

February 8th 1908

The Council met according to adjournment
 The Warden in the chair
 All members present except Councillors, Harvie, Giffatt, Caldwell, Cramp, J. Mitchell, Gordon, Cunningham & Saunders
 The minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed
 Report No 20 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Lawson and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 21 Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying By-Law was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Crisp 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. Richd Bell and seconded by Mr. Brown 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. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Grosse 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. Crisp and seconded by Mr. Wood 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 31 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Leach and seconded by Mr. Shaw and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 2 Standing Committee on Railways & Canals was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Woodrow and seconded by Mr. M^r. Dermott and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. M^r. Dermott and ordered
 That this Council authorize the Chairman of the standing Committee on County Property to make any necessary repairs required in the Council Chamber or Committee rooms and the Treasurer be instructed to make payment of such repairs not exceeding \$50⁰⁰ on the order of the Chairman of the County Property Committee and that rule no 66 be suspended for this purpose
 Moved by Mr. J. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Woodrow and ordered
 That leave of absence be granted to Councillors, Harvie, Giffatt, Caldwell, Cramp, J. Mitchell, Gordon & Cunningham for today's session
 Moved by Mr. Jaehel and seconded by Mr. Ingram and ordered
 That the name of James Stafford be added on the Railways and Canals Committee
 Moved by Mr. Richd Bell and seconded by Mr. Leach and ordered
 That Councillor Jardines name be added to the Special Committee

re equalization of assessment
 Moved by Mr. Richd Bell and seconded by Mr. Simpson and ordered
 That this Council do now adjourn until Tuesday the 19th day of May next then to meet in this Council Chamber at 2 o'clock in the afternoon

R. J. Fletcher
Clerk

D. C. Barr

May 19th 1908

The Council met according to adjournment
 The Warden in the chair
 The Clerk announced that since the January session of this Council an election was held in the lately incorporated Village of Coldwater when Mr. S. G. Millard was elected Reeve and that necessary papers of election were filed in his office,
 All members present except Councillor
 The minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed
 The Warden presented the following documents which were read
 Petition of A. R. Graham & others, 66 Communications from the Secretaries of the several Public Schools situated in the Inspectorate of South Simcoe, M^r. Cartwright & Sons & Murchison, Bell Telephone Company
 Financial Statement Barrie Board of Education, Accounts, Walter Rawson
 Northern Advance, Canadian Road Machinery Co., Walter Scott
 Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the Deputation from East-Gwillimbury be heard regarding a grant voted by this Council in 1906 for a Bridge over the East Branch of the Holland River
 Mr. John Smith Reeve of East-Gwillimbury and W. Hill Deputy Reeve of East-Gwillimbury were introduced and addressed the Council in connection with said Bridge
 Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Woodrow and ordered
 That Councillor Millard's name be added to the Roads & Bridges and Education Committees
 Moved by Mr. Giffatt and seconded by Mr. Cramp and ordered
 That the Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the advisability of rebuilding Eastern Approach to the Peppers Bridge between the Counties of Simcoe and Ontario, half the cost to be paid by the County of Ontario
 Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of granting the Worsley River Telephone Co. the right to erect and maintain a Telephone line on such County Roads in Postlawrence

as such company may desire,
 Moved by Mr. Hildyard and seconded by Councillor Mackenzie & ordered
 That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of recommending
 that the Village of Colborne as a place for holding Entrance Examinations
 Moved by Mr. Cook and seconded by Mr. Faulina and ordered
 That the name of W.B. Sanders be added to the Roads & Bridges and
 Finance Committees
 Moved by Mr. Vair and seconded by Mr. Caldwell and ordered
 That the Roads and Bridges Committee take into their consideration
 the advisability of recommending a grant of three hundred
 dollars towards cutting down Herrington's Hill to be done in
 connection the work and cash volunteered by the ratepayers of
 the Township of Oro
 Moved by Mr. Potts and seconded by Mr. Moore
 That the Council do now adjourn until 10 O'clock tomorrow morning
 Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Wood in amendment -
 That the Council do now adjourn until 7 O'clock this evening
 The amendment was put and declared lost -
 The original motion was then put and declared carried -

D. C. Barr
 Warden

Council Chamber Barrie
 May 20th 1908

The Council met according to adjournment -
 The Warden in the Chair
 All members present except Councillors Coffey, Clarke & [unclear]
 The minutes of the last session were read and confirmed
 The Warden presented the following documents which were read -
 Petition from several ratepayers of Nepean, Petition from W. Birchholder and
 others, Communications, S.W. Evans, Sanctoris Royal Victoria Hospital
 C. G. Strange, Hospital Sick Children, Inspector of Prisons, Clerk of
 Sunnidale, Ontario Fruit Growers Association, Servants Alph. Lissin
 W. Johnson, Geo. M. Givie, W. E. King, Rice Lewis & Son, Chas. Dunn
 Victoria Industrial School, Alexandra Industrial School, C. W. P. K.
 Village of Creemore, R. C. Hughes
 Report No. 1 Special Committee Re Hilland River Bridge was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 2 Special Committee Re Hilland River Bridge was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. M. Conkey and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That the Report now read be referred to the Roads & Bridges Committee

Report No. 1 Special Committee Re Mr. Henson Bridge was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 1 Special Committee Re Van-Vlaek Bridge was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Cunningham and seconded by Mr. Leach and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 1 Special Committee Re Van-Vlaek Bridge was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Vair and seconded by Mr. Millard and ordered
 That the Report now read be referred to the Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges
 Report No. 1 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Shaw and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 2 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. M. Dermott and seconded by Mr. Mitchell
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Moved by Mr. Garden and seconded by Mr. Brown in amendment -
 That the Report now read be referred back to the Committee with instructions
 to report unfavourably on communication from Mr. Geo. R. Hurdson
 The amendment was put and declared lost on the following division
 Gross, Brown, Dundas, Garden, Goffatt, Gross, Jackel, Matthews, Millard, Mitchell, M.
 Mitchell, J. J., Moore, M. Conkey, Pierson, Potts, Stafford, Wood & Woodard, 17
 Vays, Wall, Barton, Bell, Cook, Bell, Cook, Caldwell, Copeland, Cunningham, Harvie,
 Ingham, Lawson, Leach, M. Dermott, M. Leach, Leach, Pottle, Sanders, Seaton,
 Simpson, Shaw, Sons, Vair, 20
 The original motion was then put and declared carried
 Report No. 3 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges with accompanying By-Law
 was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Matthews 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. M. Conkey 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. Dundas and seconded by Mr. Cook & Bell
 That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time
 Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. M. Mitchell in amendment -
 That the third reading of the By-Law be left over to the next meeting
 of this Council
 The amendment was put and declared carried unanimously on division
 Report No. 4 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Seaton and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 1 Special Committee Re Apparatus to Edenville Bridge was presented & read

Moved by Mr. Matthews and seconded by Mr. J. Mitchell and ordered
that the Report now read be referred to the Roads and Bridges Committee
Report No. 1 Special Committee re Equalization was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Morris and seconded by Mr. Goffatt.

That the Report now read be adopted
Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Garden in amendment
That the Report of Special Committee re Equalization be laid on the table
for further consideration

Six members rising requesting further consideration the Report
was laid on the table in compliance with Rule 51

Moved by Mr. Garden and seconded by Mr. Goffatt and ordered
that the Standing Committee on County Property be instructed to have
the Slog Staff removed to a point forty feet west of Court House
and lengthened twenty feet

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Cunningham and ordered
that leave of absence be granted to councillors Cramp, Black and
Coffey for yesterday and today's session

Moved by Mr. Dundas and seconded by Mr. Picotte and ordered
that the name of G. E. J. Reason be added to the Educational Committee

Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Stafford and ordered
that the Committee on Education consider the advisability of appointing
Victoria Harbor a place for holding Entrance examinations

Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Gardner and ordered
that the Finance Committee take into their consideration the advisability
of guaranteeing the debentures of the Loan of Puntanguishine as to
increased rate of interest on Debentures guaranteed by this Council
at the January Session

Moved by Mr. Sizer and seconded by Mr. Saunders and ordered
that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of guaranteeing
certain debentures of the Loan of Colliery Wood for the sum of \$5000⁰⁰

Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. J. Mitchell and ordered
that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of setting
apart \$5000⁰⁰ for County Roads and Bridges

Moved by Mr. Goss and seconded by Mr. W. Donkey and ordered
that the Standing Committee on Railways & Canals consider the advisability
of instructing the County Solicitor to notify the Board of Railway Commissioners
of the intention of the Grand Trunk Railway to construct a branch line
in the Township of Inuvik across the County Road and to request
the said Board to allow the County the privilege of being heard in regard
to the crossing of the Grand Trunk over the County Road

Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Potter and ordered
that the County Printer be instructed to have the Inspection
Report of the House of Refuge printed in the May and June
Sessions 1908

Moved by Mr. Matthews and seconded by Mr. M. Dermott and ordered
that the Council do now adjourn until 10 O'clock tomorrow morning

J. C. Barr
Warden

Council Chamber Room
May 21st 1908

The Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the Chair
All members present except councillor Coffey
The minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed
The Warden presented the following documents which were read
Communications: S. A. Armstrong, Inspector of Prisons, G. A. Radenhuus,
W. A. Hogg, Accounts, John Curry, C. W. Kitchin
Report No. 1 Re Equalization of Assessment which was laid on the table of yesterday's
session was presented and read

Moved by Mr. M. Dermott and seconded by Mr. Morris
That the Report now read be adopted
Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Caldwell in amendment
That the Report be amended by adding that we appoint two general assessors
one for the Urban and one for the Rural Municipalities to go over the
County with the Reeves as the Special Committee may direct and they together
to assess at an equitable assessment and report to this Council at the
June session and that the Report as amended be adopted

The amendment was put and declared carried on the following division
Yves, Bell, Barton, Brown, Caldwell, Black, Copeland, Cramp, Cunningham,
Garden, Goffatt, Goss, Ingram, Jardine, Jaekel, Lawson, Leah, Matthews,
Millard, Mitchell, J. M. Crookley, M. Lean, Pierce, Potter, Simpson,
Stafford, Shaw, Sizer, Varr, Woodrow, Yveys, Bell, Reek, Bell, Robt. Dundas,
Harvie, Morris, M. Dermott, Picotte, Saunders, Seaton, Wood
The By-Law re Waisy River Telephone Co which was read a second time at
yesterday's session was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Scanlon and seconded by Mr. Brown and ordered
that the By-Law respecting the Waisy River Telephone Co be amended by
adding thereto the following clauses, 10. That the said company shall not
amalgamate with, sell out to or in any way become a part of the Bell
Telephone Company system, or any like system under penalty of forfeiting
and losing the rights and privileges hereby granted, 11. That should
this or any Local Municipality desire at any time to take over the
System of said company, such company or any successor thereof
shall not be entitled to any compensation or allowance for or in
respect of the right or privilege given or granted under this By-Law

and that the By-Law as so amended be read a third time.
 910 By-Law read a third time
 Moved by Mr. Seaton and seconded by Mr. Brown 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 Finance with accompanying By-Law was
 presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Seaton 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. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Grose 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. Seaton and seconded by Mr. Copeland and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time
 911 By-Law read a third time
 Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Seaton 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 was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Jaekel and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 3 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Grose and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 4 Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying By-Law
 was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Seaton 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. Bell and seconded by Mr. Grose 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. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Copeland and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time
 912 By-Law read a third time
 Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Seaton 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. 5 Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying By-Law
 was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Sanders 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. Brown and seconded by Mr. Vain 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. Vain and seconded by Mr. Garden and ordered
 That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time
 913 By-Law read a third time
 Moved by Mr. Jaekel and seconded by Mr. Jardine 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. Seaton and seconded by Mr. Sours and ordered
 That the Council do now adjourn unto one thirty, this afternoon

Afternoon Session

The Council met according to adjournment
 The Warden in the Chair
 Report No. 5 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Patten and seconded by Mr. W. Mitchell and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 6 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Launingham and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No. 7 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Shaw and seconded by Mr. McLean
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Clark in amendment
 That the Report be referred back to the Committee for further
 Consideration.
 The amendment was put and declared carried on the following
 division: Vyas, Bell, Rick, Bell, Pitt, Brown, Caldwell, Clark, Copeland,
 Grooms, Harrington, D. White, Groves, Harvie, Higgins,
 Jardine, Jaekel, Law, Lawson, Leach, Matthew, Miller, J. White, J.
 Moore, M. Godfrey, M. Dermott, M. Lean, P. White, P. White,
 Sanders, Simpson, Stafford, Jones, Wood, Woodrow, Grooms,
 Ball, Barton, Giffat, Millard, Seaton, Shaw, Sours, Vain, Vain,
 Report No. 8 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and
 Moved by Mr. M. Dermott and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered
 That the Report be laid on the table until next June session
 and that in the meantime notice be placed on said bridge
 warning the public that if they travel over same they do so
 at their own risk.

Report No 1 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Deau and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 2 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Bell and seconded by Mr. Harris and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 3 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Matthews and seconded by Mr. Jackel and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 1 Standing Committee on Education was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Clark and seconded by Mr. Mullool and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 2 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Goffatt and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 3 Standing Committee on Education was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Harse and seconded by Mr. Scanlon and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

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

Report No 2 Standing Committee on the House of Refuge was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Barton and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 3 Standing Committee on the House of Refuge was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Polth and seconded by Mr. Law and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 4 Standing Committee on the House of Refuge was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Jones and seconded by Mr. Dennis and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 5 Standing Committee on the House of Refuge was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Polth and seconded by Mr. Goffatt and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 1 Special Committee Re History of the County of Simcoe
 was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Scanlon and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 2 Special Committee Re Edenvale Bridge was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Matthews and seconded by Mr. J. J. Mitchell and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 9 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Gardine and seconded by Mr. Potter and ordered
 that the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Cunningham & ordered
 that the Special Grant of \$1000.00 passed by this Council in

the November and December Session 1906 towards the construction of an
 Hospital in the Town of Orlia be now paid over to the Orlia Hospital
 Board as the Hospital is now ready to be opened

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

that the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges be instructed to prepare
 a By-Law designating certain streets in the Town and Villages on
 which to expend their Good Roads appropriation the same to be
 connecting links with the County Good Roads System and on
 its final passing by this Council to have it forwarded to the Department
 of Public Works for approval

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

that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending
 a grant of \$500.00 to the Orlia Hospital the said sum being the usual
 annual grant paid to Hospitals in the County. The said Orlia Hospital
 will be opened on the 28th of May

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

that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending
 the usual grant of \$500.00 to the Collingwood General and Marine
 Hospital

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

that the Special Committee re Equalization of Assessment consider
 the advisability of recommending the appointment of W. M. Lockhart
 of the Town of Alliston as the representative for the Urban Municipalities
 to assist the Revers equalizing the assessment of same

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

that the Special Committee re Equalization of Assessment consider the
 advisability of recommending the appointment of Mr. J. H. Henderson
 of Orlia as one of the assessors to accompany the Revers in making
 the assessment of the Towns in the County, operations to commence at
 once, salary to be \$4.00 per day and expenses

Moved by Mr. Matthews and seconded by Mr. J. J. Mitchell and ordered

that the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of having
 a covering of short plank of some good wearing material on
 Edenvale Bridge for driveway and also to have the railing ^{of said bridge} ~~of said bridge~~ ^{of said bridge} ~~of said bridge~~
 and painted

Moved by Mr. M. E. Dermott and seconded by Mr. Brown and ordered

that the Committee re Equalization consider the advisability of
 recommending the appointment of Amos Trainor as a County
 Valuator

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

that the Special Committee re Equalization consider the advisability
 of recommending the appointment of Samuel Martin of Bradford
 as Special Assessor for the Urban Municipalities

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

That the Special Committee re Equalization of Assessment consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of Mr W. J. Gray of the Town of Collingwood as one of the Urban Assessors

Moved by Mr. Millard and seconded by Mr. Gordon and ordered

That the Standing Committee on County Property consider the advisability of recommending a further grant of £200⁰⁰ to enlarge dock up in the Incorporated Village of Coldwater, the same being found insufficient for holding Court and Council meetings

Moved by Mr. Jardine and seconded by Mr. Leach and ordered

That the Special Committee re Equalization consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of Mr. John McFee of the Township of Wollawauga as assessor for the Rural Municipalities

Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Vair and ordered

That the name of Alex Brumler be considered by the Equalization Committee as assessor in Towns and Villages

Moved by Mr. Ingram and seconded by Mr. Jackel and ordered

That the Special Committee on Equalization consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of Mr. Frank Weston of Millard as Assessor to assist the Reeves in Towns and Villages

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

That the Committee on Equalization of Assessment consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of Mr Joseph Wright of Beeton as assessor for the Towns and Villages

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

That the Special Committee on Equalization consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of Mr John Shaw as assessor to assist the Reeves in the Rural Municipalities

Moved by Mr. Copeland and seconded by Mr. Peattie and ordered

That the Special Committee on Equalization consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of Mr J. H. Corbace of Penetanguishua as assessor for the County for Urban Municipalities

Moved by Mr. Vair and seconded by Mr. Gordon and ordered

That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending the usual grant of 500⁰⁰ to the Royal Victoria Hospital of Barrie

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

That Engineer Jupp be now heard as to his recommendations and suggestions as to Good Roads within the County

Engineer Jupp then addressed the Council in connection with Good Roads system

Moved by Mr. Ingram and seconded by Mr. Jackel and ordered

That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending the usual grant to the Midland and

Penetanguishua Hospital

Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. McDermott and ordered

That the Standing Committee on County Property consider the advisability of installing a steam heating ^{plant} in the County Goal Contract to be let by tender and cost not to exceed \$1400⁰⁰. The excavating and cement work to be done by power labor

Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. J. H. Metcalf and ordered

That the Committee re Equalization of Assessment be instructed to select assessors for taking values throughout the County this Council to abide by their selection and to report at next meeting of this Council

Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Goffett and ordered

That the Council do now adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning

W. C. Barr

Warden

Council Chamber Barrie

May 22nd 1908

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

All members present except Councillor Coffey

The minutes of the last session were read and confirmed

The Warden presented the following document which was read, Communication from the County Solicitor

Report No 6 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Seaton and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 7 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Seaton and seconded by Mr. Lawson and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 8 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 9 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges which was referred back to the Committee for further consideration was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Jones and seconded by Mr. Dundas and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

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

Moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Sanders

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Cramp and seconded by Mr. Goffett in amendment

That the Report be amended by striking out the names of Councillors

Goffatt, Coomb and Cunningham and inserting the name of W.H. Jupp and that the Report as amended be adopted
 The amendment was put and declared carried
 Report No 1 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. J. J. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 4 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Robt. Bell and seconded by Mr. McLean and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 5 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. McLean and seconded by Mr. Harvie and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 6 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Jordan and seconded by Mr. Jardine and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 1 Standing Committee on Paving was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Dawson and seconded by Mr. Sanders and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 2 Special Committee Re Equalization of Assessment was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. Goffatt and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 3 Special Committee Re Equalization of Assessment was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Jardine and seconded by Mr. Moore and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Mc Dermott and ordered
 That leave be granted to introduce a By Law appointing Assessment Commissioners and that the By Law presented herewith be read a first time
 By Law read a first time
 Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. Jardine 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. Grose and seconded by Mr. Moore 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. Robt. Bell and seconded by Mr. Goffatt 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. Law and seconded by Mr. Grose and ordered
 That a Special Committee composed of the Warden Councillors Moors Brown and Seanlon be and they are hereby appointed for the purpose of conferring with the County Solicitors as to the judgment of the County Judge re Kirkpatrick Bridge with full power to

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take such steps and give such instructions as to appeal or otherwise from such judgment as such Committee may deem advisable
 Moved by Mr. J. J. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Woodrow and ordered
 That the Committee on County Property consider the advisability of placing an iron grate door at the main entrance of the Gaol
 Moved by Mr. Seanlon and seconded by Mr. Copsland and ordered
 That the Committee on Legislation consider the advisability of recommending that a copy of the Ontario Statutes for 1907 and 1908 be procured for the use of the Council
 Moved by Mr. Davi and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered
 That Councillor Goffey be granted leave of absence for this session on account of illness
 Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. McLean and ordered
 That the Committee on Finance consider the advisability of recommending the usual grant of \$2500 to the Ontario Street Growers Association
 Mr. J. J. Druggall County Engineer of the County of York addressed the Council in connection with the Bridge over the Holland River on the boundary line between the Counties of York and Simcoe
 Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Dawson and ordered
 That the Council do now adjourn until 4 O'clock this afternoon

Afternoon Session

The Council met according to adjournment
 The Warden in the Chair
 The Warden presented the following document which was read, Communication from Alfred Welkes
 Report No 12 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. J. J. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Dundas 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. Barton and seconded by Mr. Law and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 7 Standing Committee on County Property was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Jaehel and seconded by Mr. Robt. Bell and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 8 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Harvie and seconded by Mr. Leach and ordered
 That the Report now read
 Report No 1 Standing Committee on Railways & Canals was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Stafford and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted
 Report No 1 Standing Committee on Legislation was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Davi and seconded by Mr. Coner and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 14 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Clark and seconded by Mr. Veir and ordered
That the Report now read be laid on the table until tomorrow morning's session

Moved by Mr. Seaton and seconded by Mr. Potter and ordered
That Rule no 86 be suspended for the purpose of reconsidering the motion moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Grose and adopted at this morning's session

Moved by Mr. Veir and seconded by Mr. Mc Dermott
That the motion moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Grose and adopted at this morning's session with reference to the judgment Re Kirkpatrick Bridge be rescinded

The motion was put and declared lost on the following division
Yeas, Bell, Reek, Bell, Bell, Clark, Harris, Ingram, Lawson, Mc Comby, Mc Dermott, Pierson, Sander, Stays, Ball, Brown, Caldwell, Copeland, Gordon, Goffatt, Grose, Jardine, Jaehke, Leach, Matthews, Mullan, Mitchell, Mt. Mulkeery, J. J. Moore, Mc Lean, Potter, Seaton, Simpson, Stafford, Shaw, Souter, Veir, Woodrow

Moved by Mr. Jardine and seconded by Mr. Leach and ordered
That the Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the advisability of recommending that a Bridge be built over the Wollawaga River at Singhampton on the boundary line between the Counties of Somerset and Grey

Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. Gaden and ordered
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of recommending that a Committee be appointed by this Council to interview the Ontario Government with the view of inducing them to give a special grant to assist in building a bridge over the Wollawaga River near Van. Ock and also to assist in procuring a roadway along the beach from the River to the Townline of Wollawaga

Moved by Mr. Ball and seconded by Mr. Mc Lean and ordered
That the Council do now adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning

W. C. Barr
Warden

Council Chamber Barrie
May 23rd 1908

The Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the chair

All members present except Councillors, Barton, Copeland, Coffey, Cunningham, Cramp, Dundas, Goffatt, Law, J. H. Mitchell, Peete, Sanders, Seaton, Simpson, Souter, Wood, Ingram, Mullan
The minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed

The Warden presented the following document which was read
Report by Engineers R. H. Jupp

Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Veir and ordered
That the Report now read be adopted

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

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 15 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Right Bell and seconded by Mr. Moore and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 16 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Brown and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 17 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Clark and seconded by Mr. Gordon and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 9 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read
Moved by Mr. Matthews and seconded by Mr. Harris and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. Potter and ordered

That leave be granted to introduce a By Law appropriating the sum of \$6,130.00 to the streets in Towns and Villages in the County of Somerset which are connecting links in the Good Roads System and that the By Law presented herewith be read a first time

By Law read a first time

Moved by Mr. Bell and seconded by Mr. Gordon 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. Mc Comby and seconded by Mr. Grose 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. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Gordon 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. Potter and seconded by Mr. Woodrow and ordered

That the Engineers Report be printed in the minutes of this session

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

That a Committee consisting of Councillors Peete, Lawson, Mc Dermott, Matthews and the Warden be appointed a Committee to ascertain

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all the history and facts in connection with the Van-Black Bridge on the
Nottawasaga River and the roads now and formerly leading to and
from same so that this Council may be fully seized of all information
required to deal intelligently with the said Bridge and report at the
next session of this Council

Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. Pierson and ordered
That leave of absence be granted to Councillors, Berton, Capeland, Coffey,
Cramp, Cunningham, Dundas, Goffarth, Law, J. Mitchell, Peattie, Saunders,
Seaton, Simpson, Jones, Wood, Ingram and Innes for today's session

Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Black and ordered
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending
an additional grant towards purchase of colors for the 35th Regiment

Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Mc Dermott and ordered
That as tomorrow will be Victoria Day the deliberations of this
Council be closed by singing the National Anthem as a mark of loyalty
to the British Crown and in memory of our late Sovereign Her most
Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria

Moved by Mr. W. Bell and seconded by Mr. Morris and ordered
That this Council do now adjourn to meet again in this Council's
Chamber at the call of the Warden

R. J. Johnston
Clerk

H. C. Barr
Warden

Council Chamber, Barrie
June 29th 1908

The Council met at the call of the Warden
The Warden in the chair
All members present except Councillors Dundas & Seaton
The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed
The Warden presented the following documents which were read
Petition of Gus Wilson and 1143 others re Inspector Mc Kee, Presentation of
the Grand Jury, Reports of Public School Inspectors G. K. Mills & J. Day
Financial Statement South Simcoe Teachers Institute, Report County Clerk
re Licenses, Communications, Deputy Minister of Education, Secretary
Provincial Winter Fair, G. K. Mills, G. R. Wheelock, Carswell & Co
Secy Ontario Municipal Association, Communication re Consumption
Hospitals, County Solicitor, Accounts Sergeant & Co, Chas. M. Guise
Gazette Office, Gilpin Bros, Hale Bros, Collingwood Bulletin, Edwin
Lewis, St. John's Industrial School, C. W. Buchanan
Moved by Mr. Dawson and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered
That the Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges be requested to

report as soon as possible as to devising some scheme or rule
whereby the County Councillors having work done on the County Roads
System may before signing pay rolls be empowered to visit and inspect
said work in order to be able to sign pay sheets to the County Treasurer
who insists that such pay sheets be signed by two County Councillors as
a voucher for County Auditors

Moved by Mr. Coffey and seconded by Mr. Brown and ordered
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending
a grant of \$1000 to the Ontario Good Roads Association to assist in defraying
Expenses in connection with the Annual meeting of said Association

Moved by Mr. Cramp and seconded by Mr. Goffarth and ordered
That the Roads and Bridges Committee take into their consideration the
advisability of recommending that the Warden and Engineer have authority
to grant a sum not exceeding \$4000 for repairing bridges and culverts on
County Roads in case of washouts or damage by floods after the appropriations
have been exhausted, the same to be deducted from next year's appropriation

Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Peattie and ordered
That the Standing Committee on Legislation be instructed to consider
the true intent and meaning of By-Law No 894 and Report at this
Session

Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Jardine and ordered
That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of recommending
a grant to provide two large cement culverts on the County Road running
along the North side of Creemore, said Culverts being built of tile by the
County and are totally inadequate to carry off the water brought down
from the hills at the North of said Village thereby causing at every heavy
rain fall and in the Spring time considerable damage to property holders
in said Village.

Report No 8 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges which was laid on the
table at last session was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Mc Dermott and seconded by Mr. Simpson and ordered
That the Report now read be referred back to the Committee on Roads
and Bridges for further consideration

Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Jardine and ordered
That the Council do now adjourn until 8 o'clock this evening

Evening Session

The Council met according to adjournment
The Warden in the chair
The Warden presented the following documents which were read
Petition of W. Watson & others, accounts William Taylor, John B. Lindsay
The Warden reported that he was instructed by the County Solicitor that the
Equalization of Assessment should be completed not later than the first
of July and as it was impossible for the Assessment Commission