Delegation Returns Successful

The delegates headed by Mayor T. T. Osesky to meet with Cabinet Minister of the Ontario Legislature reported that their meetings with various government departments proved successful it was learned early this week.

It is expected that Mayor Osesky will give a complete report of the meeting with government officials at the next Town Council meeting to be held on Monday, June 7th.

While in Toronto the delegation met with the Ontario Roads to Resources Committee to discuss the possibility of a road direct to the Can Fer Iron property from Geraldton. Four Senior Cabinet ministers are members of the Committee, the Hon. James Allen, treasurer; Hon. W. Spooner, Minister of the Department of Municipal Affairs; Hon. George C. Wardrope, Minister of the Department of Mines; Hon. Charles McNaughton, Minister of the Department of Highwasy.

It was learned that the Roads Committee would construct an all weather highway to the iron property whenever the Algoma Steel Company were ready to go into production.

While in Toronto the delegates met with the Ontario Water Resources Commission to discuss the possibility of starting on the construction of a sewage disposal system in Geraldton. For years the commission has urged the Town Council to start on this project. Town Council could not see their way in undertaking the big project at the present time without raising the mill rate sky high.

The delegation learned from the Commission that this project could be built in stages over a period of years in turn would make it possible for the Town of Geraldton to start work on the sewage disposal system.

Another matter which concerned Town Council for sometime is the delay in passing the amendment of the Town Planning By-Law. The delegation also had the opportunity of discussing this problem with government officials.

The Geraldton delegation consisted of Mayor T. T. Osesky, P. C. Darrell, Town Clerk; Dr. A. Malcolm, Medical Health officer; and W. Stewart Brydges, representing the Geraldton Chamber of Commerce. Also accompanying the delegation was Mr. A. "Lackie" Phillips, managing Director of the North western Ontario Development Association. Mr. Phillips arranged the schedule meeting with the various government departments.

The Hon. George Wardrope, met the Geraldton delegation in his office at Queens Park and assisted the delegation in presenting their problems before the various committees and government officals.

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