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### **SINGLE TAX TOWN**

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#### **1600 Balance on Hand by Milk River Council**

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

**MILK RIVER.** Feb. 9.—Fred Pease, dean of the Milk River single taxers, whose term on the village council expired this year, was not opposed on nomination day and was unanimously re-elected for the next three years at the annual council meeting held here on Monday. The village council now consists of Mayor F. J. Coates, Councillors A. A. Ford and F. Pease, and Secretary-treasurer H. G. Arnold.

A review of the village finances since the adoption of the single tax plan three years ago for raising of

revenue was presented. Before the adoption of the single tax plan the village was in debt \$1,250 compared with a balance on hand at present of more than \$1,600, with no outstanding bills, which is very gratifying taking into consideration the expenditure of more than \$1,200 for hospitalization of indigents, \$700 for gravelling the streets, \$1,500 for village lighting, and other large amounts for relief, etc.

The people of the town are fully convinced the taxing of land values only for raising revenue is practical, leaving no artificial scarcity of land.

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