community Centre building is near completion with the official opening ceremony to take place in January 1972

December 1971 – The last regular meeting of city council takes place on December 28

December 1971 – The City of West Kildonan has a permanent staff of 85 with 40 employees having over 10 years of service

December 1971 – The final meeting of council, a special meeting takes place on December 30, 1971

