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Second Meeting 1851

Court House Inn
County of Simcoe
Monday 16th June

The Council met this day in accordance to adjournment.

The Warden took the Chair and addressed the Council

Present

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| Messrs. Armeson | Messrs. Kelly |
| " Craig | " Lane |
| " Orby | " Sattinier |
| " Dewdney | " Long |
| " Thomas | " McFarlane |
| " Callahan | " Purdy |
| " Murray | " Thompson |

Ward 15

The following communication was read and laid on the table
A communication from the Provincial Secretary acknowledging the receipt of certain Petitions from the Council.

From the same, relating to a Memorial, ^{from the Council} on the subject of Tavern Licenses.

From the same, relating to a Petition from the Council on the subject of Trill Grants of Land.

Copies of Petitions to the Legislature from the County Council of the United Counties of Stormont Dundas and Glengary on the subject of amending certain Sections of the Municipal Corporations and Common School Acts, laid before the Council.

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A Circular from W. S. Camp Sheriff of the County of Peterborough to the several County Councils in the Province, relating to the unincorporated Lands of the County laid before the Council.

A Communication from the Commissioners of Crown Lands, relating to five Grants of fifty Acres of Land was laid on the Table.

A Circular copy of certain resolutions passed at a public meeting held in Cobourg on the 6th Decr. 1850 relating to the construction of a Main Branch of Railway from Picton to Hamilton laid before the Council.

Ordered that the Warden do appoint a Committee to whom shall be referred those papers now on the Table, that do not particularly relate to the business of any of the Standing Committees, and those papers which do so relate, be referred to the several Standing Committees.

The Warden nominated Messrs Lane, Purdy and Long.

The Treasurer's Report, Statement of Road Money and Funds in Treasury laid before the Council.

Ordered that the Treasurer's Report with accompanying Statements be referred to the Standing Committee of Finance and Appointments.

The Aggregate Returns of the Real and Personal Property in the several Townships in the County laid before the Council.

Ordered that the Returns now laid on the Table be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Appointments.

Adjourned -
Wm. Simons Warden

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Count Haver, David
Tuesday, 17th June
1851.

The Council met.

The Warden in the Chair.

Present	
Mr. Armore	Mr. Kelly
" Craig	" Lane
" Dillay	" Galtimer
" Durwardy	" Long & McCordy
" Fraser	" Mr. Garland
" Galbraith	" Bundy
" Keenan	" Thompson

Minutes of yesterday read.

Petition presented of the Sons of Temperance
Danis Division, praying for a site for a Temperance Hall. by Mr. Lane.

of John Brandy, praying that the control of having the wood for the Count House, may be restored to him. by Mr. Lane.

of the Collector of Adpala, praying for a certain remuneration for services performed. by Mr. Keenan.

of the Township Council of Manx, praying for a Grant of money for the benefit of their Roads. by Mr. Mr. Garland.

of John White & others, praying for a Grant of money for Road purposes. by the same.

Ordered that the Petitions now presented to the Council be

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be referred to their respective Committees.

The resignation of the Superintendants of Common Schools for the Municipality of Oshawa, and of the United Townships of Vespra Hills and Simonsdale laid before the Council. Ordered that they be referred to the Standing Committee on Education.
Ordered that the Council do appoint School Superintendants to the Townships of Vespra Hills and Oshawa, the Superintendants formerly appointed having resigned, and that the Committee on Education do report to the Council upon the subject.

The County Surveyor's Report No. 1 laid before the Council.

Ordered that the County Surveyor's Report No. 1 be referred to the Standing Committee on County Property.

The Auditor's Reports Nos. 1 & 2 with accompanying documents laid before the Council.

Presented the Petition of Thomas Bond, praying for a continuance of the Indigent Maxwell. by Mr. Keenan.

Presented the Petition of Amelia Coates, praying for a grant of a dispensation. by Mr. Lane. also of William Foster, relating to the Revival of the Indigent Maxwell. by the same.

Ordered that the Select Committee appointed to report on miscellaneous documents brought up a Report accompanied by a Draft of Memorial to the Governor General.

Ordered.

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Ordered - That the Report and draft of Municipal now read be adopted, that the latter be approved, signed and sealed by the Warden, and forwarded to the Council of the County Council.

Ordered - That the Petitions and Auditor's Reports now on the Table be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Appointments.

The Standing Committee on County Property brought up a Report.

Ordered - That the Report now read be adopted.

A Blank Copy of Collectors Rolls with Instructions from Mr. Sobies' Office laid before the Council.

Ordered - That the form of Collectors Rolls be referred to the Committee on Finance and Appointments, and that the Committee report the minutes required for the use of the County if approved of.

Adjourned - Wm. Anderson Warden

of the County of Simcoe

Court House, Paris
Wednesday 15th June 1854

The Council met, the Warden in the Chair.

Present	
Mr. Arwood	Mr. Lane
" Craig	" Lattimer
" Shroy	" Long
" Drummond	" Macomber
" Fraser	" McFarland
" Gallaher	" Pindy
" Howard	" Thompson
" Kelly	" Wilson - 16

Minutes of yesterday read.

The Standing Committee on Education brought up a Report.

Ordered - That the Report now read be adopted.

Ordered - That the Warden do appoint a committee to take into consideration the separation of West Simcoe from the County, in order to take any action which may be necessary.

The Warden nominated Messrs Lane, Arwood & Wilson.

Ordered - That a special committee of five members be chosen by ballot, for the purpose of taking into consideration the propriety of drafting a Memorial to the different Branches of the Legislature for an Act to enable the County Council of the County of Simcoe to levy the Taxes which may be

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be required to pay up the fifty shillings provided of that which they have taken in the Ontario Service and Edward Railway as a graduated scale of assessment.

The following members were elected by Ballot
Messrs Drury, Macomber, Wilson, Kelly, and Lane.

A statement of the aggregate amount of Real and Personal Property in the Townships of Egan and Appleton laid before the Council.

Ordered - That the Returns of the aggregate value of Property in the Townships of Appleton and Egan be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment.

Ordered - That the Warden do appoint a Committee to draft a Petition to the Government for a Free Grant of one hundred acres of land for an industrial farm for the benefit of the indigent of this County.

The Warden nominate Messrs. Drury, Thompson and Francis.

Ordered - That the Finance Committee do satisfy themselves, and report to the Council whether the various reports of the Townships have been correctly taken and returned to the Council.

A communication from the Chairman of the Board of Public Instruction laid before the Council.

Ordered - That the communication from the Chairman of

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the Board of Public Instruction be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment.

Completed
The Special Committee on the separation of the old Survey in West-Wellington from this County brought up a Report, accompanied by Draft of Petition to the Legislative Assembly.

Ordered - That the Report and Draft of Petition be adopted, that the latter be engrossed, signed and sealed, and forwarded to the Legislative Assembly.

Completed
The Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment brought up Reports Nos 1, 2, & 3.

Ordered - That the Reports now read be adopted.

Completed
The Special Committee appointed to draft a Petition to His Excellency the Governor General on the subject of a free grant of land for an industrial farm brought up a Report, with the draft of Petition.

Ordered - That the Report and Draft of Petition now read be adopted, that the latter be engrossed, signed & sealed by the Warden & Committee to His Excellency the Governor General.

Adjourned - Wm. Tomlinson Warden

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be required to pay up the fifty thousand pounds of stock which they have taken in the Ontario Service and Huron Railway on a graduated scale of repayment.

The following members were elected by Ballot
Messrs Drury, Macomber, Wilson, Kelly, and Lane.

A statement of the aggregate amount of Real and Personal Property in the Townships of Egan and Adolphus laid before the Council.

Ordered - That the Returns of the aggregate value of Property in the Townships of Adolphus and Egan be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Appointments.

Ordered - That the Warden do appoint a Committee to draft a Petition to the Government for a Free Grant of one hundred acres of land for an industrial farm for the benefit of the indigent of this County.

The Warden nominates Messrs. Drury, Thompson and Fraser.

Ordered - That the Finance Committee do satisfy themselves, and report to the Council whether the various assessments of the Townships have been correctly taken and returned to this Council.

A communication from the Chairman of the Board of Public Instruction laid before the Council.

Ordered - That the communication from the Chairman of

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the Board of Public Instruction be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Appointments.

Ordered - That the Special Committee on the reparation of the old Survey in West Guelphburg from this County brought up a Report, accompanied by Draft of Petition to the Legislative Assembly.

Ordered - That the Report and Draft of Petition be adopted, that the latter be engrossed, signed and sealed, and forwarded to the Legislative Assembly.

Ordered - That the Standing Committee on Finance and Appointments brought up Reports Nos 1, 2, & 3.

Ordered - That the Reports now read be adopted.

Ordered - That the Special Committee appointed to draft a Petition to His Excellency the Governor General on the subject of a free grant of land for an Industrial Farm brought up a Report, with the draft of Petition.

Ordered - That the Report and Draft of Petition now read be adopted, that the latter be engrossed, signed & sealed by the Warden & Committee to His Excellency the Governor General.

Adjourned - Wm. Jackson Warden

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Court House, Paris,
Thursday, 17th June 1857.

The Council met

The Warden in the Chair.

Present

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| Mr. Armeson | Mr. Lane |
| " Craig | " Estlin |
| " Shury | " Long |
| " Dunwoody | " Macomber |
| " Fraser | " Mc. Garland |
| " Wallaker | " Purdy |
| " Keenan | " Thompson |
| " Kelly | " Wilson - 16 |

Minutes of yesterday read.

Petitions presented.

Of certain Inhabitants of the Townships of Innisfil
Cassia West Gullibility & Tecumseh, praying that
a certain part of the Road north of Dundas
be Planked - by Mr. Dunwoody -

Of certain Inhabitants of the Townships of Mono
Mulmur, Adjida & Tecumseh, praying that a
sum of Money may be granted them for Road
purposes - by Mr. Mc. Garland -

Ordinations of Mr. Kelly, seconded by Mr. Estlin

Ordered - That the Petition of certain Inhabitants of
Innisfil

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Innisfil, Cassia West Gullibility and Tecumseh, be
referred to a Committee of five Members, to be chosen
by Ballot -

The following Members were elected by Ballot - viz;

Messrs. Kelly, Purdy, Wilson, Armeson, and Macomber,

Ordered - That the Petition of certain Inhabitants
of Mono, Mulmur, Adjida & Tecumseh be referred
to the Committee on Finance and Appropriation -

Drafts of certain Bills now before the Legislature, and
received from the Hon. Mr. Robinson laid before
the Council,

Ordered - That the Warden do appoint a Committee
and that the Documents now received, be referred
to said Committee -

The Warden, ^{Mr. Lane, Craig, and Wilson} to
compose said Committee -

The County Surveyor's Report No. 2 laid before
the Council -

Ordered - That the County Surveyor's Report
No. 2 be referred to the Standing Committee on
Finance & Appropriation -

The Special Committee to whom was referred Copies
of Bills now before the Legislature brought up a
Report -

Ordered - That the Report now read be
adopted -

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The Standing Committee on Finance & Appropriation brought up Reports Nos 4. & 5.

Ordered - That the Reports now read be adopted, and that the Warden do issue his Warrant for the payment of the claims contained therein.

The Standing Committee on County Property brought up Report No. 2.

Ordered - That the Report now read be adopted.

Adjourned till tomorrow at 9 o'clock A.M.
Wm. Anderson Warden

of the County of Simcoe

Count House, Paris
Friday 20th June 1857.

The Council met this morning pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden is the Chair.

Present	Present
Mr. Amerson	Mr. Kelly
" Craig	" Lane
" Drury	" Lattimer
" Dunwoody	" Long
" Ferguson	" Macomber
" Fraser	" McFarland
" Gullaker	" Purdy
" Keenan	" Wilson 16.

The Minutes of yesterday read.
The Special Committee appointed to report on the subject of Staking the Espir Swamp brought up a Report.

Mr. Purdy moved, seconded by Mr. Fraser, that the Report now read be adopted.

It was moved by Mr. Dunwoody, seconded by Mr. Long, in amendment.

That the Report be not now adopted, but that it be referred to a Committee of the whole.

On which the Yeas and Nays were taken as follows -

Yeas

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Yeas.

Mr. Dunwoody
" Kelly
" Lattimer
" Long H.

Nays.

Mr. Craig Mr. Keenan
" Deary " Lane
" Ferguson " Macomber
" Haver " McFarland
" Gallahan " Pender
" Wilson H.

Decided in the negative by a majority of 7.

The Original motion was then put, on which the Yeas and Nays were called for.

Yeas.

Mr. Craig Mr. Keenan
" Deary " Lane
" Ferguson " Macomber
" Haver " McFarland
" Gallahan " Pender
" Wilson H.

Nays.

Mr. Dunwoody
" Kelly
" Lattimer
" Long H.

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Carried in the affirmative by a majority of 7.

The Standing Committee on Finance and Appointments brought up Reports No. 6 & 7.

Ordered - That the Reports were read & adopted.

Ordered - That the Warden do appoint a Com. with two Constables.

The Warden nominated, Mr. Ferguson, Gallahan, & Mr. Farland.

The Commissioners of the Holland Landings & Bank Head Park Road brought up a Report accompanied by certain documents.

Ordered - That the Report were read with the accompanying documents by reference to the Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges.

One motion made and recorded the Council then adjourned till 7 o'clock P.M.

7 o'clock P.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges brought a Report accompanied by draft of Bylaw.

Ordered - That the Report were read & adopted, that the Bylaw were read a first time, be read a second time forthwith.

Ordered

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Ordered - That the Council do not go into Committee of the whole on the Draft of Bylaw now read a second time, but that it be read a third time forthwith.

Ordered - That the Draft of Bylaw now read a third time do pass, be engrossed signed and sealed by the Warden.

✓ The Standing Committee on Finance and Appointments brought up Report No. 8.

Ordered - That the Report now read be adopted.

Ordered - That the Committee on Finance and Appointments do prepare a Bylaw fixing the time for the Collectors to pay the County Rates to the Township Treasurers, as also the time for the Collectors Township Treasurers shall pay the said rates to the County Treasurer.

✓ The Committee on Finance and Appointments brought up Report No. 9 accompanied by Draft of Bylaw.

Ordered - That the Report now read be adopted, that the Bylaw read a first time be read a second time forthwith.

Ordered - That the Council do go into Committee of the whole on the Draft of Bylaw read a second time.

The Council went into Committee of the

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the whole on the draft of Bylaw, Mr. Drury in the Chair

The Committee of the whole rose and reported the Draft of Bylaw as amended.

Ordered - That the Draft of Bylaw be now read a third time.

Ordered - That the Bylaw do now pass, be engrossed, signed and sealed by the Warden.

Adjourned till tomorrow at ^{one} o'clock ~~two~~ P.M.

Wm. Amundson Warden

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South Horse, Paris, Saturday 21st June 1851

The Council met, the Warden in the Chair,

Present

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| M ^r . Arman | M ^r . Lorie |
| " Craig | " Lattimer |
| " Shury | " Long |
| " Summwoody | " Macconchy |
| " Ferguson | " Mr. Howland |
| " Gibson | " Puddy |
| " Gallaher | " Wilson 16 |
| " Keenan | |
| " Kelly | |

The Minutes of yesterday read.

The Special Committee appointed to take into consideration the propriety of Petitioning the Legislature for a graduated Scale of Excess must brought up a Report

It was moved by Mr. Kelly, seconded by Mr. Lattimer,

That the Report now read be adopted,

On which the Yeas and Nays were called for

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| Yeas | |
| M ^r . Summwoody | M ^r . Keenan |
| " Ferguson | " Kelly |
| " Gibson | " Mr. Howland |
| " Gallaher | " Puddy - 8. |

Nays

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| M ^r . Craig | May | M ^r . Long |
| " Shury | | " Macconchy |
| " Lane | | " Wilson 7. |
| " Lattimer | | |

Carried in the affirmative by a majority of one.

The Committee on Finance and Expenditure brought up Report No. 10 accompanied by Draft of By-law.

Resolved that the Report now read be adopted, that the Draft of By-law now read a first time, be read a second time forthwith.

Resolved that the Draft of By-law now read a second time, be read a third time forthwith.

Resolved that the Draft of By-law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed signed and sealed by the Warden.

The Standing Committee on Finance and Expenditure must brought up Report No. 11.

Moved by Mr. Macconchy, seconded by Mr. Kelly that the Report now read be adopted.

Moved by Mr. Lane, seconded by Mr. Wilson in amendment.

That the Council do go into Committee of the whole on the Report now read - Carried

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The Council went into Committee of the whole on the Report Mr. Puddy in the Chair.

The Committee of the whole rose and reported the Report without amendment.

The Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment brought Report No. 12, accompanied by Draft of By-law.

Ordered - That the Report now read be adopted, that the Draft of By-law now read a first time be read a second time forthwith.

Moved by Mr. Kelly, seconded by Mr. Wilson - Ordered - That the Draft of By-law now read a second time be read a third time forthwith.

Moved by Mr. Kelly, seconded by Mr. Latham in Amendment.

That the Council do go into Committee of the whole on the Draft of By-law now read a second time

The Council went into Committee of the whole on the Draft of By-law, Mr. Fraser in the Chair.

The Committee of the whole rose and reported the Draft of By-law without amendment.

Ordered - That the Draft of By-law be now read a third time forthwith.

Ordered - That the Draft of By-law now read a third time do pass, be engrossed, signed and sealed by the Warden.

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The Committee on Finance and Assessment brought up Report No. 13.

Ordered - That the Report now read be adopted.

Ordered - That the several Clerks do instruct the Clerks of their respective Municipalities to forward at their earliest convenience to the Clerk of this Council the number of sheets of Collecting Rolls that may be required for their respective Municipalities.

Ordered - That the Clerk be instructed to get the Minutes of this Council printed with as little delay as possible & forward a copy of the same to each of the Municipalities of this County.

Moved by Mr. Fraser, seconded by Mr. Kinnear.

Ordered - That the Treasurer be required to keep a correct account of the amount of fees received by him in each year, under the provisions of 13th & 14th Vic. Chap. 67, Sec. 33, and 13th & 14th Vic. Chap. 68, Sec. 2, for the information of the Council, and that the Clerk do notify him thereof.

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The Committee on Finance and Assessment brought Report No. 14, accompanied by Draft of Memorial.

Ordered - That the Report and Draft of Memorial be adopted, that the latter be engrossed, signed & sealed by the Warden and transmitted to the

The Committee on Finance and Assessment brought up Report No. 15 accompanied by Draft of Memorial.

Ordered -

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Resolved - That the Report ^{and staff of the Municipal Council} now read be adopted, that the latter be engrossed, signed and sealed by the Warden, & forwarded to his Excellency the Governor General.

The Committee on Contingencies brought up their Report.

Resolved - That the Report now read be adopted.

Adjourned till the second Monday in October next.

Wm. A. Warden

of the County of Simcoe

Third Meeting 1851.

Court House Barrie.

Monday 13th Oct. 1851.

The Council met ^{this day} in accordance to adjournment.

The Warden took the Chair and addressed the Council.

Present

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| Messrs. Armon | Messrs. Gallahan |
| " Craig | " Lane |
| " Darcy | " Lattimer |
| " Dunsford | " Long |
| " Fraser | " Mr. Farlane |
| | Wilson - 11. |

The following communications were read and laid on the Table.

From the Provincial Secretary acknowledging receipt of certain Memorials from this Council to be laid before the Governor General in Council.

From the Commissioners of Crown Lands relative to the Petition from the Council on the subject of a grant of land for an industrial farm.

Presented - The Petition of Adam Smith of the Township of King, & others, praying that the said Adam Smith may be allowed to enclose a portion of the Town line of King & York by Mr. Fraser.