

Minutes of the June Session 1903

Council Hall Barrie June 9th 1903

The Council met according and pursuant to adjournment at the call of the Warden from the special session in April the Warden in the chair

All members present except Councillor Fraser

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed

The Warden addressed the Council in his usual eloquent and lucid manner and congratulated the Council on the very sound financial condition of the county and in a terse and concise manner laid before them some of the business that they will have to deal with

The Warden presented the following documents, Account of Wm. Presentation of Grand Jury, communications from James Mills President of the Agricultural College, com from Collegiate Institute of which communication from the Minister of Education re Grants to schools Communication from Douglas Grant com from Grant & Grant

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Leatherdale and ordered that the several documents now before the Council be referred to their respective committees

Report of Governor Sessions, Report from the County Clerk re Arbitration of County Roads,

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered that the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of rebuilding two bridges over Pretty River and one bridge over Batteau Creek in County Roads in Township of Nottawasaga

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered that the Education Committee consider the advisability of instructing the Treasurer to pay the Trustees of the Collingwood Collegiate Institute the sum of \$150⁰⁰ balance due them as supplement (payable by the County) to the Regulators Grant for the years, 1900, 1901 and 1902

Moved by Mr. Wells and seconded by Mr. Dunlan and ordered that Mr. Goodfellow an ex inmate of the County House of Refuge be granted a hearing before this council before the adjournment to day.

Mr. Goodfellow was then introduced and addressed the Council complaining of the treatment of inmates in the House of Refuge

Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Dr. Wells that the Warden name a special committee of three outside of the House of Refuge Committee to investigate the charges made by Mr. Goodfellow

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Sloane as an amendment

that the House of Refuge Committee be instructed to take a statutory declaration from Mr. Goodfellow containing his complaints against the management of the House of Refuge, and to investigate into the charges and any other charges that may be made and report to this Council

The amendment was put and declared carried

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Sloane and ordered that the Council go into the Committee of the Whole re equalization with Mr. Jupp in the chair

The Committee of the Whole rose and reported progress and ask leave to sit again

Moved by Mr. Quinlan and seconded by Dr. Wells and ordered that the Committee on Roads and Bridges be requested to consider the advisability of recommending a grant ^{to build bridge} over Willow Creek on the 5th Concession line of Veepra

Moved by Mr. Thorpe and seconded by Emerson and ordered that this Council do now adjourn until 7.30 pm this evening

Council Chamber
Barrie June 1st 1903

Evening Session

The Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the Chair

All members present except Councillor Fraser

The Warden presented the following documents, communication from Central Simcoe Farmers Institute with financial statement account Bell Telephone Company, Account Philip Love
Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Dr. Wells and ordered
That the several documents now before the Council be referred to their respective committees

Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
That the Council go into the Committee of the whole re equalization with Mr. Jupp in the chair

The Committee of the whole on Equalization of Assessment rose and reported recommending that the equalized assessment of the municipalities within the County for County purposes be the amounts indicated in Schedule A hereto annexed
Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Bruce and ordered
That the Report of the Committee of the whole on Equalization of Assessment be adopted

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Leathardale and ordered That this Council do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning

R. Murphy
Warden

Council Chamber
Barrie June 2nd 1903

The Council met 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, Account G.G. Smith communication from Salvation Army, Notice of Motion re Arbitration of roads in Midont

Moved by Mr. Wright and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered

That the several documents now before the Council be referred to their respective committees

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered

That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of rebuilding and repairing 5 bridges on County Roads in the Township of Ellos, namely bridge over Nottawasaga River, and Marl Creek, concession, Elrick Creek and 2nd river side road 5+6 and bridge over Ferris Creek concession 9

Moved by Mr. Hammell and seconded by Mr. George and ordered
That leave of absence be granted to Councillor Fraser for Monday's session

Moved by Mr. Wright and seconded by Mr. Grawley and ordered
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of appointing Mr. Short Manager of the Bank of British North America at Midland as representative of this Council on the Hospital Board of the Midland and Penetanguishene Hospital

Moved by Dr. Wells and seconded by Mr. Campbell and ordered
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of subdividing the Eastern Division Re County Roads,

Moved by Mr. Quinlan and seconded by Dr. Wells and ordered
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges be requested to consider the advisability of recommending the renewal of grant No 7 report No 9 January session 1901 and grant No 7 report No 8 June session 1899

Moved by Mr. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Bruce and ordered
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability

of making the usual annual grants of \$250⁰⁰ each to the Royal Victoria Hospital Barrie and the Collingwood General and Marine Hospital
Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
That this Council do now adjourn until 7 o'clock this evening

Evening Session 7 pm
The Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the Chair
All members present

The Warden presented the following documents
account from J. D. Robinson, Gavard & Watson, Braileys and Devlin, Victoria Industrial School, W. H. Ellis and
communications from Amos Train and Clerk of Adyala
Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
That the several documents now before the Council be referred to their respective committees

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

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Sloane and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report of County Auditors re Land Tax sale

Report of Gaol Surgeon

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered
That the Council visit and inspect the House of Refuge in a body and that the chairman of said committee make the necessary arrangements as to date and report

Moved by Mr. Quinlan and seconded by Mr. Bruce and ordered
That Mr. Fraser chairman of Finance be appointed a committee to proceed to Toronto to complete arrangements for the sale of debentures now offered by the County

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
That this Council do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning

R. Murphy
Warden

Council Chambers
Barrie June 3rd 1903

The Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the chair
All members present

The minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed

The Warden presented the following document

Communication from his honour Judge Ardagh

Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Campbell and ordered That the several documents now before the Council be referred to their respective committees

Report No. 1 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 2 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by D. Wells and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of making the usual grant of \$25⁰⁰ to the West Simcoe Ploughman's Association

Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Martin and ordered
That the Committee on Finance consider the advisability of making the usual grant of \$25⁰⁰ to the North, South, East, West and Centre Simcoe Farmers Institute

Moved by Mr. Hammell and seconded by Mr. Graham and ordered
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of making the usual grant of \$25⁰⁰ to the Leamington and Adyala Ploughman's Associations

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Whitesides and ordered
That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of increasing the salary of J. W. Matthews caretaker of three bridges over Mad river on Townline, Sunnyside and Loverside

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered

That the Committee on Finance consider the advisability of granting the sum of \$25⁰⁰ to the Glos Ploughman's Association

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by D. Wells and ordered
That this Council do now adjourn until 7.30 pm this evening

Council Chamber Barrie
June 3rd 03

Evening Session

Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the chair

All members present

The Warden Presented the following documents

Accounts of Moore re Court House and Gaol, J G Scott
J Sessions, Communications from Clerk Legislative Assembly
J C Rose Clerk of Orolta Township, Clerk of Penetanguishene

All Beardsley

Moved by Mr. Wright and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the several documents now before the Council be referred
to their respective committees

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

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Heathdale and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Harvie and ordered
that the Clerk of this ^{Council} be authorized to procure from
Mess^{rs} McCarthy Boys and Murcheson all papers and
documents now in their possession and which were
in the possession of our late Collectors Mess^{rs} McCarthy
Pepler & McCarthy as County documents the same to
be placed in the Treasurers office by the Clerk for
future reference by members of this Council and to
be on file when required

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by W. Wells and ordered
that we send greetings to the Press Association of the
County of Simcoe who meet in convention in Barrie
on the 4th inst and invite them to make use of the
public rooms of the Court House

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Whitesides and ordered
that County Councillor S M Wells be and he is hereby
authorized to countersign such cheques as may require
to be issued by the Treasurer for payments on account
of the improvement of County Roads for the years 1903
and 1904 and that all cheques for such payments be
issued by the Treasurer upon a special form
supplied to him by this Council for that purpose

Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Thorpe and ordered
that this Council do now adjourn and stand adjourned
until 7 pm tomorrow evening

R. Murphy
Warden

Council Chamber

Barrie June 4 1903

Council met 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

Accounts, Bell Telephone Company, County Printers
Clerk of Adjala, Communications from the Officers
of the 3 Companies of Simcoe County of the 36 Battalion
Communication from Chal Dunn, Statement West Simcoe
Ploughmans Association

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Emerson and ordered
that the several documents now before the Council be referred
to their respective Committees

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

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered

that the Report now read be adopted

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

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Leavley and ordered

that the Report now read be adopted

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

Moved by Mr. Guenlau and seconded by D. Wells 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. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Martin and ordered

that the Report now read be adopted

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

that the Finance Committee consider the advisability

of recommending that a grant of \$100⁰⁰ be made for this year to the County Treasurer for additional assistance required owing to the extra work involved in keeping the County Roads accounts.

Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Martin and ordered that the Committee on Education consider the advisability of making a grant of \$25⁰⁰ each to the North, South and East Simcoe Teachers Associations.

Moved by Mr. Sloane and seconded by Mr. Thorpe and ordered that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of making a grant of \$25⁰⁰ to the Innisfil Ploughmen's Association.

Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered that the Committee on Roads and Bridges take it into their consideration the advisability of building 3 bridges opposite lots 17 & 18 on Concession 5 North Orillia, also one bridge over Silver Creek on Concession 5 South Orillia, also one bridge opposite lot 2 Townline Medonte and Orillia also one bridge opposite lot 5 Townline Matchedash and Tay.

Moved by Mr. Hawley and seconded by Mr. Leathendale and ordered that the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of building one bridge on lot 48 Townline Plos and Medonte, one bridge between lots 55 and 56 on the 1st Concession Medonte over Sturgeon River, one bridge side line 14 and 15 on the 3rd Concession over Sturgeon River, one bridge on lot 16th on the 11th Concession over Rockbrook River, one bridge on lot 16 on the 10th Concession over the Cold Water River, one bridge Townline Medonte and Tay 3rd Concession over Hog River, one bridge on lot 6, 4th Concession Medonte, one bridge 8th Concession Townline Tay and Medonte, one bridge on Sturgeon Bay River lake shore lot 18 Concession 8 on Sturgeon Bay Road.

Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Hawley and ordered that Rule 5th be suspended for today June the 14th Session in order that money grants may be received.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Graham and ordered that the Council go into the Committee of the whole with the Warden in the Chair in order to allow Mr. Robinson

agent of the Sawyer Massey Company to address the Council.

Mr. Robinson addressed the Council and explained the working of the different steam rollers sold by the Sawyer Massey Company.

The Committee rose and the Council resumed business.

Moved by Dr. Wells and seconded by Mr. Campbell and ordered that the Committee on County Property be requested to consider the advisability of arranging with the Board of Works of the Town of Barrie for the construction of a cement walk from Mulcaster street Barrie to the Registry office in front of the County property.

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Bruce and ordered that this Council do now adjourn until 9:30 tomorrow morning.

R. Murphy
Warden

Council Chamber
Barrie June 5th 1903

The Council met 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.

Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Sloane and ordered that the document now before the council be referred to its Committee.

Report no 4 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read.

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered that the Report now read be adopted.

Moved by Mr. Whitesides and seconded by Mr. Thorpe and ordered that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the chairman of the

House of Refuge Committee the sum of \$15.35 as railway fares to Beeton, for members of this Council on their visit to inspect farm and Industrial Home.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Leathendale and ordered that the County Property Committee consider the advisability of

supplying new book shelves and fittings for the main room of the Registry Office.

of Deputation from the Township of Tay and Town of

Midland composed of the following gentlemen J.A. Eblett
of Victoria Harbour W.S. Dunlop of Midland, Geo Taylor
of Melville, James Robinson, Councillor Wilson George Elliott
James Elliott, Robert Belfry and James Duncan of the Township
of Tay were heard with regard to the designation of the County
roads within the Township of Tay.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered
that the matters brought before the Council by the delegation
be referred to the Roads and Bridges Committee.

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered
that this Council do adjourn until 7:30 pm this evening.

Evening Session 7:30 pm

Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the chair

All members present

The Warden presented the following documents

Petition of George Botham, Communication, Sheriff Drury
Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the several documents now before the Council be referred
to their respective committees.

Report no 7 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Bruce and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 1 Standing Committee on the House of Refuge was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Hammell and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 8 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Campbell and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report of Inspector M. Kee

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that when this Council adjourns this week it stands adjourned
until the 15th day of June then to meet in the Council Chamber
Penitentiary Building at 2 pm.

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Hammell and ordered
that the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the

advisability of limiting the drawing powers of each
Municipality from the Good Roads appropriation as fixed by
this Council in its last January session to a sum not exceeding
one quarter the said sum so appropriated to each Municipality
of this County.

Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Thorpe and ordered
that this Council adjourn until nine o'clock tomorrow
morning.

R. Murphy
Warden

Council Chamber

Barrie, June 6th 1903

Council met 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

Financial Statement with Senior Teachers Association
Communication Clerk of Melville

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Bravley and ordered
that the several documents now before the Council be referred
to their respective Committees.

Report No 2 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Harve and seconded by Mr. Weatherdale and ordered

that the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 3 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered

that the report now read be adopted.

Report No 4 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. ~~Emerson~~^{Whitelock} and ordered

that the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 5 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Dr. Wells and ordered

that the Report now read be adopted.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Whitelock and ordered

that leave be granted to introduce a By-Law respecting
arbitrations between this Corporation and the Townships

Councils of Ezra, Sudondale, Midonite and Adyala
and that the By-Law presented herewith be read a first time
By-Law read a first time

Moved by Mr. Dunlan and seconded by Mr. Graham 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. Leatherdale and seconded by Mr. Martin 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. Shrawley and seconded by Dr. Wells 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

Moved by Mr. Spurr and seconded by Mr. Hammell and ordered
that the Committee on Finance consider the advisability of appointing
a special committee to inquire into the reasons that this corporation
does not receive any interest on the moneys on deposit in the
Bank of Toronto Barrie to the credit of this County

Report No. 3 Standing Committee Roads & Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Greer and seconded by Mr. Whitelock and ordered
that this Council do now adjourn until 3 pm this afternoon

Afternoon Session 3 pm

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

All members present

Report No. 14 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered

that the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 5 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 6 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Thorpe and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 7 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Dr. Wells and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Hammell and seconded by Mr. Greer and ordered
that this Council do now adjourn

*V. Murphy
Warden*

*Penetanguishene
June 15th 1903*

Council met in the Penetanguishene Council Chamber
pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

All members present except Councillor Wells

The Warden presented the following documents
Accounts Hewson & Brewster, Wilkes & Brew, Mail & Empire
Communications from, W. Sloddart, G.W. Robins, Mary
Hewson, J.E. Fairwell. See Eastern Ontario Good Roads
Association.

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the several documents now before the Council be
referred to their respective committees

Report of J. L. Morgan P.S.I

Treasurer's Report re Receipts and Expenditure

Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Thorpe and ordered
that this Council do now adjourn until 7.30 pm

Evening Session 7.30 pm

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

All members present except Councillor Wells

The Warden presented the following documents

Accounts Meekle, Dymond & Son, Walter Scott

Communications from, The Clerk of Penetanguishene
John McKee, Thos Caldwell, Surveyor of the Gaol

Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Graham and ordered
that the several documents now before the Council be referred
to their respective committees.

Report no 2 Standing Committee on the House of Refuge was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Hammell and seconded by Mr. Thorpe and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report no 3 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Whitesides and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

County Clerks Report re Auctioneers & Peddlars Licenses
Moved by Mr. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Harvie and ordered
that the Committee on Finance take into their consideration
the advisability of amending By-Law No 611 by inserting
a clause in said By-Law compelling the Person in
charge of said House of Refuge to reside in the Village
of Beeton and report at this session of the Council.

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered
that the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the
advisability of making arrangements for building
snow fences on County Roads.

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Harvie and ordered
that this Council do now adjourn until 10 o'clock
tomorrow morning.

R. Murphy
Warden

Penitanguishene
June 16th 1903

The Council met 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

Account County Clerk, Statement of South West Simcoe
Teachers Institute.

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the several documents now before this Council be referred
to their respective Committees.

Report no 3 Standing Committee on the House of Refuge with the
accompanying By-Law was presented and read.

Moved by Mr. Hammell and seconded Mr. Thorpe 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. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Whitesides 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. Thorpe and seconded by Mr. Hammell 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. Hammell and seconded by Mr. Jupp 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. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Martin and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report no 5 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report no 6 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report no 7 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report no 8 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Whitesides and ordered
that the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 5 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 6 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Campbell and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted.

Moved by Mr. Quinlan and seconded by Mr. Hammell and ordered
That the Committee on Legislation be requested to consider the
advisability of recommending that a petition be presented to
the Legislative Assembly praying that the Act for the Improvement
of Public Highways be so amended as to give control of the
Statute labor on lands fronting on County Roads to the
County Councils.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered
that the Committee on Legislation be asked to report on
the effect of the County Councils Act 1903 and make such
recommendations as they think advisable regarding the
same.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered
that Rule 57 of this Council be suspended for this week,
Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
that the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability
of recommending a grant of \$2000⁰⁰ to improve First Street
and Lake Shore Road west of Hurontario Street Hollingswood,
Moved by Mr. Quinlan and seconded by Mr. Bruce and ordered
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges be requested to
consider the advisability of recommending that grants
be made for the improvement of roads in the rural sections
of the Towns and incorporated villages where such roads are
a continuation of County Roads.

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered
that the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the
advisability of appointing James Irwin caretaker of Bridge
over Nottawasaga River on County Road 4th Concession Township
of Glos.

Moved by Mr. Sloane and seconded by Mr. Graham and ordered
that the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the
advisability of appointing Supervisors on the County
Roads.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Thorpe and ordered
that this Council do now adjourn until 7 o'clock this
evening.

Evening Session 7pm

Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the chair

All members present

The Warden presented the following documents

Accounts John Lummis, Sunnidale Arbitration account
Communications, County Publishers Association, Clerk of
Sunnidale, M. J. Bassery, Trustees S.S. No 5 Glos.

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Harvie and ordered
that the several documents now before the Council be referred
to their respective committees.

Report No 15 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented
and read.

Moved by Mr. Quinlan Whiteides and seconded by Mr. Whiteides
and ordered on the following division. That the Report now
read be adopted, Yeas, Bruce, Campbell, Emerson

Graham, Harvie, Hammell, Martin, Quinlan, Whiteides
Wright, Wells, Nays, Fraser, Frawley, Sloane, Thorpe

Report No 16 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented
and read.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Emerson and ordered on
the following division. That the Report now read be adopted
Yeas, Bruce, Campbell, Emerson, Graham, Martin, Quinlan
Whiteides, Wright and Wells, Nays, Fraser, Frawley, Harvie
Hammell, Sloane, Thorpe

Report No 17 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Sloane and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 18 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Harvie and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted.

Report No 19 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 1 Standing Committee on Finance was presented & read
Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Dr. Wells and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 12 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Wright and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 13 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
Moved by Dr. Wells and seconded by Mr. Bruce and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 14 Standing Committee on Finance was presented & read
Moved by Mr. Whitesides and seconded by Dr. Wells. That
That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Sloane and seconded by Mr. Bruce as an amendment
That the Report be amended by striking out the words after the
word "recommend" in the said report and substituting the
words "That the usual grant of \$25⁰⁰ to each of the said Institutes
and associations be made,

The Amendment was put and declared carried on the
following division, Yes, Bruce, Campbell, Emerson, Fraser
Strawley, Graham, Harvie, Hammill, Jupp, Leatherdale
Martin, Sloane, Thorpe, Nays, Dunlan, Whitesides, Wells

Report No 8 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Dunlan and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 3 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 6 Standing Committee on Education was presented & read
Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Whitesides and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Wright and ordered
That leave be given to introduce a By-Law to Authorize
the Warden and Treasurer to borrow on Promisory notes the
sum of \$40000⁰⁰ to meet the current expenditure of this
Corporation for the current year and that said By-Law
be read a first time

By-Law read a first time

Moved by Mr. Leatherdale and seconded by Dr. Wells and ordered
That the By-Law now read a first time be read a second time
By-Law read a second time

Moved by Dr. Wells and seconded by Mr. Leatherdale
That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Emerson in amendment
That the By-Law be amended by inserting the words and figures
fifty thousand dollars (\$5,000⁰⁰) instead of (\$4,000⁰⁰) Forty
thousand dollars wherever they occur in the said By-Law

and that the By-Law as amended be read a third time
The Amendment was put and declared carried on the following
division Yes, Bruce, Campbell, Emerson, Graham, Harvie
Hammill, Jupp, Leatherdale, Dunlan, Thorpe, Nays
Fraser, Strawley, Martin, Sloane, Whitesides, Wright, Wells
By-Law as amended read a third time

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Campbell 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 1 Standing Committee on Railways and Canals was
presented and read

Moved by Mr. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Bruce and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 19 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was
presented and read and laid on the table until the next
session of the Council

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered
That this Council do now adjourn until 8 pm next
Thursday evening in this Hall

P. Campbell
Warden

Penetanguoshene
June 18th 1903

Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the chair

All members present

The minutes of the last session were read and confirmed

Report No 19 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges which was laid on the table on previous session was presented and read moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Emerson That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Sloane and seconded by Mr. Graham in amendment That the Report be laid over for further consideration until the November session

Moved by Mr. Whitesides and seconded by Mr. Sharpe as an amendment to the Amendment That the Report be laid over until tomorrow Session

The Amendment to the Amendment was put and declared carried

Moved by Mr. Hammell and seconded by Mr. Fraser and ordered That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of appointing an Arbitrator re the designation of County roads in Leamington

Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Jupp and ordered That the Committee on Roads and Bridges take into their consideration the advisability of granting the sum of \$4000⁰⁰ to build two bridges over the Severn River known as the Bennett and Wasdell Bridges

Moved by Mr. Whitesides and seconded by Mr. Sharpe and ordered That the Council do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning

R. Jupp

Warden

Penetanguoshene
June 19th 1903

Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the chair

All members present except Councillor Wells

The minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed

Report No 19 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges which was laid on the table on the previous session was presented and read and again laid on the table until the next session

Report No 9 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Graham and seconded by Mr. Emerson

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Martin in amendment That the Report be laid on the table until the next session

The Amendment was put and declared carried

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

Moved by Mr. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Whitesides 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. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Martin 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. Martin and seconded by Mr. Bruce 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. Jupp and seconded by Mr. Martin 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

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

That this Council make a grant of \$8⁰⁰ to A. McLaughlin caretaker of this Council Chamber for services during this session and that rule 58 be suspended for this purpose

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

That leave of absence be granted to Councillor Wells for todays session

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Fraser and ordered
That this Council desires to express its appreciation of the
Courtesy of the Mayor and Council of the Town of Penetanguishene
in placing at our disposal for this session their Council Chamber
and rooms and for the many other acts of kindness and
hospitality extended to us during our stay.

It was moved by Mr. Fraser and seconded by Mr. Whitesides and ordered
That this Council express their thanks and appreciation to
the Warden and ex Warden Wright for the pleasant and
enjoyable trip up the Lakes.

Moved by Mr. Dunlop and seconded by Mr. Whitesides and ordered
That this Council do now adjourn at the call of the Warden

P. Murphy
Warden

Council Chamber 619
Barrie July 20th 1903

Council met according and pursuant to adjournment at
the call of the Warden
The Warden in the Chair.

All members present except councillor Martin.

The minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed
The Warden presented the following documents

Communications from the Lt. Governor of Ontario, J.A. St. L. M. & Co.
Arbitrators Awards of the Townships of Essa, Adjala & Fredonite

Accounts from H.H. Otton G.M.W. Telegraph Co., Bell Telephone Co.

Dr. W.H. Wright and John Wilson

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Jepp and ordered
That the several documents now before the Council be referred
to their respective committees.

Moved by Mr. Bruce and seconded by Mr. Emerson and ordered
That the Services Committee consider the recommendation
of a grant to the West Simcoe Women's Institute.

Moved by Mr. Campbell and seconded by Dr. Wells and ordered
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges take into their
consideration the advisability of preparing a By-Law
for the appointment of and duties of suitable persons to be
appointed as Road Overseers on the roads designated
in the County of Simcoe in the different Divisions within
the limits of this County.

Moved by Mr. Hammill and seconded by Mr. Fraser and ordered
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the
advisability of granting the sum of \$800⁰⁰ for building
bridge and improving County Road between lots 5 & 6
Concession 10 Township of Leamington.

Report No 19 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges which
had been laid on the table on the previous session was
presented and laid on the table until next session.

Report no 9 Standing Committee on County Property which
had been laid on the table at the previous session was
presented and again laid on the table until the next session.

Reeve Goodere and Clerk Kelly of Adjala were heard with
regard to the Award re the Designation of County Roads within
the Township of Adjala.

Moved by Mr. Jepp and seconded by Mr. Whitesides and ordered
That the Question of the Award of Adjala be referred