

That the By-Law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed by the Clerk and signed and sealed by the Warden

Report No 11 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Barr and seconded by Mr. M. Arthur and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Barr and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered

That this Council desires to place on record its appreciation of the efficient manner in which the present Warden W. B. Ross has conducted the affairs of this County during his term of office, His great executive ability has greatly promoted the despatch of business, especially in connection with the Good Roads System and the building of the Edenvale Bridge in which this County has been engaged during the past year, His general courtesy has made the work of all associated with him a pleasure, We hope to see him in the near future occupy some more prominent place in the Legislative Halls of our great Country.

The Warden thanked the Council for their kind resolution and assured them that he would never forget the pleasant associations of the past year

Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Goodwin and ordered
That the Council do now adjourn and stand adjourned sine die

K. C. Barr
Warden

Council Chamber Barrie

January 28th 1908

The Council met in accordance and pursuant to Statutes

All members having filed their certificates of election, The Clerk called the Council to order and requested them to elect a Warden for the ensuing year
The Clerk appointed Councillors Moore and Jardine scrutineers

The Clerk then declared the nomination for Warden for the year 1908 now open
Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Goodwin That Donald C. Barr Reeve of the Town of Collingwood be Warden of the County of Simcoe for the ensuing year,

After waiting 15 minutes the Clerk declared the nomination closed and there being no other nomination requested a ballot to be cast for Donald C. Barr Reeve of Collingwood and declared him duly elected Warden of the County of Simcoe for the year 1908

Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered

That the Council do now adjourn until 3 O'clock this afternoon to enable His Honour Judge Ardagh to hold a special Court to administer the declaration of office to the Warden elect,

The Council reassembled at 3 O'clock when His Honour Judge Ardagh held a special Court and administered the declaration of office to the Warden elect,

His Honour addressed the Council in his usual eloquent manner particularly referring to the matter of assessment

The Warden then took the chair and stated he would defer his inaugural address until the evening session

Ex Wardens Jupp and Whiteside being present in the Chamber they were requested to take seats beside the Warden

The Warden appointed the following members as a striking committee to select the standing committees namely, Councillors Goodwin J. H. Mitchell Scanlon Garden Law Clark Brown R. Bell Mr. Dermott Wood M. Conkey Woodrow Ingram Shaw Jardine Bell Goffatt Harvey Copeland Matthews Pierson Preece Lawson Moore Potter & Caldwell

Ex Wardens Jupp and Whiteside addressed the Council each of them endorsing the County Road System strongly recommending its continuance

Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Goodwin and ordered
That the Council do now adjourn until 7 O'clock this evening

Evening Session

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the chair

All members present except Councillor Sanders
All members present except Councillor Sanders
The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed
The Warden addressed the Council and thanked them for the honourable position they had conferred upon him, he

congratulated the Council on the second biennial condition of the County, He strongly recommended the continuation and completion of the Gravel Road System and the building of one or more permanent bridges. He also recommended that a Coat of Arms be placed in the Court Room as requested by one of the Judges, He emphasized the desirability of conducting the finances of the County without having an overdraft or without increasing the rate.

The Warden presented the following documents which were read and referred to their proper committees, namely, Communications, A. D. Crotty, Chairman of the Railway Commission, Joseph J. Diamond, Ed. Weston Clerk of the Township Council, J. W. Jeffery, President Western Woods Roads Association, J. Ross Robertson, Prisoners Aid Association, Mr. McLean & Co. Station, G. A. Radenkow, Secretary Owen Sound Collegiate Institute Secretary Bradford High School

Report No 1 Special Committee to strike the Standing Committee was presented and read.

Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. P. Bell and ordered that the Report now read be adopted.

Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Jardine and ordered that we accept the invitation of Lieut. Col. Bruce and Officers of the 35th Regiment to attend their annual Mess Dinner and that the Clerk be instructed to notify Captain MacLennan of our acceptance and to express our thanks for said invitation.

Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered

that the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of Dugald Currie Principal of Greenmore Public School on the Board of Examiners of this County.

Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. Jardine and ordered that the Council do now adjourn until 2 O'clock tomorrow afternoon.

R. L. Ketcher
County Clerk

N. C. Barr
Warden

Council Chamber Barrs

The Council met according to adjournment January 29th 1908
The Warden in the Chair

All members present except Councillors Sanders and ~~Lennox~~

The minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed.

The Warden presented the following documents which were read and referred to their proper committees namely, Communications, Lieut. Col. Bruce, A. D. Mahaffy, Secretary Orangeville Collegiate Institute, Town of Alliston, Bank of Toronto, Financial Statement of East-Simcoe Teachers Institute, Accounts Corporation of Alliston, Bell Telephone Co., Stephen Elliott, Dr. V. A. Hall, The Stayner Sun.

Report No 1 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read. Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. J. J. Mitchell and ordered that the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 2 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read. Moved by Mr. Ball and seconded by Mr. Leach and ordered that the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 3 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read. Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Copeland and ordered that the Report now read be adopted.

Six members having stood up requiring further consideration the Report was laid on the table in compliance with Rule 51.

Report No 1 Special Committee Re Holland River Bridge boundary line Counties of Simcoe and York was presented and read. Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and ordered

that the Report now read be referred to the Roads & Bridges Committee. Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered

that the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of Mr. J. A. Speers Principal of Alliston Public School on the Board of Examiners of the County.

Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Mc Conkey

that Mr. J. H. Mitchell and J. W. Lennox be appointed Auditors to Audit the Criminal Administration of Justice Accounts for the year 1908.

Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. P. Bell in amendment that W. A. Sneath and J. W. Lennox be appointed Auditors to Audit the Criminal Administration of Justice Accounts for the year 1908.

Six members having stood up requiring further consideration the amendment and motion were laid on the table in compliance with Rule 51.

Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered that the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of procuring a sufficient quantity of Cedar to cover Bridge opposite Lot 32 Township of Leamington between Simcoe and Dufferin.

Moved by Mr. Suggan and seconded by Mr. Jackel and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 the reappointment of John Hanley Esq as Justice of Midland High School
 Moved by Mr. Garden and seconded by Mr. Mc Dermott and ordered
 That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending
 the purchase of new Colors for the 3rd Regiment
 Moved by Mr. Black and seconded by Mr. Jones and ordered
 That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of guaranteeing
 certain Debentures of the Town of Collingwood
 Moved by Mr. P. Bell and seconded by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and ordered
 That the Committee on Finance consider the advisability of recommending
 an increase of \$75.00 to the salary of the Inspector of the House of Refuge
 Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Copeland and ordered
 That the Standing Committee on Finance consider the advisability
 of guaranteeing Debentures of the Town of Alliston for the sum
 of \$5000.00
 Moved by Mr. Coffey and seconded by Mr. Vane and ordered
 That the Standing Committee on Finance consider the advisability
 of guaranteeing the Debentures of the Town of Barrie to the
 extent of \$20000.00 for the purpose of a loan to the Aerial Ladder
 Company to build and equip a plant for the manufacture of
 Aerial Ladders and Motor Vehicles in the Town of Barrie
 Moved by Mr. Jardine and seconded by Mr. Moore and ordered
 That the name of W. M. Leach be inserted on Legislation Committee
 in the place of James Jardine
 Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Peattie and ordered
 That the Committee on County Property consider the advisability
 of procuring sufficient chairs for the accommodation of the
 Roads & Bridges Committee in Committee Room No 2
 Moved by Mr. Goffarth and seconded by Mr. Campbell and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of J. H. Knott Esq of Orillia Public School on the
 Board of Examiners for the County
 Moved by Mr. Garden and seconded by Mr. Coffey and ordered
 That the Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the
 advisability of appointing an Engineer in connection with
 our Good Roads System
 Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Peattie and ordered
 That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability
 of recommending a grant of \$25.00 to Mr. Amos Searin for his
 services as County Engineer for 1907
 Moved by Mr. Garden and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That the name of W. B. Sanders be added to the Legislation and
 Printing Committees

Report of the Inspector of the House of Refuge was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That the Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the advisability of recommending
 the payment of salary of John Matthews caretaker of Glencarn Bridge
 up to the time said Bridge was declared not to be a County Bridge
 Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of James Marlin Esq of the Town of Barrie on the Board
 of Examiners for the County
 Moved by Mr. Rick Bell and seconded by Mr. Pierson and ordered
 That the Roads & Bridges Committee consider the advisability of
 reappointing Councillors James Dundas and J. H. Mitchell to look
 after the repairs on bridge known as the Piccolton Bridge between
 Essa and Leucumeth also the bridge between Tossoronto and
 Essa the same two bridges being County Bridges
 Moved by Mr. Leach and seconded by Mr. Jardine and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of Walter Richardson Esq of Stayner on the Board
 of Examiners for the County
 Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered
 That the Council do now adjourn until 7.30 this evening

Evening Session

The Council met according to adjournment
 The Warden in the Chair
 The Warden presented the following documents which were read and
 referred to their proper Committees, Communications, J. Ross Robertson
 Connor Clark & Woods, Albert Scott, T. B. Peake Esq, D. John W. Wilson
 Presentation of the Grand Jury, County Clerk's Report re Licenses, Inspector
 Mr. Kee's Report, Accounts, J. G. Scott, Walter Scott, H. H. Otterson, Henry
 Kearns, Victoria Industrial School, Alexandra Industrial School
 St. Marys Industrial School, & St. Johns Industrial School
 Report Pro. Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying
 By-Law was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted and that the By-Law
 presented herewith be read a first time
 By-Law read a first time
 Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. Copeland and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a first time be read a second time
 By-Law read a second time
 Moved by Mr. Goffarth and seconded by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time

Moved by Mr. Ingram and seconded by Mr. Jackel and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 the reappointment of John Hanley Esq as trustee of Midland High School
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. M^o Dermitt and ordered
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 in the place of James Jardine
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 of procuring sufficient chairs for the accommodations of the
 Roads & Bridges Committee in Committee Room No 2
 Moved by Mr. Goffart and seconded by Mr. Coamp and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of J. H. Kust Esq of Oulletta Public School on the
 Board of Examiners for the County
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Coffey and ordered
 That the Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the
 advisability of appointing an Engineer in connection with
 our Good Roads System
 Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Peattie and ordered
 That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability
 of recommending a grant of \$25.00 to Mr. Amos Train for his
 services as County Engineer for 1907
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 Printing Committees

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 the appointment of James Marlin Esq of the Town of Barrie on the Board
 of Examiners for the County
 Moved by Mr. Rick Bell and seconded by Mr. Pearson and ordered
 That the Roads & Bridges Committee consider the advisability of
 reappointing Councillors James Dundas and J. H. Mitchell to look
 after the repairs on bridge known as the Revolution Bridge between
 Essex and Simcoe also the bridge between Toronto and
 Essex the same two bridges being County Bridges
 Moved by Mr. Leach and seconded by Mr. Jardine and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of Walter Richardson Esq of Stayner on the Board
 of Examiners for the County
 Moved by Mr. Dawson and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered
 That the Council do now adjourn until 7.30 this evening

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 The Warden in the Chair
 The Warden presented the following documents which were read and
 referred to their proper Committees, Communications, J. Ross Robertson
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 Kearns, Victoria Industrial School, Alexandria Industrial School
 St. Marys Industrial School, & St. Johns Industrial School
 Report No 1. Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying
 By-Law was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted and that the By-Law
 presented herewith be read a first time
 By-Law read a first time
 Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. Copeland and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a first time be read a second time
 By-Law read a second time
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time

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By-Law read a third time
 Moved by Mr. Woodrow and seconded by Mr. Ball and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed
 by the Clerk and signed and sealed by the Warden
 Report No 2 Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying
 By-Law was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Copeland and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted and that the By-Law presented
 herewith be read a first time
 By-Law read a first time
 Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a first time be read a second time
 By-Law read a second time
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time
 By-Law read a third time
 Moved by Mr. Black and seconded by Mr. Dundas and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed
 by the Clerk and signed and sealed by the Warden
 Report No 3 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 4 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Vair and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 4 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. M. Conkey and seconded by Mr. Coffey and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 5 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Reek's Bell and seconded by Mr. Pierson and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 6 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 1 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Jardine and seconded by Mr. Matthews & ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 1 Standing Committee on Railways & Canals was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Woodrow and seconded by Mr. Ball and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report of Special Committee Re Approaches to Edinvale Bridge
 was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. M. Devnott and seconded by Mr. Matthews & ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted

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Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Stafford and ordered
 That the Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of Councillor Goodwin as Engineer for the County Road
 System,
 Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Simpson and ordered
 That Ex Warden Boys be heard at tomorrow's session of this Council
 in connection with the Good Roads System
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Reek's Bell and ordered
 That leave of absence be granted to Councillor W. B. Sanders, Reeve of
 Stayner during this session his absence being caused through
 serious illness
 Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Stafford and ordered
 That the Committee of County Property consider the advisability of recommending
 a further grant to assist in the completion of the Lock up in
 Victoria Harbor said building having a Council Hall in the
 upper story above said Lock up
 Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Picotte and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of the Rev. John S. Kidd as Trustee of Poulanguishue
 High School
 Moved by Mr. Scurlon and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of
 recommending the reappointment of Robt. Stewart Esq of the
 Village of Bradford as a Trustee on the Board of the Bradford
 High School for the Statutory term
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That the Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the advisability
 of recommending the appointment of Philip M. Reed Esq
 as Engineer of the County Road System
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Coffey and ordered
 That the Finance Committee consider payment of the account
 of Thomas Caldwell as said account has been referred to the
 Council for action by Council Creditors
 Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Gordon & ordered
 That the Council do now adjourn until 2.30 tomorrow
 afternoon

W. C. Barr
Warden

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

All members present except Councillors Saunders

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed

The Warden presented the following documents which were referred to their proper Committees. Auditors Report - Con Bray Mesford High School

Report No 5 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Javouand seconded by Mr. Brown and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 6 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Reek Bell and seconded by Mr. Jaskel and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 7 Standing Committee on ^{Regulation of} Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Ball and seconded by Mr. McLean and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 8 Standing Committee on ^{Revenue & Rates} Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Pearson and seconded by Mr. Barton and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 9 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Cramp and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 10 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented & read

Moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Potter and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 11 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Ball and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 2 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read

Moved by Mr. Matthews and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 3 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read

Moved by Mr. McLean and seconded by Mr. Jaskel and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 4 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read

Moved by Mr. Garden and seconded by Mr. Harvay and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 1 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Gross and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 2 Standing Committee on Education with a accompanying

By-Law was presented and read

Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Goffatt & ordered

That the Report now read be adopted, and that the By-Law presented

The Warden requested
Ex Warden Bruce & Boys
Councillors, Graham, Shaw
Lymer, J. A. Bell & Mr. Head
and J. S. Duff Esq. M.P.P. to take
seats on the Platform

herewith be read a first time

By-Law read a first time

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Gross and ordered

That the By-Law now read a first time be read a second time

By-Law read a second time

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Clark

That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Clark in amendment

That Mr. E. A. Doolittle's name be inserted in the place of Mr. Frank Horn

as Trustee on the Orillia Collegiate Institute and that the By-Law as amended

be read a third time

The amendment was put and declared carried

897 By-Law read a third time

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered

That the By-Law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed by the Clerk and

signed and sealed by the Warden

Report No 3 Standing Committee on Education with a accompanying By-Law was

presented and read

Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Goffatt and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted, and that the By-Law presented

herewith be read a first time

By-Law read a first time

Moved by Mr. Scanlon and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered

That the By-Law now read a first time be read a second time

By-Law read a second time

Moved by Mr. Scanlon and seconded by Mr. Gross and ordered

That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time

898 By-Law read a third time

Moved by Mr. Gross and seconded by Mr. Scanlon and ordered

That the By-Law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed by the Clerk,

and signed and sealed by the Warden

Report No 4 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Clark and seconded by Mr. Goffatt and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 5 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 6 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Gross and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 7 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Clark and seconded by Mr. Gross and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 1 Standing Committee on Printing was presented & read

Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Nichol and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 2 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Potter and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 1 Standing Committee of the House of Refuge was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Law and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 2 Standing Committee of the House of Refuge was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Caldwell and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. McCondy and ordered
 That the name of Councillor Mr. Deermoth be added to the Special
 Committee authorized to purchase colors for the 35th Regiment
 Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Shaw and ordered
 That the Committee on Roads and Bridges take into consideration the
 advisability of having the Steel Bridge over North River on Samline
 Day and Matadash painted before the June session of this Council
 Moved by Mr. Bell and seconded by Mr. Coffey and ordered
 That the Roads and Bridges Committee be requested to consider
 the advisability of appointing a Sub-Committee to act
 between the sessions of this Council in cases of emergency
 The Reverend Wm Dwyer was introduced and addressed the
 Council with regard to the advisability of having some better
 arrangements made whereby the inmates of the House of Refuge
 would receive more religious instruction than at present obtains
 Report No 3 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges which was
 laid on the table at yesterday's session was presented and read
 The following gentlemen were given permission to address the Council
 in connection with the matter referred to in said Report namely the
 Bridge known as the Kirkpatrick Bridge,
 Mr. Wm. Lynn who was Reeve of Sunnidale at the time the Bridge was
 constructed and Mr. Rusk Graham who was Deputy Reeve of Silos at
 that time addressed the Council explaining the proceedings that
 took place in connection with the building of said bridge both
 gentlemen claiming that the bridge was then considered a County Bridge
 Mr. Wm. Roy also addressed the Council claiming that by the action of
 the Councils of the Townships of Sunnidale and Silos at the time
 of construction and the subsequent action of the County Council
 that the said bridge was considered a County Bridge by all the
 parties concerned and that no objection was taken thereto during
 all these years until the action that was taken by last year's County
 Council
 Moved by Mr. McDeermoth and seconded by Mr. Robt. Bell and ordered

That Report No 3 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges now read be referred back
 to the Committee for further consideration
 Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That Mr. J. S. Duff M.P.P. for West Simcoe be granted the privilege of addressing
 this Council with reference to the past History of the County of Simcoe
 J. S. Duff Esq M.P.P. then addressed the Council which he did in his usual
 eloquent manner, expressing himself very much pleased in the manner
 which the business of the County was conducted, He particularly confined
 himself to the subject of an Historical Review of the County of Simcoe
 and requested the Council to take the initiative in having this most desirable
 work brought to consummation whereby the fathers of the County the men
 who by their integrity, exertion, and indefatigable energy have made this
 the Banner County of the Dominion of Canada, may have their names and
 actions brought down to posterity as an incentive to this generation and
 their successors to emulate their grand achievements
 The Warden thanked Mr. Duff for his most eloquent and instructive address
 and assured him that the Council would take into consideration the
 matter brought before them
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Vane and ordered
 That the Warden appoint a Special Committee to consider the suggestions
 of Mr. J. S. Duff M.P.P. with regard to the proposed History of the County of Simcoe
 This Committee to report to this Council at its June session
 By request of the Council ex Warden Roy addressed the Council in
 connection with the continuance of the County Road System explaining
 the new Act governing said system and advising the Council to follow
 the Act to the letter otherwise there may be difficulty in obtaining the grant
 from the Government, He expressed his willingness to give any information
 in his power to the Council whenever called upon
 The Warden thanked Mr. Roy for his kindness in addressing the Council
 and for the valuable information contained in the address
 Moved by Mr. Cramp and seconded by Mr. Ingram and ordered
 That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of
 recommending the appointment of R. H. Jupp Esq as County
 Engineer of the Good Roads System
 Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Scoulon and ordered
 That the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges take into
 consideration the advisability of recommending a grant to
 repair bridge on boundary line between the Counties of York
 and Simcoe
 Moved by Mr. Ingram and seconded by Mr. Jackson and ordered
 That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of guaranteeing
 certain Debentures of the Town of Midland
 Mr. Hall representing the American Surety Company was given
 permission to address the Council which he did explaining the plan

of Society the Company he represented supplied
Moved by Mr. Seanton and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
That the Standing Committee on Roads Bridges consider the advisability
of recommending a grant of \$200.00 for necessary repairs on Bridge &
approach to Holland River Bridge

Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. Simpson and ordered
That we greatly appreciate the services rendered this County by the Rev
Mr. Dreyer in the kindly interest he has taken in the inmates of the
House of Refuge by visiting them and rendering them all the aid
and consolation that his limited time would allow, We would
therefore recommend that the House of Refuge Committee consider
the advisability of granting some remuneration to the Rev Mr Dreyer
and that the Committee confer with him with regard to making arrangements
whereby some regular services may be afforded to the inmates of the
House of Refuge besides those already provided for
Moved by Mr. Ingram and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered
That the Council do now adjourn until 2 O'clock tomorrow afternoon

C. J. Mitchell
Clerk

H. C. Barr
Warden

Council Chamber Barrie

The Council met according to adjournment January 31st 1908
The Warden in the chair

All members present except Councillor Sanders
By minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed
The Warden presented the following documents which were read and
referred to their proper Committees, Communications Mrs. J. Sissons
Secretary Midland Poultry Association, Deputy Minister of Public Works
Hamilton Bridge Company

Report No 7 Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying By-Law
was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. Seanton and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted and that the By-Law presented
herewith be read a first time

By-Law read a first time

Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. Copeland and ordered
That the By-Law now read a first time be read a second time

By-Law read a second time

Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time

By-Law read a third time

Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Lawson and ordered
That the By-Law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed

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by the Clerk and signed and sealed by the Warden
Report No 8 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Pierson and seconded by Mr. Rich^d. Bell and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 9 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Seanton and seconded by Mr. Jachel and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 12 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Seanton and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 13 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Dundas and seconded by Mr. Rich^d. Bell and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 14 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Simpson and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 15 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Goodwin and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 5 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read
Moved by Mr. Clark and seconded by Mr. Dundas and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

The following motion and amendment which were laid on the table on the
previous session ~~now~~ were presented and read

Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Mc Conkey
That Mr. J. H. Mitchell of Alleston and Mr. J. W. Kennox of Barrie be appointed
to Auditors to Audit the Criminal Administration of Justice accounts for 1908

Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. Robert Bell in amendment
That W. A. Sneath and J. W. Kennox Esq. be appointed Auditors to audit the
Criminal Administration of Justice accounts for 1908

The Amendment was put and declared carried on division
Moved by Mr. Ingram and seconded by Mr. Jachel and ordered

That the Committee on Finance consider the advisability of recommending
the passing of a By-Law confirming a certain deed made to
Robert Wilson Crook of the Township of Jay to a certain parcel of land
being composed of the south five acres of the West half of Lot number
two in the sixth concession of the said Township of Jay

Moved by Mr. Harvey and seconded by Mr. Cunningham and ordered
That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of

recommending that a new bridge be built over the North River
on the 5th Concession of Orilla Township known as the Booth Road
the same being on a County Road

Moved by Mr. Goodwin and seconded by Mr. Shaw and ordered
That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability

of recommending that a new bridge be built on County boundary line between the Counties of Simons and Dufferin opposite Lot 14 Adgala and Mono over the Nottawa River
 Moved by Mr. Jaehel and seconded by Mr. Ingram and ordered
 That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending a grant of \$25.00 to the Madlax Poultry Association
 Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That the Standing Committee on County Property consider the advisability of installing a more economical plant for heating the County buildings and report at the June Session of this Council
 Moved by Mr. Jones and seconded by Mr. Goffatt and ordered
 That the Printing Committee consider the advisability of purchasing a large map of this County to be hung in the Council Chamber, which would be a great benefit to the members in locating points under discussion
 Moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the Council do now adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning

R. S. Fletcher
 Clerk

W. L. Barr
 Warden

Council Chamber Barrie
 February 1st 1908

The Council met according to adjournment
 The Warden in the Chair
 All members present except Councillors Copeland, Caldwell, Seanlon Wood, Giffatt, Cramp & J. A. Mitchell
 The Warden presented the following document which was referred to its proper Committee
 Communication Major J. L. Brewster
 Report No 16 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Coffey and seconded by Mr. Jaehel and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 3 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Prieste and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 4 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Prieste and seconded by Mr. Woodrow and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 1 Standing Committee on Legislation was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Jones and seconded by Mr. McLean and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Moved by Mr. Ingram and seconded by Mr. Jaehel and ordered
 That leave of absence be granted to Councillors Copeland, Caldwell, Seanlon Wood, Giffatt, Cramp for today's session
 Moved by Mr. McConkey and seconded by Mr. Gorse and ordered
 That the Committee on Roads & Bridges take into consideration the advisability of recommending the appointment of R. A. Sutherland Esq. as County Engineer for the Good Roads System
 Moved by Mr. Dundas and seconded by Mr. Moore and ordered
 That as Major Rogers having completed his 45th year as High Constable of this County without remuneration, the Standing Committee on Finance consider the advisability of granting him an honorarium of \$100.00
 Moved by Mr. Jones and seconded by Mr. Clarke and ordered
 That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending a grant of \$25.00 to the Colleywood Poultry Association to assist them at their annual winter show
 Moved by Mr. Woodrow and seconded by Mr. J. A. Mitchell and ordered
 That the Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the advisability of amending By Law No 860 by substituting the name of George Graham in clause 3. Medonte also that clause 5 be amended to read from land to lease between the 9th & 10th concessions of Medonte and that Andrew Walker be substituted for that of Richard J. Miller, also that a new section be added from the line between the 9th & 10th concessions to the line between the 7th & 8th concessions and that James M. Farland be Supervisor of the Hilldale No. Thury to Lot 64 James Hamilton Hilldale Supervisor and from Lot 64 to Lot 68, Wm. Lang Orr Lake Supervisor, and from Lot 68 to Waverley, Harry Sibbald Waverley Supervisor
 Moved by Mr. Ball and seconded by Mr. Law and ordered