

all the history and facts in connection with the Ten-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 requisite to deal intelligently with the said Bridge and report at the next session of the Council

Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. Pearson and ordered that leave of absence be granted to Councillors, Brenton Espeland, Coffey, Cramp, Cunningham, Dundas, Goffatt, Law, J. McNeil, Pottle, Saunders, Seaton, Simpson, Jones, Wood, Ingram and Ingham for today's session

Moved by Mr. Gaudin and seconded by Mr. Clark 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. Gaudin and seconded by Mr. W. Dammoth and ordered that as tomorrow will be Victoria Day the deliberations of the 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. Dick Bell and seconded by Mr. Harris and ordered that this Council do now adjourn to meet again in this Council Chamber at the call of the Warden

R. F. S. S. Clerk

N. C. Barr Warden

Council Chamber Record  
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 Engraver Mr. Kea, 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 Sargeant & Co, Chas. M. Quinn  
Gayette Office, Gilpin Bros, Hale Bros, Collingwood Bulletin, Edwin Lewis, St. John's Industrial School, C. W. Buchanan

Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Ball 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. Goffatt 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 cases 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. Pottle and ordered that the Standing Committee on Legislation be instructed to consider the true intent and meaning of Stat. 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. W. Dammoth 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 A. W. Watson & others, accounts William Taylor, John B. Lindsey  
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 Commissioners

appointed by the Council namely Mr Frank Weston of Midland to complete the assessment of the Municipalities allotted to him in time to comply with the statute he had <sup>appointed</sup> Mr Wm. Joyce of Collingwood to assess the Town of Allerton and the Village of Strathkane, Mr Alexander Rowanlee of Boreis to assess the Village of Bradford and Berton and Mr W M Bookhart to assess the Town of Boreis and the Village of Broomers. The said assessors to work in conjunction with the Reeves appointed by this Council to assess the several Towns and Villages

Moved by Mr. Jardine and seconded by Mr. Saunders and ordered on discussion that the Reports of the Commissioners appointed by this Council and the Warden to value and equalize the assessment of the County when presented be adopted as the equalized assessment of the County of the various Municipalities for the year 1908, Geas, Ball, Tanton, Bell Rich, Bell Rob, Brown Caldwell, Clarke, Cospeland, Cramp, Garden Goodwin, Grose, Ingram, Jardine, Jackel, Leach, Matthews, Mitchell JH, Mitchell JF, Moore, M. Conkey, M. Dermott, M. Han, Peete, Pierson, Potter, Saunders, Shaw, Loner, Vais, Wood, Woodrow, Wags, Cunningham, Harvie, Lawson, Simpson and Stafford.

Moved by Mr. Peete and seconded by Mr. Gordon and ordered that the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of building Bridge and filling in washout on County Road between Long and Penstangushan at Cospelande Dam.

Moved by Mr. JH Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Moore and ordered that Mr. J C Best County Valuator of the Township Municipalities be heard. Mr. Best then addressed the Council in connection with his assessment and presented his Report of Assessment which was read.

Moved by Mr. Garden and seconded by Mr. Simpson and ordered that the Council do now adjourn until one thirty tomorrow afternoon.

D. C. Barr  
Warden

Council Chamber Boreis  
June 30<sup>th</sup> 1908

The Council met according to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair  
All members present except Councillor Seaton  
The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed  
The Warden presented the following documents which were read  
Report of Inspector of Prisons on County Gaol, Auditor's Report re Land Tax accounts, Accounts, Township of Boreis, D. M. Cullough, J. W. Scott, Gazette, Delbert, Bennett, J. Somerville  
Report No 18 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented & read  
Moved by Mr. Mullard and seconded by Mr. Matthews and ordered that the Report now read be adopted.  
Report No 19 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented & read

Moved by Mr. Goffey and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 20 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read  
Moved by Mr. Jones and seconded by Mr. Dundas and ordered

that the Report now read be adopted  
Report No 21 Standing Committee on Education with accompanying By-Law was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. M. Dermott 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. Grose 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. Clark and seconded by Mr. Brown 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. JH Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Brown and ordered that the By-Law now read a third time do pass, be expressed by the Clerk and signed and sealed by the Warden

Report No 22 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read.  
Moved by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Grose and ordered that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 23 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read  
Moved by Mr. Mullard and seconded by Mr. Brown and ordered that the Report now read be adopted

Report No 24 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read  
Moved by Mr. JH Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Grose and ordered that the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Woodrow and seconded by Mr. Moore and ordered that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending the per diem allowance and expenses of the members of this Council who were employed in making the equalization of Assessment with several Municipalities of this County

Moved by Mr. Lawson and seconded by Mr. Stafford and ordered that the Committee on Railways consider the advisability of examining a concrete Arch built on the sea board branch of the CP Railway over the County Road on the sixth concession of the Township of Jay where it crosses the Grand Trunk Ry line and that the Committee act with the County Engineer on said examination in the interest of the safety of the public travel

Moved by Mr. Goffatt and seconded by Mr. Moore and ordered that as a result of the assessors Report the Clerk of this County be instructed to notify every Municipal Council that in future their assessment must be made according to the Municipal

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Act and where assessments are not so done the County Council shall take proceedings against those responsible  
 Moved by Mr. Law and seconded by Mr. Barton and ordered  
 That the Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges consider the advisability of recommending a grant of £2000 to extend Bentinck Street in the Village of Beeton a distance of three quarters of a mile to connect said street with County Road in the Township of Seunsweth.  
 Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. Lawson and ordered  
 That the Roads & Bridges Committee consider the advisability of defining what constitutes a County bridge or County boundary roads  
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Vais and ordered  
 That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending the payment of \$1700 to Mr. J. A. Best this being the actual amount of his expenses in connection with the equalization of the County's assessment  
 Moved by Mr. Coffey and seconded by Mr. Vais and ordered  
 That the Standing Committee on County Property consider the advisability of recommending a grant of £2000 to assist in building a Rocking in Ward 6 of the Town of Barrie on the usual conditions of By-Law  
 Moved by Mr. Pierson and seconded by Mr. Law and ordered  
 That the Committee of the House of Refuge take it into their consideration the advisability of entering into arrangements with the Corporation of the Village of Beeton to provide water and light for the House of Refuge as the present contract expires in December of this year  
 Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. Gordon and ordered  
 That the Council adjourn until 4:30 this afternoon

4.30 pm Session

The Council met according to adjournment -  
 The Warden in the Chair  
 Report No. 1 Standing Committee on Roads and Canals was presented and read  
 Moved by Mr. Stafford and seconded by Mr. Clark and ordered  
 That the Report now read be adopted  
 Moved by Mr. Cramp and seconded by Mr. Gordon and ordered  
 That the Committee on County Property consider the advisability of changing the entrance to the Council House by placing main entrance below the tower.  
 Moved by Mr. J. H. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. Potter and ordered  
 That the Valuers of the Urban Municipalities be heard as to equalization  
 W. M. Lockhart Esq. W. M. Joyce Esq. and A. Rowan Esq. the three Urban Valuers then addressed the Council and presented their Reports as to valuation of the several Municipalities allotted to them  
 Report No. 3 Special Committee re Equalization of Assessment with Schedule A attached was presented and read  
 Moved by Mr. Robt. Bell and seconded by Mr. Goffatt and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted  
 Report No. 9 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read  
 Moved by Mr. Moore and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered  
 That the Report now read be adopted  
 Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered  
 That leave of absence be granted to Councillors Seaton & Dundas for yesterday's session and to Councillor Seaton for today's session  
 Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. Pierson and ordered on division  
 That the Council do now adjourn to meet in the Council Chamber of the Town of Collingwood on Thursday the 2nd of July at 2 O'clock in the afternoon  
 Pres. Bell Robt. Bell Robt. Brown Clark Coffey Gordon Gordon Goss Harvie Jardine Jochel Lawson Matthews Moore Peete Pierson Potter Stafford Shaw Stone Vais Wood Woodrow, Rays, Ball, Caldwell Cramp Goffatt, Ingram J. J. Mitchell Mr. Dermott

D. C. Bagn  
Warden

Council Chamber  
Collingwood July 2nd 1908

The Council met in the Council Chamber of the Town of Collingwood in pursuance and according to adjournment -  
 The Warden in the Chair  
 All members present except Councillors Vais and Seaton & Goffatt  
 The minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed  
 W. Arthur Chairman of Finance of the Council of the Town of Collingwood in welcoming the Council to the Town of Collingwood expressed his sorrow at the inability of the Mayor through illness being personally present to welcome them  
 He desired to voice the feelings of the Mayor and the Council of Collingwood in stating that they considered it an honor in having such a worthy body as the County Council in their midst and they hoped their visit would be a pleasurable one as well as a profitable one  
 The Warden presented the following documents which were read  
 Communicator Mrs. Lison, Communicator and account of the Board of Education of the Town of Collingwood, Account, Connor Clark & Monds  
 Report No. 10 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read  
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Harvie and ordered  
 That the Report now read be adopted  
 Report No. 11 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read  
 Moved by Mr. Robt. Bell and seconded by Mr. M. Dean and ordered  
 That the Report now read be adopted  
 Moved by Mr. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Ball and ordered  
 That the Standing Committee on Finance consider the