

M I N U T E S
OF THE JUNE SESSION, 1935, OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
OF THE COUNTY OF SIMCOE.

FIRST DAY

Council Chamber, Barrie,
June 17th, 1935.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment at the January Session.

The Warden in the chair.

All the members were present.

The minutes of the last meeting of the Council having been printed and distributed were taken as read.

The Warden addressed the Council. He expressed his pleasure at again meeting the members and that he was glad to report that as far as his information went, there was no bereavement among the members.

He stated that he was glad to be able to report that conditions generally were improving, and that at the present, prospects for a good crop were most favourable with present prices satisfactory. Wheat and clover in the north part of the County were very good but in the southern part of the County, these crops had suffered considerable winter killing.

The roads under the County system of Highways are in good condition, and did not require as many repairs as in most years.

He suggest that if the members had any matters to refer to the Council, that they have the resolutions presented early during the week.

The Warden presented the following communications and accounts:

From H.D. Glover, President of the Ontario Agricultural Council, re proposed changes to improve the marketing of livestock.

From Clerk of Wentworth County Council, resolution of Council, relative to insurance on farm properties mortgaged with the Ontario Development Board.

From Mr. I. McMahon, arranging meeting of representatives of Ontario Agricultural Societies with County Council.

Correspondence with General Auditor, Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and Department of Highways for Ontario, and accounts for share of costs of maintenance of wig-wag at Victoria St., Alliston.

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From Clerk of Municipal Roads, Department of Highways, copy of Order-in-Council approving of By-Law No. 1893 of County of Simcoe, making addition to the County Road system in Nottawasaga township.

From Miss C.M. Johnston, Clerk of Orillia town, resolution of Orillia Council with regard to the County rebate.

From J.A.P. Marshall, Ass't Chief Engineer of Municipal Roads, instructions re Purchases and Sales of Machinery.

From Assistant Chief Engineer of Municipal Roads communications re passing By-Law covering total expenditure on County Roads.

From Department of Highways, copy of Order-in-Council, approving of County By-Laws 1891 and 1892, and 1780, making additions to County Road system in Flos and Innisfil townships.

From Mr. W. H. Hunter, Clerk of Dufferin County, with report of their County Road Committee, requesting co-operation of this Council to have road to Beach through Singhampton taken over as a Provincial Highway.

Communications from the Acting Secretary, Unemployment Relief Branch, re projects proceeded with in this County.

Notices of accidents on County Roads and claims against County by:-

E. Ludlow, R. R. # 2, Mansfield, Ont.
W. H. Wray, Schomberg, Ont.
Jas. Henderson, Orangeville, Ont.

Communication from Mr. W. W. Dennison, Inspector of Legal Offices relative to proposed changed in offices in the Court House.

From A. W. Smith, Clerk & Treasurer, Barrie, notice of change of assessment and tax on County properties in Barrie.

Report from the Boiler Inspection & Insurance Company of Canada on inspection of boilers in County building.

Order of Magistrate committing John Patrick Carney, ward of Children's Aid Society to St. John's Industrial School.

Order of Magistrate committing Bertha Prince to Alexandria Industrial School.
Agreement with Ontario Training School for Girls, Falt, for maintenance there of Eileen Margaret Storey, Children's Aid Society ward.

Communication from Mr. Geo. S. Johnston, Secretary-Treasurer of the Trustees & Ratepayers Association, asking for grant to this Association.

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Account from Stevenson Memorial Hospital, Alliston, for X-ray, etc., for one Chas. Harris, inmate of House of Refuge.

Account from G. G. Smith & Co., Barrie, for burial of infant found in Willow Creek, Oro township.

From the County Clerk of Haldimand County, with resolution of their County Council respecting treatment and care of cases of tuberculosis.

Communication from the Secretary of the Orillia Board of Trade, Geo. J. Overend, requesting that steps be taken for implementing the County's guarantee of defaulted debentures.

From the Clerk of the County of Norfolk, resolution of their Council, requesting co-operation in having change made in Regulations covering Municipality responsible for relief.

From Clerk of Lincoln County, resolution of their Council re proposed changed in interest rates on loans for Municipalities.

From Clerk of Napanee County, with resolution of their Council regarding establishing of schedule of remuneration for Municipal Clerks for work on old age pension applications.

Letter from Mrs. R. Boyes, Secretary, South Simcoe Women's Institute.

Letters of thanks for grants received from:-

Major Alfred Keith, of the Salvation Army;

From Mrs. E. N. Hewitt, Secretary-Treasurer, East Simcoe Women's Institute.

Application for grant from Mrs. F.W. Brown, Secretary-Treasurer, Simcoe County Women's Institutes.

Account for maintenance of wards from Boys Training School Bowmanville.

Account for maintenance of wards from Girls Training School, Galt.

Account for maintenance of wards from Alexandria Industrial School, East Toronto.

Account for maintenance of wards from St. Mary's Industrial School, Toronto.

Account for maintenance of wards from St. John's Industrial School, Toronto.

From Mr. Jno. E. Peart, Secy., Association of Managers of Homes for Aged & Infirm, letter re Annual Convention.

From Lundy Fence Co., Toronto, re combination Slide & Stair Fire Escape for homes for old peoples shelters.

From Clerk of Huron County, resolution of Council relative to changing B.N.A. Act to abolish Provincial Legislatures.

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Communications from Mr. W. W. Templeman, Lovering, relative to enforcement of County's By-Law re Pedlars.

From Mr. T. A. Russell, Port Severn, relative to enforcement of County's By-Law re Pedlars.

From Clerk, County of Lincoln, resolution of their Council re licensing of trucks of farmers and fruit growers.

From Clerk, County of Elgin, resolution of their Council, re petitioning the Ontario Legislature to make certain changes in the Statutes.

From the President & Board of Directors of Barrie Hospital, invitation to the County Council to their Graduation Exercises on June 13th.

Communications from Mr. H. Bentley, Commissioner Mothers' Allowance Commission, and D. H. Coleman, Secretary of the Local Board, re refund by County to the province of \$2,417.50.

From the Western Lumber Manufacturers Association of Canada re British Columbia and other forest products.

From the Municipal World, Ltd., St. Thomas, Ontario, asking for out of County Court House.

Account from Mr. T. F. Burrows, Clerk of Sunnidale County, for payments due the Township under the provisions of the Drainage Act.

From Messrs. Hood & Hood, Stayner, account for Charles Miller for gravel.

From Mr. R. M. Smith, Deputy Minister of Highways, letter and copy of bill passed covering work within towns and villages.

From Mr. R. M. Smith, Deputy Minister of Highways, communication re provision being made for horse-drawn vehicles on Highways.

The Warden invited Mayor Blair of Barrie, who was in the Chamber, to a seat in the dias.

Mayor Blair addressed the Council and gave the members the freedom of the Town during the Session. He referred to the resolution of Huron County Council recommending the abolition of Provincial Legislatures. He remarked on the large increase in Hospital accounts and stated this was one matter that should be closely scrutinized and suggested as a deterrent to this increase, the publication of the names of the patients.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Special Committee re adjustment of interest with Midland, was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Evans, seconded by Councillor Toner, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

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Councillor Horne, Deputy-Reeve of Orillia township, inquired if the work on the hill in Orillia township was let by contract. He was under the impression that this work was to be undertaken as a relief project.

Councillor Henry, Chairman of the County Road Committee, stated that the Committee had ~~made~~ a survey and estimate made by an engineer, and it was decided that on account of the nature of the work, it could be more economically performed under contract.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Asselin, and ordered,

That the Road and Bridge Committee consider the advisability of appointing a Committee to interview the local Provincial members of the Legislature, and the Minister of Highways, re a reduction on Simcoe's 1934 Provincial levy of approximately \$178,000.

Moved by Councillor Cunningham, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,

That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of making certain adjustments on the report of the Alliston High School Board.

Moved by Councillor Brawley, seconded by Councillor Kiernan, and ordered,

That the Committee on Finance consider the advisability of recommending to this Council that the Warden and Clerk be given authority to enter into an agreement with the County of Dufferin regarding three inmates already sheltered in the House of Industry, Beeton.

Moved by Councillor Hawkins, seconded by Councillor Ruppert, and ordered,

That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of considering the financial standing of one Miss Ruby Taylor, a patient in Gravenhurst Sanitarium, and a resident of the Town of Stayner, who is supposed to own certain property, and for whose hospital maintenance this County is paying.

Moved by Councillor Robertson, seconded by Councillor Cunningham, and ordered,

That the Committee on Legislation consider the advisability of petitioning the Department of Municipal Affairs to make provision whereby Municipalities making application to the Department to refinance their debenture debt, and which Municipalities have good and sufficient reasons for making such request, may be allowed to refinance their debenture debt on a basis of ability to pay.

Moved by Councillor Morris, seconded by Councillor Evans, and ordered,

That the Special Committee on Education recommend to the Education Committee of the County Council that they recommend to the County Council that they write the Dominion Government regards the pupils in the Camp Borden area who attend the High Schools in County Municipalities, and who are paid for by the other rural townships.

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And whereas Camp Borden is non-taxable for County rates, that we request the Dominion Government to pay the cost of Camp Borden pupils attending High Schools in Simcoe County municipalities.

Moved by Councillor Henry, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,

That the Committee on Finance consider the advisability of appointing a Committee of one or more members to supervise and collect County license fees of pedlars in the County of Simcoe.

Moved by Councillor Horne, seconded by Councillor Cramp, and ordered,

That the County Road Committee consider the advisability of having the two blocks north of Orillia town on the 5th Concession which must have been missed by the man on grader, fixed as soon as possible.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,

That the Council do now adjourn until Tuesday, at 2 p.m.

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J. Simpson
Clerk, County of Simcoe.

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H. J. Brawley
Warden, County of Simcoe.

SECOND DAY.

Council Chambers, Barré,
June 18th, 1935.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment from yesterday's Session.

The Warden in the chair.

All the members were present.

The Minutes of the last meeting of the Council were read and adopted.

The Warden presented the following communications and accounts:-

From the Barrie Fire Brigade, re County Council competition cup.

From R. C. Peacock, request for grant for Simcoe Veteran's picnic.

The following requested bonus for tree planting for reforestation:-

Copeland Milling Co., Elmvale, Ontario.

Alex. Graham, Shanty Bay.

Eldred Fell, Foxmead.

Howard McFarlane, Sunnidale.

Mackenzie Williams, Shanty Bay.

Chas. Jamieson, Flos township.

E. J. McClung, Flos township.

James Martin, Flow township.

T. E. Smith, Flos township.

Tyson Rowat, Flos township.

Thomas Cooper, Flos township.

Walter Smith, Essa township.

Wesley Martin, Essa township.

W. B. Lyons, Essa township.

Robert Orrock, Essa township.

Samuel Carr, Essa township.

David Jennett, Essa township.

William Fagan, Medonte township.

A deputation representing the Agricultural Societies of the County of Simcoe appeared before the Council. J. E. Jamieson, President of the Great Northeastern Exhibition stated that the deputation was asking for assistance for these societies to aid them in their work. He referred to the great amount of gratis work given by the Directors and Executives

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of these Societies, and mentioned the educative feature to the citizens by seeing on exhibition the best in live stock, grains, dairy, and other products. Societies were having difficult times financing and were requesting assistance from the County.

Mr. T. E. Smith, Secretary of the Flos Agricultural Society stated that the object of the Societies was to improve the quality of farm live stock and farm products so that the farming industry might be in better position in selling their commodities where they meet strong competition.

Mr. Jas. Dawson, Secretary of the Cookstown Society stated that the Agricultural Societies endeavoured to make their fairs show windows for agricultural products, and they were endeavouring to make agriculture more pleasant and profitable for the younger people.

Mr. Irwin McMahon, Secretary of the Oro Agricultural Society stated that Simcoe County stood high in the quality of its agricultural products, and some credit for this was due to agricultural societies for their educative and competitive features.

Mr. Stewart I. Page, Agricultural Representative of North Simcoe stated that Simcoe County had made a good name for herself in the quality of her shorthorns, herefords, dairy cattle, horses, sheep and hogs, apples and fruits, grains, and especially in the last two or three years in the quality of her barley. In his opinion any grant made to the Societies would get good results.

Mr. R. Peacock, Chairman of the Veterans' Association of the County, appeared before the Council and requested a grant to assist the Veterans in their Annual Re-Union at Spring Water Park, Midhurst, on August 15th. He invited the Warden and members of the Council to attend the picnic and Re-Union.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Horne, seconded by Councillor Barr, and ordered,
That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 2 - Of the Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Henderson, seconded by Councillor Carlton, and ordered,
That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 3 - Of the Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Downey, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,
That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Standing Committee on Equalization, with accompanying By-Law was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Neff, seconded by Councillor Palmer, and ordered,

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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 Councillor Toner, seconded by Councillor Neff, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Cramp, seconded by Councillor Morris, and ordered,

That this By-Law be left over for further consideration to permit municipal representatives to study the schedule and satisfy themselves of fairness of such equalization.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Palmer, seconded by Councillor Hartman, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 2. - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Borrow, seconded by Councillor Barr, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 3 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Vancise, seconded by Councillor Clark, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Horne, and ordered,

That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law confirming By-Law No. 1284 of the Township of Orillia with regards to closing that portion of the road allowance between the east halves of lots fifteen and sixteen in the third concession of the said Township of Orillia in the southern division, and that the By-Law presented herewith be read a first time.

By-Law read a first time.

Moved by Councillor Asselin, seconded by Councillor Cramp, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Brawley, seconded by Councillor Evans, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Palmer, seconded by Councillor Mackay, 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.

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Moved by Councillor Smith, seconded by Councillor Dutton, and ordered,

That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of a grant to the Canadian Legion for the Veterans' picnic.

Moved by Councillor Borrow, seconded by Councillor Drinkwater, and ordered,

That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of appointing Henry Humphries as caretaker of Wards Bridge on the townline of Matchedash and Orillia townships, at the same salary as the previous caretaker.

Moved by Councillor Livingstone, seconded by Councillor Palmer, and ordered,

That the Roads and Bridges Committee take into consideration the advisability of designating the several County Roads more fully than in the present report, by pointing out where they start from, and where extended to, and the supervisor on each road, and that each road expenditure be kept separate.

Moved by Councillor Toner, seconded by Councillor Fleming, and ordered,

That the Roads and Bridge Committee consider the advisability of making a grant of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), to the township of Flos, to assist in building a foot bridge over the Wye River on County Road No. 15, in the village of Elmvale.

Moved by Councillor Asselin, seconded by Councillor Kiernan, and ordered,

That the Committee on Reforestration consider the advisability of paying the usual bonus on trees planted for reforestration after they have been certified by municipal representative.

Moved by Councillor Palmer, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,

That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of repainting the steel bridge situated on the townline between Adjala and Tecumseth townships, the same being a County bridge.

Moved by Councillor Neff, seconded by Councillor Kiernan, and ordered,

That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of taking into the County road system, that portion of road between the Counties of Simcoe and Dufferin, starting at the Western boundary of Tossorontio township, and running west to Banda, connecting with County road No. 13A, a distance of one and three-quarters miles.

Moved by Councillor Asselin, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,

That the Committee on Agriculture consider the advisability of recommending a grant of One Thousand Dollars to Simcoe County Fairs Association, and in case of this grant being made, that the Association be requested to present a financial statement to this

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Council at the end of the year.

Moved by Councillor Cramp, seconded by Councillor Spicher, and ordered,

That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of inquiring into the value and efficiency of the services of Crown Attorney, F.G. Evans, and that of requesting the Attorney-General's Department to dispense with the fee payment for Crown Attorney's services with a view to placing same on a straight yearly basis.

Moved by Councillor Smith, seconded by Councillor Hartman, and ordered,

That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of paying Miss Nglan of Midland \$20.00 for assisting the County Treasurer in preparing report of debentures.

Moved by Councillor Asselin, seconded by Councillor Robb, and ordered,

That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of entering into an agreement with the township of Tiny for dragging road No. 6 during the months of July and August.

Moved by Councillor Cramp, seconded by Councillor Morris, and ordered,

That the Road and Bridge Committee consider the advisability of appointing a County Engineer pursuant to the new provincial regulations governing same.

Moved by Councillor Downey, seconded by Councillor Fleming, and ordered,

That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of taking over the road on townline between Flos and Vespra between Highways 26 and 27, a distance of 4 miles.

Moved by Councillor Cramp, seconded by Councillor Coombs, and ordered,

That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of inquiring into the salaries of the various County officials and departmental expenditures with a view to adjusting or equalizing them in keeping with general conditions.

Moved by Councillor Morris, seconded by Councillor Cramp, and ordered,

That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of having an ~~audit~~ made by of the County books by a reliable firm of chartered accountants.

Moved by Councillor Downey, seconded by Councillor Hickling, and ordered,

The the Finance Committee consider the advisability of giving the usual grant of \$35.00 to the Trustees and Ratepayers Association.

Moved by Councillor Henderson, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,

That the Committee on Education consider the advisability of appointing a small committee to represent the County of Simcoe in conferring with the Provincial Committee on ways and means of collecting funds for educational purposes.

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Moved by Councillor Cramp, seconded by Councillor Morris, and ordered,

That the Road Committee be requested to prepare a By-Law authorizing the Town of Orillia to spend surplus County Roads rebate on Andrew street, a connecting link between Provincial Highways 11 and 12, this in accordance with a resolution of said committee in this respect, and to conform with new Provincial Legislation governing same, and that such work be done under supervision of the County Engineer.

Moved by Councillor Carlton, seconded by Councillor Kiernan, and ordered,

That the Special Committee on County Property be authorized to place the usual amount of fuel in the residence of John R. Weaymouth, turnkey for the County gaol.

Moved by Councillor Dutton, seconded by Councillor ~~Downey~~, and ordered,

That the Council do now adjourn until Wednesday morning, at 11 o'clock.

J. S. Simpson
Clerk, County of Simcoe.

H. J. Crawford
Warden, County of Simcoe.

THIRD DAY

Council Chamber, Barrie,
June 19th, 1935.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment at yesterday's Session.

The Warden in the chair.

All the members were present except Councillors Cramp, Robertson, Letherby, & Smith.

The Minutes of the last meeting of the Council were read and adopted.

REPORT NO. 4 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges, with accompanying By-Law was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Spicher, seconded by Councillor Kiernan, 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 Councillor Henderson, seconded by Councillor Asselin, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Archer, seconded by Councillor Kiernan, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Evans, seconded by Councillor Coombs, 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 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor McDermid, seconded by Councillor Tessier, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 6 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Hawkins, seconded by Councillor Livingstone, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 7 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges, with accompanying By-Law was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Patterson, seconded by Councillor Cunningham, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted and that the By-Law presented herewith be read a first time.

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By-Law read a first time.

Moved by Councillor Carlton, seconded by Councillor Vancise, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Mackay, seconded by Councillor Banting, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Hickling, seconded by Councillor Banting, 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. 8 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Toner, seconded by Councillor Dutton, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 9 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Hartman, seconded by Councillor Palmer, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

Moved by Councillor Asselin, seconded by Councillor Robb, and ordered,

That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of taking into the County Road system that portion of road from intersection of Highway No. 27 with road between lots 105 and 106 in the township of Tiny west to Balm Beach, a distance of about six miles.

Moved by Councillor Livingstone, seconded by Councillor Toner, and ordered,

That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of making a special grant for maintenance of Queen Street, Tottenham, a connecting link on Road No. 10, Alliston to south townline, said grant to be expended under the direction of the County Road Committee.

Moved by Councillor Asselin, seconded by Councillor Robb, and ordered,

That the Council do now adjourn until Thursday, at 2 p.m.

J. Simpson
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Clerk, County of Simcoe.

H. J. Crawford
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Warden, County of Simcoe.

FOURTH DAY

Council Chambers, Barrie,
June 20th, 1935.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment from yesterday's Session.

The Warden in the chair.

All the members were present but Councillor Robertson.

The Minutes of the last meeting of the Council were read and adopted.

The Warden presented the following accounts:

For tree planting for reforestation, from George Gilchrist, Oro,

For tree planting for reforestation, from J. A. Reid, Oro.

REPORT NO. 4 - Of the Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Todd, seconded by Councillor Higginson, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 5 - Of the Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Carlton, seconded by Councillor Henderson, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 6 - Of the Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Coombs, seconded by Councillor Ruppert, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Standing Committee on House of Refuge was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Brawley, seconded by Councillor Banting, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

Moved by Councillor Toner, seconded by Councillor Neff, and ordered,

That the By-Law confirming the Equalization of Assessment that was given second reading at a former session, and laid on the table, be now read a third time.

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Todd, seconded by Councillor Toner, 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.

Mr. Spencer of the Unemployment Relief Department addressed the Council on this question. He stated that the Department had recently changed its regulations as regards payment for relief work by making payment in cash for work instead of by the voucher system. He did not know if the County had any construction work at which unemployed could be given work.

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He would like to get in touch with any representatives who had work in their Municipalities that might be done by those on relief.

REPORT NO. 10 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges, with accompanying By-Law was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Barr, seconded by Councillor Palmer, 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 Councillor Borrow, seconded by Councillor Vance, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Clarke, seconded by Councillor Drinkwater, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Spicher, seconded by Councillor Henderson, 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 - Of the Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Horne, seconded by Councillor Coombs, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 2 - Of the Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Brawley, seconded by Councillor Cramp, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

Moved by Councillor Smith, seconded by Councillor Hartman, and ordered,

That Robert Craig be granted the usual two weeks holidays during 1935.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Henry, and ordered,

That leave be granted D. H. Coleman, County Treasurer, and J. T. Simpson, County Clerk, to close their offices each afternoon during the months of July and August.

Moved by Councillor Henry, seconded by Councillor Drinkwater, and ordered,

That the members of this Council and officials extend to His Worship, the Warden and Mrs. Crawford, ~~their~~ warm and hearty appreciation for the very enjoyable outing in the township of Oro on Wednesday, June 19th, 1935.

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Moved by Councillor Cunningham, seconded by Councillor Evans, and ordered,
That with reference to requests re pedlars in Simcoe County that the County Clerk and Councillors Drinkwater, Todd, Borrow, Archer, Robb, Fleming, and Spicher, and be a Committee to interview the County Solicitor as to what action this Council can take for the control of this trouble.

Moved by Councillor Higginson, seconded by Councillor Banting, and ordered,
That the County Road Committee recommend to the Department of Highways that the portion of road in Essa township, designated as County system, be taken over as soon as possible.

Moved by Councillor Cunningham, seconded by Councillor Evans, and ordered,
That whereas by a former arrangement the County Treasurer has been paying monthly grants to Mrs. John Armstrong and Mrs. Hoffman of the town of Orillia, and as these persons are now eligible for old age pension, we recommend that from July 1st, 1935, no further payments be made by the County.

Moved by Councillor Brawley, seconded by Councillor Kiernan, and ordered,
That Mr. and Mrs. J. Jardine, Governor and Matron of the House of Refuge, Beeton, be given the usual two weeks holidays for 1935.

Moved by Councillor Coombs, seconded by Councillor Hartman, and ordered,
That Councillors Cramp, Letherby, Robertson, and Smith, be granted leave of absence for Wednesdays Session of the Council.

Moved by Councillor Cramp, seconded by Councillor Patterson,
That whereas provincial legislators have suggested the abolition of County Councils.
And whereas it is the opinion of this body of County Councillors that the County Councils as a whole are more truly representative of popular opinion than any other administrative body under our elective system of government.

Therefore be it resolved that this Council go on record as opposing the party system of government at this time of national stress.

And that the Clerk be instructed to memorialize the Premiers of both Dominion and Provincial Governments and leaders of opposition parties to adopt the County Council system of elective government with a view to securing a free and independent expression of thought and action, apart from Party alignments, that the best interests of the people, rather than the party, might be served.

The resolution was put and declared lost.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Asselin, and ordered,

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That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of purchasing a machine to maintain the roads in the County of Simcoe, especially on the Dalston-Orillia road, as the machine which has been maintaining this road is worn out.

Moved by Councillor Smith, seconded by Councillor Dutton, and ordered,
That the Warden be authorized to appoint a Committee on publicity to meet with similar bodies of the Municipalities at such time as meetings may be held to organize the publicity of the County on a County-wide basis.

Moved by Councillor Asselin, seconded by Councillor Barr, and ordered,
That the Committee on Reofrestation consider the advisability of purchasing the following properties for reforestration purposes, and which are adjacent to that owned by the County:-

E. 30 acres, W. $\frac{1}{2}$ lot 114, O.S. Tiny.
Centre 35 acres, W. $\frac{1}{2}$ lot 114, O.S. Tiny.
East $\frac{1}{2}$, 100 acres, lot 114, O.S. Tiny.

Moved by Councillor Henderson, seconded by Councillor Livingstone, and ordered,
That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of authorizing the County Road Committee to enter into an agreement with the County of Peel to construct the County boundary line between Simcoe and Peel from County Road No. 10 easterly to the York boundary line, a distance of approximately a mile and a quarter, as this road has been taken over as a County road by the County of Peel.

Moved by Councillor Toner, seconded by Councillor Neff, and ordered,
That the County Road Committee consider the advisability of painting the County bridge at Wasaga Beach.

Moved by Councillor Borrow, seconded by Councillor Archer, and ordered,
That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of painting the bridge over the North River on the 2nd Concession line, township of Matchedash, on road 17.

Moved by Councillor Kiernan, seconded by Councillor Palmer, and ordered,
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of taking over into the County road system, that portion of road in Tossorontio township, between Concessions 4 & 5, starting at Highway No. 9, and running north to County road No. 5, a distance of about three and three-quarters miles.

Moved by Councillor Downey, seconded by Councillor Hickling, and ordered,
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of paying half of an indigents transportation to England, providing Vespra pay the other half, and thus avoid further hospital accounts.

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Moved by Councillor Kiernan, seconded by Councillor Henderson, and ordered,
That the Committee on Reforestration consider the advisability of purchasing
two thousand acres in the township of Tossorontio for reforestration purposes.

Moved by Councillor Dutton, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,
That the Council do now adjourn until Friday, at 3 p.m.

J. Simpson
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Clerk, County of Simcoe.

H. J. Brawley
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Warden, County of Simcoe.

FIFTH DAY

COUNCIL CHAMBERS, Barrie,
June 21st, 1935.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment from yesterday's Session.

The Warden in the chairs

All the members were present.

The Minutes of the last meeting of the Council were read and adopted.

The Warden named as a Publicity Committee as requested at yesterday's Session,
Councillors Smith, Carlton, Robertson, Neff, and Asselin.

Councillor Asselin introduced Mr. Glover of the Ontario Agricultural Council who
wished to speak on Agricultural topics to the members. He had served in Wentworth County
Council and had been a Warden of that County. He stated that the Agricultural Council was
non-political and worked for the interest of the farmer.

REPORT NO. 7 - Of the Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Dutton, seconded by Councillor Toner, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 8 - Of the Standing Committee on Finance, with accompanying By-Law was presented
and read.

Moved by Councillor Cramp, seconded by Councillor Brawley, 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 Councillor Hickling, seconded by Councillor Henderson, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Coombs, seconded by Councillor Carlton, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Palmer, seconded by Councillor Todd, and ordered,

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

REPORT NO. 3 - Of the Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Palmer, seconded by Councillor Mackay, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

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REPORT NO. 4 - Of the Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Hickling, seconded by Councillor Banting, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 1. - Of the Standing Committee on Education was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Toner, seconded by Councillor Stewart, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 2 - Of the Standing Committee on Education was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor ~~Toner~~^{Drinkwater}, seconded by Councillor Coombs, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Standing Committee on Legislation was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Livingstone, seconded by Councillor Fleming, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 2 - Of the Standing Committee on Legislation was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Evans, seconded by Councillor Ruppert, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Standing Committee on Agriculture was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Palmer, seconded by Councillor Kiernan, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 2 - Of the Standing Committee on Agriculture was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Higginson, seconded by Councillor Drinkwater, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 3 - Of the Standing Committee on Agriculture was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Kiernan, seconded by Councillor Toner, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Letherby, and ordered,

That this Council go into a Committee as a whole with Councillor Asselin in the chair.

The Committee of the whole arose and reported that they would recommend that the request for a grant of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00) to the County of Simcoe Fairs Association, that no action be taken.

Moved by Councillor Cunningham, seconded by Councillor Morris, and ordered,

That the report of the Committee of the whole be adopted.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Standing Committee on Reforestation was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Todd, seconded by Councillor Clark, and ordered,

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That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 2 - Of the Standing Committee on Reforestation was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Kiernan, seconded by Councillor Downey, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 3 - Of the Standing Committee on Reforestation was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Spicher, seconded by Councillor Higginson, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 11 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Asselin, seconded by Councillor Archer, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 12 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges, with accompanying By-Law, was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor McDermid, seconded by Councillor Ruppert, 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 Councillor Coombs, seconded by Councillor McDermid, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Hawkins, seconded by Councillor Livingstone, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Evans, seconded by Councillor Cunningham, 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. 13 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges, with accompanying By-Law, was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Borrow, seconded by Councillor Cunningham, 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 Councillor Letherby, seconded by Councillor Mackay, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

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Moved by Councillor Carlton, seconded by Councillor Banting, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Hickling, seconded by Councillor Downey, 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. 14 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Toner, seconded by Councillor Dutton, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 15 - Of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Kiernan, seconded by Councillor Carlton, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

REPORT NO. 1 - Of the Special Committee re Pedlars' Licenses was presented and read.

Moved by Councillor Todd, seconded by Councillor Archer, and ordered,

That the report now read be adopted.

Moved by Councillor Robertson, seconded by Councillor Dutton, and ordered,

That the Council do now adjourn until 7 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION

The Council met pursuant to the adjournment from the afternoon Session.

Moved by Councillor Coombs, seconded by Councillor Cunningham, and ordered,

That this Council extend to Mr. and Mrs. Holden their thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses shown to the guests of the Warden, and particularly for the hospitality extended to the ladies of the party, on the Warden's Outing on Wednesday, June 19th, 1935, and also to offer to them our congratulations in choosing the Township of Oro as their summer home, and that the Clerk be instructed to send a copy of this resolution to Mr. and Mrs. Holden.

Moved by Councillor Smith, seconded by Councillor Dutton, ~~and ordered,~~

That this County Council grant the local fall fairs the sum of Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00), to be expended under the supervision of the Agricultural Committee.

The yeas and nays being demanded, the Clerk proceeded to take the vote, and the resolution was declared lost on the following division:

YEAS - Councillors Archer, Buie, Downey, Dutton, Hartman, Hickling, McDermid, Montgomery, Patterson, Robb, Smith, Spicher, Todd, Toner, and Wood.

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NAYS - Councillors Borrow, Brawley, Carlton, Clarke, Coombs, Cunningham, Evans, Hawkins, Henderson, Higginson, Horne, Kiernan, Livingstone, Morris, Robertson, and Ruppert.

Moved by Councillor Cramp, seconded by Councillor Patterson, ~~and ordered,~~

THAT WHEREAS considerable publicity has been given to the suggestion that County Councils should be abolished.

AND WHEREAS it is the opinion of this body of County Councillors that the free and independent expression of thought and action as exemplified in County Councils provides the back bone of our elective system of Government and is more truly representative of popular opinion than any other governing body within the Dominion.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that this Council go on record as recommending experience in County Councils as a pre-requisite to parliamentary representation.

AND FURTHERMORE urge that Federal and Provincial Legislatures cater to the public rather than to the party interests in these times of national stress.

AND THAT the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to memorialize the leaders of the various parties represented in these houses, in accordance with the text of this resolution.

The yeas and nays being demanded, the Clerk proceeded to take the vote, and the resolution was declared lost on the following division:

YEAS - Councillors Asselin, Cramp, Downey, Evans, Hawkins, Hickling, McDermid, Neff, Palmer, Patterson, Robb, Ruppert, Todd, and Wood.

NAYS - Councillors Archer, Banting, Barr, Borrow, Brawley, Buie, Carlton, Clark, Coombs, Cunningham, Drinkwater, Dutton, Fleming, Hartman, Henderson, Higginson, Horne, Kiernan, Livingstone, Mackay, Montgomery, Morris, Robertson, Smith, Spicher, and Toner.

Moved by Councillor Barr, seconded by Councillor Cunningham, and ordered,

That believing the time has fully arrived when the health of our province demands strong and prompt action by the Departments of Agriculture and Health, that bovine T.B. be as completely abolished as is possible by making the province a T.B. free area, that the regulations enforcing inspection shall provide reasonable compensation to owners where animals are confiscated, that stringent regulations be enacted against importations, and regulations covering the sale of rejected animals be prohibited of to the point of entire safety to the consumer.

We believe the T. B. free districts and individual cases represent fully that province wide action is absolutely necessary for protection of health. While pasteurization has benefited areas for some milk supplies, safety for both meat and milk requires provincial action at the earliest possible time if meat and milk products in Ontario are to be

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absolutely free of T.B.

That the County Clerk be instructed to send a copy of this resolution to the Minister of Agriculture and the Minister of Health, for the Province of Ontario.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Horne, and ordered,

That having been appointed by this Council to inspect the repairs on the Washago Bridge, they beg to report that this bridge is in satisfactory condition and recommend that this account of \$32.69 be paid.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Todd, and ordered,

That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law regulating and governing hawkers, pedlars, and petty chapmen, and that the By-Law presented herewith be read a first time.

By-Law read a first time.

Moved by Councillor Morris, seconded by Councillor Banting, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Wood, seconded by Councillor Hickling, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Horne, seconded by Councillor Brawley, 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 Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Dutton, and ordered,

That leave be granted to introduce a By-Law to provide for the total expenditure for 1935 on county roads and bridges under the Highway Improvement Act., Chapter 54, R.S.O., 1927, as required under the regulations of the Department of Highways for Ontario, and that the By-Law for this purpose presented herewith be read a first time.

By-Law read a first time.

Moved by Councillor Higginson, seconded by Councillor Toner, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a second time.

Moved by Councillor Borrow, seconded by Councillor Banting, and ordered,

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

By-Law read a third time.

Moved by Councillor Henry, seconded by Councillor Brawley, and ordered,

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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 Councillor Robertson, seconded by Councillor Carlton, and ordered,

That 200 hundred copies of the By-Law re Hawkens and Pedlars be printed, and the Clerk be instructed to send each member of this Council copies of same, and that a copy be sent to each Postmaster and request that he post up same.

Moved by Councillor Drinkwater, seconded by Councillor Henry, and ordered,

That the thanks and appreciation of the members of this Council be tendered His Worship, the Warden, for the very pleasant and efficient way that he has presided over the Session of this June meeting of the Council.

Moved by Councillor Dutton, seconded by Councillor Coombs, and ordered,

That the Council do now adjourn until Monday, November 25th, 1935, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

J. J. Simpson
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Clerk, County of Simcoe.

H. J. Crawford
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Warden, County of Simcoe.