

are not Justices of the Peace
 Moved by Mr. Stoddart and seconded by Mr. McLeod and ordered
 that the Council do now adjourn and stand adjourned until the
 17th day of November to meet in the Council Chamber at the
 hour of two o'clock in the afternoon

R. J. Stoddart
 County Clerk

J. I. Simpson
 Warden

Council Chamber Barrie
 November 17th 1913

The Council met according to adjournment.

The Warden in the chair

All members present

The minutes of the last session were read and confirmed

The Warden addressed the Council expressing his satisfaction on there
 being no illness to prevent the members attending at this session
 He stated that the expenditure on Badges during this year had amounted
 to 57.202⁰⁰ which was very much more than anticipated for that purpose
 He stated that he and Councillor Martin as instructed by the Council had
 attended the meeting in Toronto in connection with Railway Taxation
 and he had been informed that a Bill will be introduced at the next
 meeting of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario for the purpose of increasing
 the taxation on Railways in this Province.

The Warden presented the following documents which were read
 Communications, Mrs. Beecroft; See Collingwood Collegiate Institute
 Stewart & Stewart; A. M. Chapman, Alex. Cowan, Deputy Minister of Education
 W. H. Howie, Engineers Award Re. J. J. Davis Director Water Courses Act -
 Report of Inspectors re Lowry Stewart, Committee of Fred Lacroix to the
 Industrial School, Deacons, Royal Victoria Hospital, Joseph Ellis
 A. E. Stapleton, A. G. Gace, Jesse Webster, Alexandra Industrial School
 W. E. Baycroft, Village of Beeton, Victoria Industrial School, H. H. Nealon
 C. H. Cunningham, Report of Helen Mae Muechy re House of Refuge

Moved by Mr. Bell and seconded by Mr. Somerville and ordered
 that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of amending
 By-Law No 1078 of this Corporation guaranteeing certain debentures of
 the Town of Stayner and of passing a By-Law guaranteeing certain
 debentures of the Town of Stayner for installing Hydro Electric Power in
 the Town of Stayner under their By-Law No 496

Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. Simpson and ordered
 that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of introducing
 a By-Law guaranteeing certain debentures of the Village of Bradford

Moved by Mr. Ballant and seconded by Mr. McLeod and ordered
 that the Council do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning

J. I. Simpson
 Warden

Council Chamber Barrie
 November 18th 1913

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the chair

All members present

The minutes of the last session were read and confirmed

His Honour Judge Vance Senior Judge of the County of Simcoe who was
 appointed since the last meeting of the Council was introduced by the Warden
 Judge Vance addressed the Council expressing his pleasure in meeting
 so large a body of representative men and his desire to become personally
 acquainted with the members of the Council, He stated from the intelligent
 appearance of the men before him he felt satisfied the business of the County is
 in good hands he assured them he would consider it a pleasure to assist them
 in any way in his power to do so.

The Warden presented the following documents which were read

James Duff Award re Ditcher & Water Courses Act, Accounts, The Examiner
 Northern Advance, The Fall Planning Mill Co

Report No 1 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read

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

that the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Jenkins and ordered

that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of Mr. M. N. Stephens as one of the Auditors to audit
 the accounts of the County for the year 1914

Moved by Mr. Dundas and seconded by Mr. R. Bell and ordered

that the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of
 recommending a grant of one hundred dollars to assist in building
 the approach leading to the 4th line County Bridge opposite Lot 1
 Corn 3 Township of Essex,

Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Spait and ordered

that the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending
 the appointment of Mrs. Beecroft Esq. as one of the Auditors to audit
 the accounts of the County for the year 1914

Moved by Mr. D. A. Bell and seconded by Mr. Tom and ordered

that the Committee on County Property consider the advisability
 of recommending that a crossing be placed at the foot of the
 driveway in front of the Court House near the Registry Office on Worsley Street -

Moved by Mr. Gill and seconded by Mr. Letherby and ordered
That the Committee on Education take into their consideration the
advisability of amending By-Law No 1091 of this Corporation,
Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Graham and ordered
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of recommending
the payment of the railway fare of Alex Cameron to Cornwall having
at present in the County Gaol having being committed there as a
vagrant from the town of Wickie

Moved by Mr. W. J. Bell and seconded by Mr. Mullaad and ordered
That while thanking His Honor Judge Stone for the admirable address
he has favoured us with, we take this opportunity to congratulate
him on his appointment to the high and honourable position of
senior Judge of the County of Simons and feel assured from the
reputation of our new Judge for prominence in his profession
and the high esteem in which he has been held as a man of honor
that we are also to be congratulated on securing a Judge of his
lofty character and great ability

Moved by Mr. Lynn and seconded by Mr. G. Campbell 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
Communications Messrs Lewis, Ramsay Henry, re John R. Dillon
B. N. Davis re Fountain account, James Bateman

Report No 1 Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying By-Law
was presented and read,

Moved by Mr. W. Conkey and seconded by Mr. Somerville 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. Tom and seconded by Mr. G. Campbell and ordered
That the By-Law now read a first time be read a second time

By-Law read a second time

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Mullaad and ordered
That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time

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By-Law read a third time

Moved by Mr. Bethune 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 2 Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying By-Law
was presented and read.

Moved by Mr. Carter and seconded by Mr. Letherby 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. Gordon and seconded by Mr. Stafford 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. Caldwell and seconded by D. Spohn and ordered
That the By-Law now read a second time be read a third time

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By-Law read a third time

Moved by Mr. Jenkins and seconded by Mr. Finlay 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 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. McLeod and seconded by Mr. Gill

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. S. G. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Law in amendment

That the Report now read be not adopted, but be referred back to the Committee
for further consideration

The amendment was then put and declared carried

Report No 4 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

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

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 1 Standing Committee on Education with accompanying By-Law
was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Gill 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. W. J. Bell and seconded by Mr. Spott 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. W. Conkey and seconded by Mr. S. G. Campbell and ordered

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

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By-Law read a third time

Moved by Mr. Coupland and seconded by Mr. R. Bell 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 of Special Committee Re Extension of Boundaries of School Section
No 12 of the Township of Sloss was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Spott and seconded by Mr. Mullaad and ordered

That the Report now read being report of Special Committee appointed
by the Committee on Education be received and referred to the Standing
Committee on Education for their consideration

Moved by Mr. McLean and seconded by Mr. Spcott and ordered
That the County Property Committee consider the advisability of
providing more adequate accommodation for the County Judges in the
Judges Chamber

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Graham and ordered
That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of
recommending the payment of \$75.00 to R. Hisey Edinvale R.M.D for
repairs to the approach of the Van Clack bridge

Moved by Mr. Som and seconded by Mr. D. A. Bell and ordered
That the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability
of recommending a grant of \$500.00 to repair the road leading from
Collingwood to the 2nd line of the Township of Nottawasaga said road
being a County road on which County funds have already been expended
this being a leading road to the Town of Collingwood

Moved by Mr. Bell and seconded by Mr. Miller and ordered
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability of
recommending a special grant of five hundred dollars to assist
the Township of Oro to build connecting link on line between con 11
and 12 to connect County road north and south of Bass Lake

Moved by Mr. Spcott and seconded by Mr. McLean and ordered
That the County Property Committee consider the advisability of more clearly
defining the duties of the High Constable

Moved by Mr. G. Campbell and seconded by Mr. W. Som and ordered
That this Council desires to express its deepest regret at the great calamity
which occurred about the 9th of the present month whereby a great number
of the ablest seamen sailing on the Great Lakes lost their lives in the discharge
of their duties and whereas it appears from the list of lives lost that a
large number of the seamen had been residents or sons of residents of the
County of Simcoe, Be it therefore resolved that this Council at Council assembled
desire to express its deepest sympathy and condolence to the fathers, mothers
wives and families of the deceased and pray that a kind Providence will
guide and direct them in this life until they all meet in the happy Eternity
and that a copy of this resolution be entered on the minutes of this Council

Moved by Mr. Miller and seconded by Mr. Mullaard and ordered
That the Committee on Printing consider the advisability of presenting a
Report clearly defining what officials of the County are entitled to the use
of stationary free of charge

Moved by Mr. Hickling and seconded by Mr. Finlay and ordered
That Mr. Isaac Somers of the Township of Victoria be granted the
privilege of selling religious literature in the County of Simcoe
and that the By Law for bidding the same be not enforced in this case

Moved by Mr. Wood and seconded by Mr. McLean and ordered
That the Finance Committee consider the advisability of guaranteeing
certain debentures of the Town of Oshawa amounting to \$35,000.00

Moved by Mr. Mullaard and seconded by Mr. Martin and ordered
That this Council make a special grant of \$200.00 towards the Relief
Fund for Widows and orphans of sailors who lost their lives in the recent
storm on the Great Lakes and the Treasurer of this County be instructed to
issue a cheque for that amount in favour of the Treasurer of said Relief Fund
and that rule 66 be suspended for this purpose,
Moved by Mr. McConkey and seconded by Mr. G. Campbell and ordered
That the Council do now adjourn until 4.30 tomorrow afternoon

J. I. Simpson,
Warden

Council Chamber Barrie
November 19th 1918

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the chair

All members present

The minutes of the last session were read and confirmed

The Warden presented the following document which was read

Account; County Printer

Report No 5 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. G. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Som and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 6 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Stafford and seconded by Mr. Gordere

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. Hickling and seconded by Mr. Finlay on amendment

That the Report re Edinvale Bridge be amended by inserting that the sum of
Two hundred and fifty dollars the cost of repairs to engine and carrying
same be paid without prejudice and that the Report as so amended be
adopted

The amendment was put and declared lost

The original motion was then put and declared carried

Report No 7 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Somerville and seconded by Mr. Carter and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 8 Standing Committee on Finance with accompanying By Law
was presented and read

Moved by Mr. McLean and seconded by Mr. A. Bell 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. Wood and seconded by Mr. Bethune and ordered

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

Moved by Mr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Jenkins 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. Letherby and seconded by Mr. Caldwell 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. 9 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Dunley and seconded by Mr. Walker and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 2 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read

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

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 3 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read

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

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 4 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read

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

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 1 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Lynn and seconded by Mr. Somerville and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 2 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read

Moved by Mr. D. A. Bell and seconded by Mr. G. Campbell and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 3 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read

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

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 1 Standing Committee of the House of Refuge was presented and read

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

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 2 Standing Committee of the House of Refuge was presented and read

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

That the Report now read be adopted

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

That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability
of recommending a grant of \$500 to assist in completing the
road work on Dueson St. Tottenham said road being a connecting
link on County Road System

Moved by Mr. Gooders and seconded by Mr. Jenkins and ordered

That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability
of assisting the Township of Adgala in rebuilding Bridges and
Culverts destroyed by flood this year,

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

That as some difficulty has arisen as to the authority of paying for the
Pocket Directory published by the Northern Advance and annually
supplied to the members of the County Council, Magistrates and other
officials, Be it resolved that the Standing Committee on Printing
be requested to consider the advisability of giving authority for the
distribution of the usual numbers of said Pocket Directory as we
consider it is a very useful Directory to be in the hands of all the
officials of the County

Moved by Mr. Letherby and seconded by Mr. Tom and ordered

That the County Property Committee consider the advisability
of placing a desk phone in the Judges Chamber

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

That the Treasurer be authorized to place \$5000 to the Good Roads
account of the Village of Beeton the same being a special grant
made in June session report No. 9 Roads and Bridges

Moved by Mr. Heckling and seconded by Mr. Da Bell and ordered

That the Committee on Roads and Bridges consider the advisability
of recommending a special grant of \$5000 to be paid for the privilege
of letting a certain dam to be done away with on the Willows Creek
thereby protecting our County Bridge

Moved by Mr. Gooders and seconded by Mr. Jenkins and ordered

That the Treasurer be instructed to credit the Good Roads accounts
of Adgala and Lorrain with the sum of \$1000 each said amount
having been granted by Report No. 10 Roads and Bridges June session 1913

Moved by Mr. G. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Caldwell and ordered

That the Committee on Printing consider the advisability of recommending
that the usual number of minutes of this session be printed

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

That the Council do now adjourn until 4 o'clock tomorrow
afternoon

J. I. Simpson
Warden

Council Chamber Beane
November 20th 1913

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the chair

All members present

The minutes of the previous session were read and confirmed

The Warden presented the following document which was read.

Account of J. J. Coffey estate

Report No 3 Standing Committee on Finance which was referred back to the Committee at Tuesday's session was presented and read

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

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 10 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Jenkins and seconded by Mr. Finlay and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 11 Standing Committee on Finance with a accompanying By-Law was presented and read

Moved by Mr. G. Campbell and seconded by Mr. Gorn 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. Coater and seconded by Mr. Martin and ordered

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

By-Law read a second time

Moved by Mr. Gill and seconded by Mr. Letherby and ordered

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

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By-Law read a third time

Moved by Mr. Spohn and seconded by Mr. Walker 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 12 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. A. Bell and seconded by Mr. McLeod and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 13 Standing Committee on Finance was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Caldwell and seconded by Mr. Woon and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 5 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Jenkins and seconded by Mr. Gorn and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 6 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Soole and seconded by Mr. Graham 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. Martin and seconded by Mr. Scott and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 2 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Todd and seconded by Mr. Gill and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 3 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Coupland and seconded by Mr. Woon and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 4 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Finlay and seconded by Mr. W. A. J. Bell and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 5 Standing Committee on Education was presented and read

Moved by Mr. A. Bell and seconded by Mr. Spohn and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Mayor Cowan ^{of the Town of Beane} being present in the Council Chamber he was requested to take a seat on this day

Report No 4 Standing Committee on Printing was presented and read

Moved by Mr. Lynn and seconded by Mr. D. A. Bell and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Report No 1 Standing Committee on County Property was presented and read

Moved by Mr. McLeod and seconded by Mr. Lynn and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

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

Moved by Mr. McLeod and seconded by Mr. Bell and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

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

Moved by Mr. D. A. Bell and seconded by Mr. Todd and ordered

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. W. A. J. Bell and seconded by Mr. McLeod and ordered

That whereas owing to the difficulty of now selling the County Debentures

occasioned by the condition of the money markets and to provide funds for

necessary current expenditure our Treasurer after consultation with

the Warden and the Chairman of the Finance Committee wrote to the different

Municipalities offering a discount of one per cent on all County levies

paid by them before the 1st of November and whereas Beane, Colquhoun

and Victoria Harbor Municipalities acted on said offer and paid their respective

levy before the 1st of November, It is moved that such action of the Treasurer

be confirmed and that he be instructed to credit said three Municipalities

with one per cent of the County levy for this year charged to each of them

Moved by Mr. Finlay and seconded by Mr. Hickling and ordered

That the Roads and Bridges Committee consider the advisability of

permitting the Township of Vespra to over draw its Good Roads

Account to the extent of three hundred dollars

At the request of the Warden Mayor Cowan addressed the Council

congratulating them on the business ^{like} manner in which they

conducted the affairs of the County, He complimented the Council

on their grant of \$200.00 to the Relief Fund for the wives and families

of the sailors who lost their lives in the discharge of their duties in the great calamity which occurred on the great lakes a short time ago
 Moved by Mr. McLean and seconded by Mr. McLeod and ordered
 That the Council do now adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning

J. J. Simpson
 Warden.

Council Chamber
 November 21st 1913

The Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the chair

All members present

The Minutes of the last session were read and confirmed

The Warden presented the following document which was read
 Communications Secretary Ontario Securities Company

Report No. 8 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. Simpson and seconded by Mr. Graham and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 9 Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges was presented and read
 Moved by Mr. McConkey and seconded by Mr. Millard and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 10 Standing Committee on Roads & Bridges was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Jenkins and seconded by Mr. Dundas and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 3 Standing Committee of the House of Refuge was presented & read
 Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. Martin and ordered
 That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. W. J. Bell and seconded by Mr. Jenkins and ordered

That the Communications from the Ontario Securities Company be placed on file
 Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. McLeod and ordered

That we grant R. H. Jupp County Engineer the sum of \$50⁰⁰ towards his travelling expenses in connection with County work and that rules 65 and 66 be suspended for this purpose

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

That the sum of \$23⁴⁰ be paid by the Treasurer on the order of Councillor Stoddart, this amount being Smees's share for filling approaches to Holland River Bridge boundary line Counties of York and Simcoe and that rules 65 and 66 be suspended for this purpose

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

That the sum of \$28⁰⁰ be paid by the Treasurer on the order of Councillor Gooders, this amount being Smees's share for building two culverts on the boundary line Simcoe and Peel and that rules 65 & 66 be suspended for this purpose

Moved by Mr. Potter and seconded by Mr. Wood and ordered
 That this Council desires to place itself on record its appreciation of the very high and efficient manner in which our respected Warden J. J. Simpson has conducted the affairs of this County during his term of office. We have fully appreciated his executive ability and have noted with pleasure his hearty co-operation in the expedition of business coming before the Council at its several sessions. He has in short shown our choice to have been an excellent one, and he has in every instance advanced the interests and work of the County and now that his labor is soon to be completed we desire to take this opportunity of complimenting him on the great assistance he has given to this Council in conducting its affairs. We therefore wish to place on the minutes a record of the very high appreciation and esteem in which our Warden is held by the members of this Council and of the citizens generally. We wish him every success and extend to himself, wife and family our best wishes and trust that a kind Providence will ever watch over and guard those near and dear to him.

The Warden thanked the Council for their kind resolutions and assured them he would ever remember the pleasant associations of the past year.

Moved by Mr. Lynn and seconded by Mr. Gooders and ordered
 That this Council do now adjourn and stand adjourned sine die

R. J. Stetler
 County Clerk

W. Wood Warden