

Minutes of the January Session  
of the  
County of Simcoe Municipal Council  
for 1883

Council Hall Barrie 24 Jan 1882

The following Reeves and Deputy Reeves of the several Township Town and Village Municipalities in the County of Simcoe met today in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Institutions Act of Ontario, and having filed their Certificates of Qualification and Affidavits to the clerk took their seats in Council as:-

Place	Name	Rank	P.O.
Adjaco	John Kelly Esq	Reeve	Lorain
"	Joseph Wright	Dep. do.	Keenanville
Alliston	John Heston	Reeve	Alliston
Cardwell	Charles Robinson	Reeve	Rosseau
Essa	David Dunn	Reeve	Elmford
"	Thomas Barker	Dep. do.	Long
Floa	O. J. Phelps	Reeve	Phelpsston
"	D. Loftis	Dep. do.	"
Guilford West	G. M. Evans	Reeve	Bradford
"	John McEwen	Dep. do.	Newtown
Hampden	James Ashdown	Reeve	Ashdown
Innisfil	Jos. P. McKay	Reeve	Lepny
"	John Gordon	1. Dep. do.	Bramley
"	W. Lemay	2. Dep. do.	Allandale
Medonte	Jasper Martin	Reeve	Hilldale
"	Guy Orr	Dep. do.	Coldwater
Merret	Albert W. Smith	Reeve	Alpaty
Morrison	Adolphus Maneko	Reeve	Spawville
Nottawasago	Arch. McLean	Reeve	Dunlop
"	James Hamilton	1. Dep. do.	Glen Haven
"	William Millie	2. Dep. do.	Creemore
Oillia Matchedash	Arch. Thomson	Reeve	Orabon
"	Charles Harvie	Dep. do.	Oillia
NO.	Charles Downy	Reeve	Crown Hill
"	James Ross	Dep. do.	Barrie

Summerville	Robert Paton Esq	Reeve	New Lovell
"	W. Sauter	Dep. do.	"
Trinity	Thomas Tremee	Reeve	Penetang
"	John McKee	Dep. do.	Mybridge
Tary	Saml. Inzer	Reeve	Midland
"	W. J. Reilly	Dep. do.	Coldwater
Tossonville	John Fallagher	Reeve	Everett
Tossonville	Jos. A. Nolan	Reeve	Tottenham
"	C. Clarke	1. Dep. do.	Cookstown
"	Robert Calhoun	2. Dep. do.	Essa
Vespa	Robert Leakey	Reeve	Midhurst
"	J. Sissons	Dep. do.	Crown Hill
Wood Medina	Thomas Baynes	Reeve	Bala
Watt	Anthony Duffin	Reeve	Raymond
Barrie	Charles Ross	Reeve	Barrie
"	John Drostman	1. Dep. do.	"
"	Thomas Shrothead	2. Dep. do.	"
Callwood	George Mobely	Reeve	Callwood
"	Henry Robertson	Dep. do.	"
Oillia	James Dunn	Reeve	Oillia
"	J. W. Laver	2. Dep. do.	"
Bradford	Wm. A. Graham	Reeve	Bradford
Stagers	Alex. Nicol	Reeve	Stagers
Penetang	P. H. Spence	M.D. Reeve	Penetang
Franklin	J. W. Taylor	Reeve	Franklin
Midland	L. M. Furland	Reeve	Midland

Each of whom having answered their names were called to order by the clerk and requested to elect their Wardens whereupon it was moved by Mr. Dunn second by Mr. Dunn that George M. Evans Esq Reeve of Westfield Township be the Warden of this County for the current year. Moved by Mr. Fletcher second by Mr. Lemay that Jos. P. McKay Esq Reeve of Innisfil be Warden Moved by Mr. Ross second by Mr. Calhoun that John A. Nolan Esq be Warden Moved by Mr. Thomson second by Mr. Taylor that James Dunn Esq be Warden

Moved by Dr. Spohn secd. by Mr. Robertson  
 That Thomas Burgess Esq be the Warden  
 Moved by Mr. McLane secd. by Mr. Rao  
 That Samuel Frazer Esq be the Warden  
 Moved by Mr. Fletcher secd. by Mr. Wright  
 That John Kelly Esq be the Warden  
 The Clerk put the first motion in accordance with  
 the standing, which was lost.  
 The second motion was also put and lost  
 The third motion was then put and lost  
 The fourth motion was then put and carried  
 The Clerk thereupon declared James Dunn Esq  
 Receiver of British duty elected Warden of the  
 County of Simcoe for the current year.  
 Moved by Mr. Dunn secd. by Mr. Thomson  
 That the meeting do now adjourn until 10 o'clock  
 tomorrow morning in order that the County Judge  
 may be requested to administer the necessary  
 Oath of Office to the Warden Elect, and that  
 the motion was lost for want of a two third  
 vote in accordance with Standing Rules  
 On motion of Mr. Taylor secd. by Thomson  
 Ordered: That the Council do now adjourn until  
 10 o'clock tomorrow morning

Jas. Quinn  
 Warden

Council Hall Barrie 25 Jan. 1862

The Council met this morning according to adjournment  
 His Honor Judge Cowan held a special session for  
 the purpose of administering the necessary declaration  
 of office to the Warden Elect  
 The Warden elect having made and subscribed the  
 usual declaration of office took his seat and called  
 the Council to order  
 Present all members except  
 The minutes of the last day of the last session of last year  
 and the minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed  
 The Warden addressed the Council.  
 The Warden named the following gentlemen to be  
 a special committee to strike the standing com-  
 mittee for the current year <sup>in accordance with Rule 154</sup>  
 Messrs. Paton  
 Cook, Spohn, Dunn, Taylor, McKey and Robertson  
 On motion of Mr. Robertson secd. by Mr. Thomson  
 Ordered: That H. M. Bell, Smith be appointed  
 Auditor for this County for the current year  
 His Worship the Warden appointed Thomas  
 Collins Esq. to be the other auditor in terms of Act.  
 On motion of Dr. Spohn secd. by Mr. Taylor  
 Ordered: That the Council do now adjourn  
 until 2 o'clock this afternoon

2 pm

The Council met pursuant to adjournment  
 The Warden in the Chair  
 The Warden presented the following documents which were read viz:  
 Accts. Messrs. McArthur, Pepler & McArthur, Globe Printing Co., Arms  
 Co. Clerk, Elgin, J. Hoff Esq. Chairman Collingwood Collegiate, Mc-  
 Cumberland Report of County Treasurer & Co. Surveyor, and  
 Petition of Electoral District of Societies and Small Measurers  
 and others by Mr. Miancho  
 Report of Special Committee on Standing Committees  
 presented and read  
 On motion of Mr. Paton secd. by Mr. Dunn  
 Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

On motion of Mr Drury read. by Mr. J. Rose  
Ordered: That the several documents now before the  
Council be referred to their respective Committees.

On motion of Mr. Calhoun read. by Mr. Parker  
Ordered: That the following members be appointed a  
Committee to Equalize the Assessment Rolls for the current  
year by Messrs. Paton Kirkland Frazer Dunn Drury  
Wheat McKay Bumpas, Moberly Evans Thomson  
Phelps and Fletcher

On motion of Mr. Taylor read. by Mr. Bumpas  
Ordered: That the Finance Committee be instructed to  
take into consideration the advisability of granting  
the sum of \$500 to aid the sufferers from the late Bush  
fires in Muskoka

Moved by Mr Phelps read. by Mr. Evans:  
That C. Drury Esq. R. Paton & A. Headley Esqs. be a  
Special Committee to purchase the necessary supplies  
for the County Jail for the year 1882. Lost.

On motion of Mr. Sessins read. by Mr. Evans  
Ordered: That R. Leadley Assoc of Deserue be added  
to the Special Committee in Equalization of Assessment  
Rolls for the year 1882

On motion of Mr. Drury read. by Mr. Paton  
Ordered: That the public school inspectors of this County  
be, and they are hereby required to enter in the Visitors Books  
Kept in Public Schools a minute of each inspectors  
visit to each school with the date of such visit

On motion of Mr. Taylor read. by Mr. Evans  
Ordered: That the Warden James Dunn Esq. be  
and he is hereby appointed a Director on the Northern  
Railway Board on behalf of this County during the term  
of his office

On motion of Mr. Moberly read. by Mr. Hamilton  
Ordered: That under the Municipal Act the appointments  
of Auditor has to be made at the first meeting in January  
which does not give sufficient time to have a proper  
Audit made to be laid before them their sitting and it  
would be much more advantageous to have the appointments

made so that the auditors Report shall be ready at the first  
sitting of this Council, Resolved: That the Warden do appoint a  
Committee of three to draft and present to this Council a Memorial  
to the Ontario Legislature asking for such changes in the Municipal  
Act as will enable the Appointment of Auditors to be made so  
that their reports can be ready for the first Annual Session  
of County Councils the Warden named Messrs. Phelps McKay & Moberly  
Moved by Mr. Frazer read. by Mr. Calhoun

That the Railway Committee be instructed to recommend  
a Member of this Council to act as Director on the Hamilton  
and North Western Railway for the current year  
Moved in Amendment by Mr. McKay read. by Mr. Moberly

That the Representatives of the Group and the Township  
of Simons name a Director for the H. & N. W. Ry. and submit  
to this Council. Lost

The original motion was then put and carried

On motion of Mr. Thomson read. by Mr. Calhoun  
Ordered: That the Council do now adjourn until  
4 o'clock this Evening  
Evening Session

The Council met pursuant to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

The Warden presented the following document which were read  
viz. Applications of A. M. Wootie and C. E. Fittou for the  
Office of Engineer and account of South American news and  
Thomas McBain

On motion of Mr. Drury read. by Mr. McAfee  
Ordered: That the communication relating to the selection of jurors  
be referred to a special Committee of five members to be named  
by the Warden, the Warden named Messrs. H. Robertson  
Dunn Hamilton, Phelps, and the Warden to be Special Committee

On motion of Mr. Thomson read. by Mr. Harvie  
Ordered: That the several documents now before the Council  
be referred to their respective Committees

On motion of Mr. Phelps read. by Mr. Loftus  
Ordered: That the Clerk have two hundred  
copies of the Rules of this Council printed at once

On motion of Mr. Moberly read by Dr. Kunkland  
 Ordered: That a committee of three composed of Messrs  
 Phelps Paton and the member appointed to proceed  
 to Courts if necessary to assist the local members  
 in having the prayer of the memorial of this Council  
 passed at its last session for the amendment of the  
 Platted Drainage Act granted

On motion of Mr. Herman read by Dr. Slaven  
 Ordered: That the clerk be instructed to notify the  
 Clerk of Ontario that this County expended \$20  
 in repairing the Bridge over the Seaton River known  
 as Masdales Bridge last summer and therefore  
 this Council request the County Council of Ontario to  
 expend a like sum as the Bridge is in a dangerous  
 state,

On motion of Dr. Slaven read by Mr. Thomas  
 Ordered: That the Committee on Roads and Bridges  
 be instructed to consider the advisability of recom-  
 mending a small grant say \$1000 and assist  
 the Town of Orléans in repairing and grading the  
 road between the town and the narrow bridge  
 leading to the County of Ontario

On motion of Mr. Phelps read by Mr. Ross.  
 Ordered: That whereas Henry Green's son having  
 filled the office of County Surveyor for upwards of  
 thirty years as a faithful guardian and servant  
 of the County of Simcoe, has found it necessary to resign  
 the office of County Surveyor,

Resolved therefore that the Members of the County  
 Council of Simcoe now assembled desire to convey to  
 that gentleman the high esteem the high esteem in  
 which he is held by them, and hope he may long  
 be spared to enjoy life and the fruits of his labors  
 and that the clerk be requested to forward a  
 copy of this resolution to that gentleman

On motion of Mr. Denny read by Mr. Martin  
 Ordered: That the Committee on Contingencies be requested to prepare  
 and introduce a Bylaw defining the duties of the messengers of this  
 Council

On motion of Dr. Slaven read by Mr. Herman  
 Ordered: That the Special Committee of <sup>five</sup> ~~three~~ named by  
 the Warden to revise the Rules of this Council before  
 they are printed. The Warden named Messrs  
 Moberly Cooke Drum Drum and the member be seen.  
 Committee

On motion of Mr. Jones read by Mr. Phelps  
 Ordered: That the Committee on Roads and Bridges  
 for the year 1882 be instructed to make no grants of  
 money for Roads and Bridges other than prescribed  
 by Law

On motion of Mr. Kelly read by Mr. Preece  
 Ordered: That the Council do now adjourn  
 until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning

J. W. Garrison  
 Warden

Council Hall Barre 26 Jan'y 1882

The Council met this morning according to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

All members present.

The minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed

The Warden presented the following documents which  
were read: Report of County Surveyor, Acts, of Bradford  
High School, Co. printers, Examined by J. J. Brown, and  
Petition of Certain Ratepayers of Glass by Mr Phelps

On motion of Mr Phelps second by Mr Loftus

Ordered: That Messrs C. W. Ross, W. N. M. Keay, Burgess  
and the Warden be a special Committee to consider the  
petition of the Ratepayers of Glass praying for a  
Quarterly Fair, at Ellsworth and Report at this session

On motion of Dr. Slaven second by Mr. Harvie

Ordered: That the several documents now before the  
Council be referred to their respective Committees

On motion of Mr C. W. Ross second by Mr. Frazer

Ordered: That the committee on the Revision of  
the Rules be instructed to revise Rule No. 1 so as to  
provide for the election of the Warden by Ballot.

Moved by Mr. Holaw second by Mr. Wright

That the special Committee on the Equalization do  
meet at the same time as the regular meeting of  
the June session, and that Rule 58 be suspended  
for that purpose. Lost

On motion of Capt. Cook second by Mr. Nierb

Ordered: That Mr. Capreol be allowed to address  
this Council now in favor of the Georgian Bay  
Canal Project. Mr Capreol briefly addressed  
the Council and asked permission to be allowed to  
address them at length at next meeting

On motion of Mr. Johnson second by Dr. Slaven

Ordered: That the Council do not adjourn until  
4 o'clock this Afternoon

4 p.m.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

Report of Special Committee on Quarterly Fair and the  
Incorporation of Glass with accompanying Bylaws presented and read  
On motion of Mr Phelps second by Mr. Loftus

Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted, and that the  
accompanying Bylaw be read a first time. Bylaw read first time

On motion of Mr Burgess second by Mr. C. W. Ross

Ordered: That the Bylaw now read a first time be read a  
second time. Bylaw read a second time

On motion of Mr C. W. Ross second by Mr. Phelps

Ordered: That the Bylaw now read a second time be read  
a third time forthwith. Bylaw read a third time

On motion of Mr Phelps second by Mr. Loftus

Ordered: That the Bylaw now read a third time do  
pass be engrossed by the Clerk, signed and sealed by the Warden

On motion of Mr Phelps second by Mr. Surtzow

Ordered: That Mr. Capreol be allowed to address  
the Council. Mr Capreol addresses the Council in a  
very lucid and intelligent manner, and strongly  
advocated the claims of the Huron and Ontario  
Ship Canal

On motion of Mr Surtzow second by Dr. Slaven

Ordered: That the Council do not adjourn until  
4 o'clock,

Evening Session

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

Report No. 1 of Standing Committee on Finance  
presented and read

On motion of Mr McKay second by Dr. Willard

Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

On motion of Mr W. N. M. Keay second by Mr. McKay

Ordered: That it be referred to the Finance Committee  
to report whether it is advisable to change interest on  
Overdue Arrears, and if advisable on what principle  
it shall be charged

Mr Burgess Secd. by Capt. Cooke  
Applies for a grant of \$75 to repair a bridge on Townline  
between Wood and Medora

Mr. Orr Secd. by Thomson  
Applies for a grant of \$200 to build two bridges on the  
Townline between North Dillia and Medora over Bear creek

Dr. Killland Secd. by Mr. Moberly  
Applies for a grant of \$100 for building a bridge over  
Bathens Creek

Mr. Sufferin Secd. by Mr. Burgess  
Applies for a grant of \$50 to assist in rebuilding a bridge  
over the outlet of Bogarts Lake

Mr. Switzer Secd. by Dr. Killland  
Applies for a grant of \$100 to complete a bridge on Townline  
between Sunnidale and Attawapsga

On motion of Mr. McFarland Secd. by Dr. Slawen  
Applies Ordered: That a special Committee of three  
be named by the Board to draft a memorial

to the Genl. Govern in Council for an Act to compel  
Railway Companies to erect suitable fences and build  
proper cattle guards at the various street crossings  
through our Towns and Villages in this County  
The Board named Messrs. McFarland & Robertson  
and Dr. Slawen be such Committee

On motion of Mr. Taylor Secd. by Mr. Sufferin  
Ordered: That the Committee on County property  
do take into consideration the propriety of  
of granting the sum of \$35 for the purchase  
of a stone and making repairs to the present  
lockup

Mr. Dentie, seconded by Mr. Mc-  
Farland applied for a grant of \$100  
to build a culvert on Townline Jay  
& Medora

On motion of Mr. Evans, sec-  
onded by Mr. McAfee, Ordered that  
Mr. Burgess be changed from the  
Committee on Geo. Property to the Finance

Committee, and that Mr. Dickinson be  
placed on the Geo. Property Committee.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, seconded  
by Mr. Taylor, Ordered, that the name  
of John Kelly, Esq. Rev. of Adgala  
be placed on the Committee to equalize  
the assessment Rolls for the current year.

Mr. McFarland moved, seconded by  
Mr. McRae, applied for a grant of \$75  
to assist in building a bridge over  
Quigley's creek, on Townline Jay & Irving.

On motion of Dr. Slawen, seconded  
by Mr. Starvo, Ordered that Messrs.  
McScadding, W. Lomel, & Stoddard, be  
now heard by this Council in relation  
to making grants to agricultural so-  
cieties.

On motion of Mr. Switzer, seconded  
by Mr. Drury, Ordered that the name  
of Mr. Burgess be placed on the  
Committee on Railways.

On motion of Mr. Switzer, seconded  
by Mr. Sissons, Ordered, that a  
Committee of five be appointed to  
memorialize the Dominion Govern-  
ment and the Government of Ontario  
for a grant of land for the purpose  
of forwarding and assisting the  
Ontario & Georgian Bay bachelors, and  
that the following gentlemen be such  
Committee: viz: Messrs. Moberly, Switzer,  
Calthorn, Hatcher & Sissons.

On motion of Mr. Drury, sec-  
onded by Mr. J. Ross, Ordered that  
the orders of the day be suspended  
for the purpose of presenting the  
Report of the Committee on settlement  
with Mono & Mubwin, and that Rule

49 be suspended.

Report. An agreement presented  
read. Moved by Mr. Drury, seconded  
by Mr. Moberly, that the Report now  
read be adopted, and the accompanying  
agreement be ratified by this Council.

At this stage of proceeding the report  
was ordered to lie on the table at the  
request of 12 members, until next sitting,  
in accordance with Rule 4th.

Messrs. Scadding, Lamb & Stoddard addressed  
the Council on the subject of a grant  
to the Electoral District Agricultural  
Societies, alternately.

On motion of Dr. Slaven, seconded  
by Mr. Thompson, ordered that a  
vote of thanks be tendered by this Council  
to Messrs. Scadding, Lamb & Stoddard, for  
the able & eloquent addresses delivered  
by them in the interest of agriculture.

On motion by Mr. Balhorn, sec-  
onded by Mr. Wright, ordered that the  
Council do now adjourn until ten  
o'clock tomorrow morning.

J. W. Drury  
Warden

Council Hall Barrie  
27th. January 1882

The Council met according to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

Present all members

The Minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed

On motion of Mr. Drury, second by Mr. Moberly

Resolved: That the Report and agreement laid on the table  
last evening in accordance with Rule 4th be now taken up and  
adopted

On motion of Mr. Burgess, second by Mr. Kelly

Resolved: That the Warden do appoint a Committee of five  
to consider the numerous applications for the office of Valuator  
for this County. The Warden named Messrs. Burgess, Taylor,  
Drury, Dunn and Smitzer to be such Committee

On motion of Mr. McAlfee, second by Mr. Evans

Resolved: That the several documents now before the Council  
be referred to their respective Committees

On motion of Mr. Drury, second by Dr. Kirkland

Resolved: That the name of James Hamilton be added to the  
Special Committee on County Valuation

Moved by Mr. Dunn, second by Mr. Burgess

That C. Cooke Esq. first Dep. Secy of Queensland and R. D. Bentley  
Esq. be appointed to audit the accounts of the General Sessions of  
the Peace for the current year

On motion in Amendment Mr. Drury, second by Mr. Smitzer

Resolved: That C. Cooke Esq. and Arthur Craig Esq. be  
appointed Auditors of Criminal Justice accounts  
for the current year

Moved by Mr. H. Robertson, second by Mr. Phelps

That the Report of the County Auditors when filed by them  
shall be submitted to a sub-committee to be appointed by  
the Finance Committee and to consist of three members  
thereof, and that such Report shall be published with  
the Minutes of the January session under the direction  
of such sub-committee. Rest

On motion of Mr. Trazer, second by Mr. Thomson

Resolved: That Messrs. Thomson, Drury and the mover  
be appointed a Committee to consider the propriety of petitioning  
the Lieut. Governor and Council of Ontario for a grant of money

public money to build a Bridge across the Narrows of Malchedaw Bay in the Township of Day

On motion of Dr. Spohr second. by Mr. Frazer

Ordered: That the Warden do appoint a committee of five to take into consideration the advisability of memorializing the Dominion Government to build a light house on Hope Island. The Warden named Messrs. Spohr, Frazer, Phelps, H. Robertson and Switzer to be such Committee

On motion of Mr. Phelps second. by Mr. C. H. Ross

Ordered: That the Committee on County Property take into consideration the advisability of putting a proper fence in front of the Gaol on the East side of Mulcaster Street.

On motion of Mr. Innes second. by Mr. Thomson

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,

The Warden presented a Com. from Mr. W. D. King with blank petitions which were read

On motion of Mr. Kelly, seconded by Mr. Wright, Ordered: That the several documents now before the Council be referred to their respective Committees.

Report of special Committee on Sale of Northern Ry. Stock presented @ read.

On motion of Dr. Spohr, seconded by Mr. Holan; Ordered that the Report now read be adopted.

Report No. 1 of Standing Committee on Railways presented @ read.

Moved by Dr. Spohr seconded by Mr. Taylor, that the report now read be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Capt.

Book, seconded by Mr. Moterly, that the report now read be not adopted, but be referred back to the Committee with instructions to place the name of Dr. Kirkland, Reeve of Nappawasaga, Director of the N.W. Railway in place of Robert Paton. The motion in amendment was carried on the following division - Yeas: Messrs. Ashdown, Burgess, Cooke, Calloway, Dumas, Drury, Dickenson, Evans, Fletcher, Gallagher, Gordon, Hamilton, Kirkland, Kelly, Lennox, Loftus, Lendley, Mellie, Moterly, Wallace, Mc Kay, Carr, Parker, Phelps, Ross C.H., Ross J., Sessons, Smith, Sufferin, Wright, Mianeko & ways: Messrs. Beatty, Drury, Fraser, Harvie, Martin, Mc Kay, Nichol, Nolan, Paton, Robertson, C., Robertson, H., Spohr, Switzer, Plavers, Shortland, Taster, Taylor, Tremmer, Thompson.

- 20. Report No. 1 of Standing Committee on Education <sup>with By-law</sup> presented @ read

On motion by Mr. Drury, seconded by Mr. Staven, Ordered: that the report now read be adopted & the By-law read a first time. By-law read a first time

On motion of Mr. Ashdown, seconded by Mr. Martin, Ordered: that the By-law read a first time be read a second time <sup>By-law read a second time</sup>

On motion of Mr. Cooke, seconded by Evans, Ordered: that the By-law now read a second time be read a third time. <sup>By-law read a third time</sup>

On motion by Mr. Drury, seconded by Dr. Spohr, Ordered: that the By-law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed by the Clerk, signed @ sealed by the Warden

Report No. 2 of Standing Com.



on Finance & assessment, presented & read  
On motion by Mr. McKay, seconded by  
Mr. Fraser, Ordered: That the Report now  
read be adopted.

Report No. 1 of Standing Committee on  
County Property presented & read.

On motion by Mr. Paton, seconded by  
Mr. Staroy, Ordered: That the Report now  
read be adopted.

Report No. 3 of Standing Committee on  
Finance & assessment, presented & read

On motion of Mr. McKay, seconded  
by Mr. Nolan, Ordered: That the Report  
now read be adopted.

Report No. 1 of Standing Committee on  
Printing presented & read.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, seconded  
by Mr. McFarland, Ordered: That the  
Report now read be adopted.

Report No. 2 of Standing Committee  
on County Property presented & read:

Moved by Mr. Paton, seconded by  
Mr. Dickinson, That the Report now read  
be adopted. The yeas & nays being called  
the vote stood as follows: - Yeas Messrs.  
Beatty, Burgess, Dickinson, Gordon, Harvie,  
Koflus, Leadley, Milliv, McFarland,  
Neal, Parker, Phelps, Paton, Ross, C.H.,  
Robertson C., Robertson, H., Spohn, Sissons,  
Shorkred, Smith, Sufferm, Taster, Taylor, Wainko = 24.  
Nays: Messrs. Astdown, Balkom, Drury, Evans,  
Fletcher, Fraser, Gallagher, Hamilton, Kirkland,  
Kelly, Lemox, Martin, Moberly, McAfee, McKay,  
McRae, Nolan, Orr, Ross J., Switzer, Slaver,  
Tremar, Thompson, Wright = 24.

The vote being a tie Mr. Worship  
the Warden gave the casting vote in favor  
of the adoption of the Report, which was then adopted.

Report No. 3 of County Property Committee presented & read.  
On motion by Mr. Paton, seconded by Mr. Nicol,  
Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted.

Report No. 1 of Standing Committee <sup>on Roads & Bridges</sup> presented & read.  
On motion by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Lemox,  
Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted.

Report of Special Committee on Swing Bridge  
at Wankauskane, with Memorials, presented  
& read. On motion of Mr. Fraser, seconded  
by Mr. Thompson, Ordered: That the Report  
now read be adopted.

On motion of Mr. Fraser, seconded by  
Mr. Thompson, Ordered: That the Mem-  
orial now read be adopted, be engrossed  
by the Clerk, signed & sealed by the Warden,  
& transmitted to the Member for East  
Simcoe for presentation to His Honor the  
Lieut-Governor in Council of Ontario,  
with a request that he will use his  
best endeavors in its behalf.

Report of Special Committee on  
selection of Jurors, with accompanying  
Memorial, presented & read.

On motion of Mr. Robertson, sec-  
onded by Mr. Jas. Hamilton, Ordered:  
That the Report now read be adopted.

On motion of Mr. Burgess, sec-  
onded by Mr. Parker, Ordered that  
the Council do now adjourn until nine  
o'clock tomorrow morning.

*J. J. Quinn*  
Warden

Council Hall Barrie, 28 Jan'y, 1882

The Council met this morning according to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

Present same members as yesterday

The minutes of yesterday were read and adopted

Report of Special Committee to memorialize Government  
for Amendments to the Municipal Act as to Appointments  
of Auditors presented and read

On motion of Mr Moberly secd. by Mr McKay

Ordered: That the Report was read be adopted and that  
the Memorial presented thereunto be also adopted signed  
and sealed by the Warden and sent to H. H. Cooke Esq  
M.P.P. for presentation

Report No 1 of Standing Committee on Railways  
as amended presented and read

On motion of Dr Spotswood secd. by Mr Taylor

Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 2 of Standing Committee on Roads and  
Bridges presented and read

On motion of Mr Johnson secd. by Mr Calhoun

Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

Report of Special Committee on County Valuations  
Presented and read

On motion of Mr Burgess secd. by Mr Hamilton

Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 2 of Standing Committee on Education  
presented and read

Moved by Mr Drury secd. by Mr Tremear

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved in Amendment by Mr McKay secd. by Mr Evans

That the Report be not adopted, but be referred back to  
the Committee with instructions to bring in a By Law  
at this sitting to repeal the By Law removing Mr Hoff

On motion in Amendment to the Amendment

by Mr Cooke secd. by Dr Spotswood

Ordered: That the Report be not adopted but be  
referred back for reconsideration at the next session  
of this Council,

Report No 4 of Standing Committee on Finance & Assessment  
Presented and read

Moved by Mr McKay secd. by Mr Kelly

That the Report now read be adopted

On motion in Amendment by Mr Drury secd. by Mr Phelps

Ordered: That the Report now read be <sup>not</sup> adopted but be  
referred back to the Committee with instructions to reconsider  
the petition of the Agricultural Societies of this County  
and report at the next meeting

Report of Special Committee on Memorials to the  
Dominion and Local Parliaments in aid of the Georgian Bay  
Canal Scheme with Memorial presented and read

On motion of Mr Moberly secd. by Dr Kirkland

Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted and  
the accompanying Memorial be also adopted signed  
and sealed by the Warden and transmitted to the

Member for East Simcoe for presentation

Report No 3 of Standing Committee on Printing  
Presented and read

On motion of Mr Drury secd. by Mr Lison

Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

On motion of Mr Drury secd. by Dr Spotswood

Ordered: That whereas the Almighty disposer of events  
in his inscrutable wisdom has seen fit to take from  
his faithful sphere W. C. Little Esq M.P. for South Simcoe  
an old and most highly respected member of this  
County Council, this Council cannot permit this  
the first session since that sad event took place  
to terminate without tendering their deepest sympathy  
to Mr Little and her family, whom the Clerk is hereby  
requested to communicate to her

On motion of Mr Moberly secd. by Mr McKay

Ordered: That the Clerk of this Council do notify the Reces  
of fellow and mulmur that the agreement made between  
the Representatives of said Townships and the County of  
Simcoe in settlement of all questions of difference between  
the said Townships and County has been ratified  
by this Council, and that this Council is prepared to pay

to pay out to the proper authority such moneys as by this said Agreement is to be paid by them, and do require the payment to this County, all sums payable to this County, under said Agreement, and the Treasurer of this County is hereby instructed to make all payments required to be made in behalf of this County, and that the Clerk do furnish to the Constables of Muns and Muelmew with Certified Copies of the said Agreement

On motion of Mr McKay read by Mr Wright  
Ordered: That the Deputation appointed to go to Toronto be instructed to press upon the Government the several other matters petitioned for in addition to the special duties mentioned in the resolution of their Appointment

On motion of Mr Spaton read by Mr Phelps  
Ordered: That a Committee of three be appointed from the Standing Committee on County Property and take known as the Gaol Committee and consisting of the following gentlemen viz Messrs Drury Leadley and Howard

On motion of Mr Quinn read by Mr Spaton  
Ordered: That when this Council adjourns it stand adjourned until Tuesday February 23<sup>rd</sup> to meet at 8 o'clock P.M.

James Quinn  
Warden

Council Hall Barrie 23 Feb, 1882

The Council met this evening according to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

Present all members  
The minutes of the last days meeting were read and confirmed  
The Warden presented the Chief Constables Report, Auditors Report on Treasurers Detailed Statement, and Communication from the Treasurer of Barrie, Co. Auditors and Report of the South Simcoe Teachers Association, and Com. from the Inspector of Prisons which were read

On motion of Mr Harvie read by Mr Thomson  
Ordered: That the several documents now before the Council be laid before their respective Committees

Report of Special Committee on Memorial to the Dominion Government asking for a grant of Land to aid in the construction of the Japan Bay ship Canal presented and read

On motion of Mr Moleby read by Mr Rutlands  
Ordered: That the Report and Memorials now read be adopted and that the said Memorials be signed and sealed by the Warden and that the Clerk do there transmit the same to the Member for North Simcoe for presentation

On motion of Mr Phelps read by Mr Martin  
Ordered: That the Clerk be instructed to give the necessary notice ~~according~~ of By Law establishing a Quarterly Fair in the Township of Gles according to the Statute

On motion of Mr Thomson read by Mr Harvie  
Ordered: That James Quinn Warden of this County be appointed Commissioner to act in conjunction with the Commissioner of the County of Ontario in relation to the Narrows Bridge

On motion of Mr Deum read by Mr Burgess  
Ordered: That the Auditors Report so severely condemnatory of our County Treasurers Book Keeping, your Treasurer be requested to report to this Council by noon tomorrow any difference he may have to offer

On motion of Mr Lutz read by Mr Ross Cllr  
Ordered: That a special Committee be appointed composed of the following members viz Drury Lutz Harvie Lufferin and Deum to take into consideration the propriety of passing a By Law