

Secounded by Mr. Brown

Ordered that the Report now read be adopted.

On Motion of Mr. McCouhey
Secounded by Mr. Parker

Ordered that the Clerk of this Council be instructed to procure a corporate Seal for this County.

On Motion of Mr. Driffie
Secounded by Mr. Brown

Ordered that the following be a standing Rule of this Council "That when any Report is brought before the Council, if objected to by four members it shall lie on the Table until its next sitting and then must be taken up on the first order of the day and disposed of."

On Motion of Mr. Little
Secounded by Mr. Brown

Ordered that the Clerk be instructed to procure the necessary numbers of copies of the Council for the January Session that they may be prepared by the 1st March, next and forwarded to the parties entitled to receive them.

On Motion of Mr. McClellan
Secounded by Mr. Brown

Ordered that the Council do now adjourn unto the first Monday in June next and then to meet at 12 o'clock noon.
G. M. Munnis, Warden

Council Hall Parrie
June 20th 1859

The Council, pursuant to adjournment, met this day.

The Warden in the Chair

Present. Messrs. McManis, Banting, Callaghan, Connor, Craig, Elder, Fraser, Gallagher, Johnson, Little, McBlain, McCouhey, Murphy, Orchard, O'Brien, Richmond, Sevon, Stubb, & Smith 19.

The Warden called the Council to order

The Minutes of the last day of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The Record of the Collierwood Benjamin Walker Smith Esquire having filed his Certificate took his seat at the Council.

The Warden addressed the Council at considerable length.

Letter from the Clerk of the Peace of the County of Simcoe enclosing Copies of presentments of Grand Jury at March and June Quarter Sessions 1859, presented and read.

Letter from Mr. Justice Richard with presentment of Grand Jury at the late Assize, presented and read.

Letter from Superintendent of Education with appointment of School Union presented and read.

Letter from the Attorney General as to the appointment of Prison Inspectors presented and read.

Letter from the Local Superintendent of Schools for Oso resigning his office presented and read.

Letter from Secretary Board Public Instruction of 2nd School District with account and vouchers presented and read.

Accounts of Bridge & Lock-up House and Keepers at Oribia presented and read.

Receipts from John McSheo for services paid on account of displacing Birds at the Narrows presented and read.

Letter from D. A. Harrison Esq. as to the publication of the Municipal Reports presented and read.

Letter from the Warden of the County of Gray presented and read.

Letter from Henry B. Hopkins Esq. as to decision of court of Common Pleas as to Byelaw authorizing sale of Rails as Stock presented and read.

Letter from the Warden of the County of Ontario enclosing copy of a resolution touching the Narrows Bridge and copy of reply of Warden of Prince presented and read.

Letter from the Receiver of the Guelph County as to Bondford Plank Road presented

and read.

Letter from Thomas Kueshman as to Bondford Plank Road presented and read.

Letter from the Clerk of the Council as to his resignation of his office presented and read.

Letter from E. J. Walker Esq. applying for office of the Clerk presented and read.

Letter from J. K. Montgomery applying for office of Clerk presented and read.

Mr. Richmond presented Petition from the Township Council of Matawajay praying for a grant for repairing a Road.

Mr. Richmond presented Petition from the Township Council of Matawajay praying for a Reduction of Taxation.

Mr. Callaghan presented Petition from A. Sloan and others for a grant of money to repair a Road ~~road~~.

The Warden presented Petition from George Little and others for a grant of money to repair a Road.

On Motion of Mr. McLain
Seconded by Mr. B. B. Dean

Ordered That the communication of R. B. Bernard Esq. County Clerk on the subject of his resignation be referred to a committee of five to be named by the Warden.

The Warden appointed Messrs. McElain
Frazer Little McCouhey and O'Brien.

On Motion of Mr. Smith
Seconded by Mr. Callaghan

Ordered That the several Documents now
before the Council be referred to their
respective Committees.

On Motion of Mr. McCouhey
Seconded by Mr. O'Brien

Ordered That Mr. Smith be added to
the Landry Committee on County
Property.

On Motion of Mr. Smith
Seconded by Mr. O'Brien

Ordered That the Committee on Finance
and Assessment be instructed to advise
the Assessment Rolls for the year

Report of the County Surveyor
presented and read.

Memorial from Five of the Councillors
at Alleywood presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. Smith
Seconded by Mr. Callaghan

Ordered That the Memorial now read be
referred to the Committee on Finance and
Assessment.

The Council then adjourned until nine o'clock
tomorrow.

A. M. Mann
Warden

Council Hall Parrie
June 21. 1859.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

Present Messrs. McManus, Bunting, Callahan,
Common, Craig, Elder, Frazer, Gallagher, Johnson,
Little, McElain, McCouhey, Murphy, Orchard,
O'Brien, Richmond, Smith, Sessions, Steele.

The Warden called the Council to order.

The Minutes of yesterday were read and
confirmed.

Letter from St. Casale praying for an
alteration in a Road presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. Smith
Seconded by Mr. Callaghan

Ordered That Messrs. McCouhey, Richmond
and the Mayor be a Committee to consider
and report upon the important matters
referred to in the Warden's address.

Mr. Common presented a Petition from John
Cumberland and others praying for an
alteration in a Road.

The Warden presented a Letter from the
Warden of Ontario with copy of the Act
and other acts assumption of property
in the Carrows Bridge.

On Motion of Mr. McElain
Seconded by Mr. Richmond

Ordered That the letter of Henry Cassels and the Petition of John Cumberland and others be referred to the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges.

On Motion of Mr Little
Seconded by Mr Callaghan

Ordered That a Special Committee named by the Warden be appointed to consider the propriety of petitioning the several branches of the Legislature on the measure contemplated by some of dividing the County for Depopulation purposes.

The Warden named Messrs Little Callaghan Craig Macaulay and O'Brien as the Special Committee.

On Motion of Mr DeClouhey
Seconded by Mr Callaghan

Ordered That the letter from the Warden of the County of Ontario respecting the narrow Bridge be referred to a Special Committee to be composed of Messrs O'Brien Smith Craig Macaulay and Little.

Moved by Mr Fraser
Seconded by Mr Simons

That whereas the right of appointing the Medical Officer to the Jail is by the Law Municipal Act vested in this Council and whereas Dr Archibald Ross of Barris is fully qualified to fulfil the duties thereof therefore be it resolved that the

Committee on County Property be instructed to prepare a By-law in accordance with this resolution.

Moved in amendment by Mr DeClouhey
Seconded by Mr O'Brien

That the motion be not adopted but that a Committee of Five to be named by the Warden be appointed to inquire into the Law on the subject and recommend a suitable party to file the office.

The Amendment was put and Lost

The original motion was then put and carried.

The Council then adjourned until soon after 10 o'clock this evening

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

Messrs Driffill and Parker took their seats

The Warden presented a letter from the County Judge James R. Howson Esq with copies of the Reports on the Consolidated Statutes of Upper Canada and of the Province requesting the acceptance by the Council of the latter.

On Motion of Mr Little
Seconded by Mr Drayton

Ordered That the thanks of the Council be tendered to His Honour Judge Howson for his courtesy and kindness in handing to the Council the copies of the Consolidated

Statutes of Canada and that the Clerk be requested to notify the abovementioned gentlemen of our grateful acceptance of the same.

The Warden presented a copy of the Minutes of the District Council of Simcoe from the year 1845 to the year 1848 which Jonathan Lane Esq. requested the Council to accept.

On Motion of Mr. Craig
Seconded by Mr. McClain

Ordered that the thanks of the Council be tendered to Jonathan Lane Esquire for the copies of Minutes of the Proceedings of the late District Council from 1845 to 1848 presented by him and that the Clerk be instructed to have the same bound.

Mr. Callahan presented a Petition from Perry McArdy as to his Statute Labour.

Mr. McCauley presented a Memorial from the Board of Trustees of the Simcoe Grammar School praying for a grant of money to enlarge the School House.

On Motion of Mr. McCauley
Seconded by Mr. McClain

Ordered that the Petition of the Trustees of the Simcoe Grammar School County of Simcoe be referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Parker presented a Petition from Neil Rogers and others for repairs of a Road.

Report of the Special Committee appointed to take into consideration the matter of the resignation of the Clerk presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. McClain
Seconded by Mr. Frazer

Ordered that the Report read be adopted.

On Motion of Mr. McCauley
Seconded by Mr. Cannon

Ordered that the Committee on Education be instructed to consider the desirability of recommending this Council to purchase a small library for the use of the Juniors of the County Jail.

Report No. 1 of the Standing Committee on County Property presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. McCauley
Seconded by Mr. McClain

Ordered that the Report read be adopted.

On Motion of Mr. Driffill
Seconded by Mr. Parker

Ordered that the County Surveyor be instructed to report to this Council the state of the Lock Guildenbury Bridge by way between the Counties of York and Simcoe.

Report of Special Committee appointed to consider the propriety of dividing the County for purposes of Representation with draft Memorials presented and read.

On Motion of Mr Little
Seconded by Mr Callahan

Ordered That the Report now read be
adopted that the Memorial attached be
expressed by the Clerk signed and sealed
by the Warden and transmitted to the
Honorable the Member of the Saugus
District and the Members for the County
of Suise for presentation.

Yeas

Messrs Callahan Craig Frank Johnson
Little McCouhey Orchard O'Brien Richmond
Smith Lessor's Steele 12

Nays

Messrs Bunting Common Driffle Elder
Galagher McClain Murphy & Parker 7

On Motion of Mr Driffle
Seconded by Mr Parker

Ordered That Messrs Parker McCouhey and
the women be appointed a special Committee
to prepare a Report on Public Roads, and
report to this Council.

On Motion of Mr McCouhey
Seconded by Mr Craig

That whereas it would add much to the
convenience and comfort of the people
of this County were a plank sidewalk
built from the Market House, in this City,
to the Registry Office, and thence to the County
House; It is resolved that the Committee
on County Property be instructed to inquire
into the probable cost of the same, and

if compatible with the present Finances of the
County recommend that it be built.
A. S. T.

On Motion of Mr Frazer
Seconded by Dr Richmond

Ordered That the documents now before the
Council be referred to their respective
Committees.

The Council then adjourned until nine
o'clock tomorrow morning.

G. M. Manns
Warden

Council Hall Barre
June 22. 1859

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden in the Chair

Present. Messrs McClain, Bunting
Callahan Common Craig Driffle Elder Frank
Galagher Johnson Little McClain McCouhey
McClain Murphy Orchard O'Brien Parker
Richmond Smith Lessor's Steele.

The Warden called the Council to order

The Minutes of yesterday were read and approved

Mr McCouhey presented a Petition from
the County Auditor praying an increase
of Salary.

Bill of Costs of "Municipal Council of Seneca
v. S. & H. R. Company" presented.

On Motion of Mr. McClain
Seconded by Mr. Richmond

Ordered That the Bill and account of
H. R. Hopkins Esq: be referred to the
Standing Committee on Finance and
Assessment.

On Motion of Mr. Couhey
Seconded by Mr. Smith

Ordered That the Trustees of the Senior
Grammar School of the County of Seneca,
having petitioned this Council for a grant
of money to enlarge and otherwise
improve the Grammar School House
in this Town, and whereas it would
facilitate the deliberation of the Committee
to whom the said Petition has been referred
and indeed the subsequent action of
the entire Council, were a personal
inspection made of the School House: Therefore
resolved, that immediately after the
adjournment, the members of this
Council proceed to the said School House
for the purpose of making such
inspections.

Report of Special Committee appointed
to take into consideration the letter of
the Warden of Ontario presented and
read with Draft of By-law which
was read a first time

On Motion of Mr. O'Brien
Seconded by Mr. Smith

Ordered That the Report now read be adopted
and the By-law read a first time be read
a second time tomorrow.

On Motion of Mr. Smith
Seconded by Mr. Callahan

Ordered That all documents now before the
Council be referred to their respective Committees

On Motion of Mr. Frazer
Seconded by Mr. Little

Ordered That it be a standing Rule of this
Council That all accounts for money and
other documents be handed into the Clerk
for presentation on or before the third
day of the session and that the Clerk
do give public notice of this Resolution.

Accounts of R. Goldie and R. T. Oliver
presented.

On Motion of Mr. Couhey
Seconded by Mr. Smith

Ordered That the accounts of Messrs. Goldie
and Oliver be referred to the Standing
Committee on Finance and Assessment.

On Motion of Mr. Parker
Seconded by Mr. Driffill

Ordered That the Standing Committee
on Roads and Bridges be instructed
to report on the necessity of this County
assuming in connection with the
County of York the Bridge on the West
branch of the Humber River between

This County and the County of York
known as the West Lincolnshire Bridge
and to report on the same to this
Council with Draft of Byelaw for
the same.

The Council then adjourned
until seven o'clock this
evening.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

Report of the Standing Committee on
Finance and Assessment presented and
read.

Moved by Mr. Fraser
Seconded by Mr. Cannon

Ordered that the Report read be adopted.

Mr. Richmond presented Petition of Joseph
Martin and others praying for a grant to
Road: also Petition of Edward Webster and
others praying for a similar grant.

On Motion of Mr. Richmond
Seconded by Mr. McClellan

Ordered that the Petitions read before this
Council be referred to their respective
Committees.

On Motion of Mr. Litch
Seconded by Mr. Driffill

Ordered that having examined the Statute
22 Vic: cap 95 bearing on the establish^{ment}

of separate Registry Offices in Cities, Division
Counties and Ridings of Counties in Upper
Canada we imagine any Memorial
emanating from this Body, having reference
to the subject should be addressed to the Power
having jurisdiction in such matter, therefore this
Council recommended that the preface of Memorial
addressed to the Legislative Council and House
of Assembly, on the Division of this County for
Registry purposes, be erased and the words
to the Governor in Council inserted instead.

Mr. Smith presented to the Council for the use of
the Committee on Education certain pamphlets.

On Motion of Mr. McCouhey
Seconded by Mr. Richmond

Ordered that the thanks of this Council are
due and are hereby tendered to Mr. Sheriff
Smith for his presentation of the ordinances
in relation to the School Department of the
City of Buffalo also four annual Reports
of Superintendent of Public Schools for the
same city 1853. 1854. 6. 7. & 8.

Report of the Standing Committee on Road
and Bridges presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. McClellan
Seconded by Mr. Orchard

Ordered that the Report read be adopted.

Report No 2 of the Standing Committee on
Road and Bridges presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. McClellan
Seconded by Mr. Fraser

Ordered that the Report now read be adopted
Report No 1 of the County Auditor presented
and read.

On Motion of Mr. Fuzes
Secounded by Mr. Connor

Ordered that Auditor's Report be
referred to the Standing Committee on Finance
and Assessment.

The Council then adjourned until nine
o'clock tomorrow.
G. M. Mann
Warden

Council Hall, Barrie
June 23. 1859.

The Council next pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

Present Messrs. McManus, Banting, Callahan,
Connor, Craig, Driffle, Eden, Fuzes, Gallagher,
Johnson, Little, McClain, McConkey, Murphy,
Orchard, O'Brien, Parker, Richmond, Smith,
Lisson's Clerk

The Warden called the Council to order

The Minutes of yesterday were read and
confirmed.

Communication from the Mayor of the
Town of Collingwood presented and read.

Moved by Mr. McClain
Secounded by Mr. Richmond

That the Communication of the Mayor of
the Town of Collingwood be referred to the
Standing Committee on Finance and
Assessment.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Fuzes
Secounded by Mr. Connor.

That that portion of the Report which
concerns the Communication from
the Mayor of Collingwood be referred to a
Committee of Five to be named by the
Warden

The Amendment was put and carried

The original motion was therefore lost.

The Warden appointed Messrs. Craig, McClain,
McConkey, Parker and Eden

Report No 2 of the County Surveyor
presented and read.

Letter from the Secretary of the Board of
Grammar School Trustees at Barrie
presented and read.

Report No 2 of the Standing Committee
on County Property presented and read.

Moved by Mr. McConkey
Secounded by Mr. Connor.

That the Report now read be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Frazer
Seconded by Mr. Common

That that portion of the Report which recommends
the appointment of an Assistant Jailor
be expunged

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Aye

Messrs. Baunting Callaghan Craig
Driffill McClain McCourry Orchard
O'Brien Parker Richmond Smith
Sessions Steele 15.

Yeas

Messrs. Common Elder Frazer Gallagher
Johnson Little and Murphy 7.

On Motion in amendment by Mr. McClain
Seconded by Mr. Common

Ordered That the Report was read be not adopted
but be referred back to the Committee with
instructions to strike out that portion of
the report which recommends the erection
of a wood shed

As the original motion was lost

On Motion of Mr. Parker
Seconded by Mr. Driffill

Ordered That Report No. 2 of the County
Survey or relating to the Bridge on the bank
to each of the Holland River be referred
to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

On Motion of Mr. O'Brien
Seconded by Mr. Craig

Ordered That the Byelaw referring to the
Narrow Bridge read a first time yesterday be
now read a second time.

Byelaw read a second time

On Motion of Mr. O'Brien
Seconded by Mr. Craig

Ordered That Byelaw now read a second time
be read a third time forthwith

Byelaw read a third time

On Motion of Mr. O'Brien
Seconded by Mr. Craig

Ordered That Byelaw now read a third
time do pass be expunged by the Clerk
and signed and sealed by the Warden.

On Motion of Mr. Frazer
Seconded by Mr. Little

Ordered That the Warden do communicate
with the Warden of the County of Ontario in
order to ascertain whether having assumed
the Narrow Bridge it might not be advisable
to make it self-sustaining either by the
establishment of a toll or otherwise.

The Council then adjourned until seven
of the clock this Evening

The Council next proceeded to adjourned

Report No. 3 of the County Survey or
presented and read.

Communication of P. J. Blair presented
and read.

Report No. 1 of the Standing Committee
on Education presented and read.

Moved by Mr. Craig
Seconded by Mr. Driffill

That the Report now read be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Callaghan
Seconded by Mr. Elden

That the Report now read be not adopted but
be referred back to the Committee to be
amended by striking out that part
which refers to the building of an addition
to the Grammar School.

The Amendment was put and lost.

Yeas

Messrs. Craig, Driffill, Truesdell, Johnson, Little,
McClain, Orchard, O'Brien, Parker, Richmond,
Smith. 11

Nays

Messrs. Baunting, Callaghan, Cannon,
Elden, Gallagher, McClain, Murphy, Sessions,
and Stebbins. 9

The original motion was then put and
carried.

Report No. 2 of the Standing Committee
on County Property referred back for

reconsideration presented as amended and
read.

Moved by Mr. McClain
Seconded by Mr. Smith

That the Report now read be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Truesdell
Seconded by Mr. Little

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

The Amendment was put and lost.

The original motion was then put and carried.

Report No. 3 of Standing Committee on Roads
and Bridges presented and read with Draft
of By-Laws for the assumption of the Bridge
over the West Branch of the Holland River
which was read a first time.

On Motion of Mr. McClain
Seconded by Mr. O'Brien

Ordered That the Report now read be adopted
and that the By-Laws now read a first time
be read a second time forthwith.

By-Laws read a second time.

On Motion of Mr. McClain
Seconded by Mr. O'Brien

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

Byelaw read a third time.

On Motion of Mr. McBlain
Seconded by Mr. O'Brien

Ordered That the Byelaw now read a third time do pass be expressed by the Clerk and signed and sealed by the Warden.

On Motion of Mr. Sesson
Seconded by Mr. McCoubey

Ordered That leave be granted to introduce a Byelaw to amend Byelaw No. 79 of this Council

Byelaw introduced and read a first time

On Motion of Mr. Sesson
Seconded by Mr. Parker

Ordered That the Byelaw now read a first time be read a second time

Byelaw read a second time.

On Motion of Mr. Sesson
Seconded by Mr. Parker

Ordered That Byelaw now read a second time be read a third time forthwith.

Byelaw read a third time

On Motion of Mr. Sesson
Seconded by Mr. Parker

Ordered That the Byelaw now read a third time do pass be expressed by the Clerk

and signed and sealed by the Warden.

On Motion of Mr. McCoubey
Seconded by Mr. Johnson

Ordered That Messrs. Craig Driffill and the Hon. be a Special Committee to memorialize the several branches of the Legislature on the subject of increased Sanatic Asylum accommodation in this Province.

On Motion of Mr. Parker
Seconded by Mr. Sesson

Ordered That the Communication of Mr. O'Brien be referred to the Committee on Printing.

Report of Select Committee appointed to draft Byelaw on Public Morals presented and read, and Byelaw read a first time.

Moved by Mr. Driffill
Seconded by Mr. McCoubey

That the Report now read be adopted.
lost.

Accep.
Messrs. Connor, Alden, Fraser, Gallagher, Johnson,
Little, Murphy, Orchard, O'Brien &
Gean

Messrs. Messrs. Callahan, Craig, Driffill, McCoubey,
Parker, Sesson, Smith.

The Council then adjourned until nine o'clock tomorrow.

G. McManus
Warden

Council Hall. Barrie
June 24. 1857.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

Present Messrs. McManus, Banting, Callahan,
Cannon, Craig, Driffill, Elder, Fraser, Gallagher,
Johnson, Little, McLain, McLanahan, Murphy,
Orchard, O'Brien, Parker, Richmond, Smith,
Sisson, and Steele.

The Warden called the Council to order

The Minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed

On Motion of Mr. Sisson

Seconded by Mr. Steele

Ordered That the County Surveyor be
instructed to lease the two or three acres
of the land procured by the Council for an
Industrial Farm for a period of six years
by Tender: the lessee to clear with less
than two acres per year and to cut no
timber on the land except for rails otherwise
than where he is clearing: at the expiration
of the lease to leave the improvements
under lawful fence, the rents to be paid
annually and the lessee to give sufficient
security for the due performance of the same

On Motion of Mr. Driffill

Seconded by Mr. Sisson

Ordered That the draft of the new regulating
public morals within this county be
handed to the select committee appointed
by the Council to prepare it

The Council then adjourned until three o'clock
in the afternoon

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

no Reports being ready to be laid before the
Council an adjournment was had
until seven o'clock this evening

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

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

On Motion of Mr. McLain

Seconded by Mr. Richmond

Ordered That the Report now read be adopted

The Council then adjourned until nine
of the clock tomorrow morning

G. McManus
Warden

Council Hall. Barrie
June 25th 1857.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

Present Messrs. McManus, Banting, Callahan,
Cannon, Craig, Driffill, Elder, Fraser,
Gallagher, Johnson, Little, McLain,
McLanahan, Murphy, Orchard, O'Brien, Parker,
Richmond, Sisson, Smith, Steele.

The Warden called the Council to order

The Minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed.

On Motion of Mr. McCoubrey
Seconded by Mr. Smith

Ordered
That the Municipal Reports referred to in the Circular of Robert A. Harrison Esquire Barrister at Law being a publication likely to contain much useful information Municipally as also the decisions &c &c in litigated cases as well as a general Review of the Schools and from time to time therefore resolved that one copy of the said Reports be ordered for the use of this Council.

The Council then adjourned until Two of the Clock this afternoon.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

On Motion of Mr. Driffild
Seconded by Mr. Craig

Ordered That the County Treasurer be and he is hereby required to pay a sum not exceeding seven Hundred Dollars to the order of the Corporation of the Barrie Common School in pursuance of Report No. 1 of Standing Committee on Education.

Report No. 2 of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment to whom was referred the Equalization of the Assessment Rolls presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. Frazer
Seconded by Mr. Little

Ordered That the Report now read do lie on the Table until Monday next then to be taken up as the first order of the day.

Report No. 5 of the Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. McClain
Seconded by Mr. O'Brien

Ordered That the Report now read be adopted.

The Council then adjourned until Two of the Clock in the Forenoon of Monday next.

G. McManus
Warden

Council Hall Barrie
June 27th 1859.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Warden in the Chair.

Present Messrs. McCoubrey, Montague, Craig, Callahan, Connor, Driffild, Elden, Brown, Gallagher, Johnson, Little, McClain, McCoubrey, Murphy, Orchard, O'Brien, Parker, Richardson, Smith, Lisious and Stebbins.

The Warden called the Council to order
The Minutes of Saturday were read and confirmed.

Appointments of School Trustees to

The respective Journals in the County of
Lancie presented and read.

Opinion of R. B. Bernard Esq: Barrister at
Law on case submitted by the Municipal
Council as to the remedy against the
Registrar of the County of York presented and
read.

Report of Special Committee on Commissions
from the Mayor of Halifax read presented and
read.

On Motion of Mr. Craig
Seconded by Mr. McLean

Ordered that the Report read be adopted.

Report No 3 of the Standing Committee
on Finance and Assessment presented
and read.

On Motion of Mr. Bruge
Seconded by Mr. Connor

Ordered that the Report read be adopted.

4th On Motion of Mr. Bruge
Seconded by Mr. O'Brien

Ordered that the Report and Table showing
the Equalized Assessments of the County
presented on Saturday last and ordered to
be laid on the Table the boundary be now
adopted.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Craig
Seconded by Mr. Gall

That the Report now read be not adopted
but that the Council do now go into
Committee of the whole on the said Report

The Amendment was put and carried

The original Motion was then put and
carried.

The Council went into Committee of
the whole Mr. Parker in the Chair

The Committee of the whole were reported
progress and asked leave to sit again.

The Council then adjourned until two
of the Clock this afternoon.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

On Motion of Mr. Craig
Seconded by Mr. Gall

Ordered that the Council do now go into
Committee of the whole on the Equalization
of the Assessment Rolls.

The Committee Council went into
Committee of the whole Mr. Parker in
the Chair.

The Committee of the whole rose without
reporting progress.

Moved by Mr. Lacroix
Seconded by Mr. Johnson

That a Select Committee be appointed to
equalize the Assessment Rolls to be

to be composed of the following gentlemen
namely Messrs. Smith Carter McLellan Craig
and Osburn.

Moved in amendment by Mr Little
Seconded by Mr Parker

That a special Committee of Five be
appointed by Ballot to equalize the
Assessment Doles for this County and
that the Committee elected proceed
forthwith to carry out this object.

The Amendment was put and carried

The original motion was then lost.

Upon the Ballot being taken Messrs. Osburn
Craig McLellan Parker and Little were
elected.

On Motion Report of Special Committee
upon an application to the Legislature for
increased Lunatic Asylum consideration
presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. McLouhey
Seconded by Mr. Dauphin

Ordered that the Report and Draft Memorial
be adopted expressed by the Clerk signed
and sealed by the Warden and transmitted
by him to the various branches of the
Legislature.

On Motion of Mr. McLouhey
Seconded by Mr. Smith

Ordered that the Warden address an

Circular letter to the Wardens of Counties and
Mayors of Cities and Towns in Upper Canada
with a copy of Memorial from this Council
praying for increased Lunatic Asylum
accommodation with a respectful request
that they will bring the matter prominently
before the bodies over which they preside
with a view to secure a united effort on
the part of all Municipal Bodies on so
important a subject and one so vitally
affecting a large number of our fellow subjects.

The Council then adjourned until nine
of the clock tomorrow morning.

G. M. M. Jones
Warden

Council Chamber
June 28, 1857.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair.

Present Messrs. McLouhey, Hamilton, Craig
Callahan, Jones, Dauphin, Little, Jones
Carter, Osburn, Little, McLellan, McLouhey,
Murphy, Orchard, Osburn, Parker, Richmond
Lester, Smith & Steele.

The Warden called the Council to order.

The Minutes of yesterday were read
and confirmed.

Report of Special Committee on the
Equalization of Assessment Dole,
presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. Craig
Seconded by Mr. Clain

That the Report now read be adopted

Moved in amendment by Mr. McCoubey
Seconded by Mr. Smith

That by virtue of the Assessment Law
the assessment of Towns and Villages,
are equalized by the addition only of
Ten per cent upon the annual value
which is under the statute the capitals
represented. Therefore in order to amend
the report pursuant to the law in such
case made and provided, be it resolved
that the same be referred back to the Committee
with instructions that such amendment
be so made.

lost.

Nays.

Messrs. Banting Callahan Common Craig
Driffle Elder Fraser Gallagher Johnson
Little McClain Murphy Orchard O'Brien
Parker Lussini and Steele 12.

Yeas.

Messrs. McCoubey and Smith 2.

Moved in amendment by Mr. McCoubey
Seconded by Mr. Smith

That the population of Barrie having
during the last eighteen months seriously
decreased, Trade languished and Real
Estate vastly deteriorated in value
the Council cannot understand upon

what principle or Equity the Committee on
the Equalization of the Assessment should
recommend an increase of sixteen
thousand four hundred Dollars upon the
assessment of the said Town of Barrie.
Therefore established resolved that the Report
be referred back to the Committee with
instructions to strike out such increase.
lost.

Nays

Messrs. Banting Callahan Common Craig
Elder Fraser Gallagher Johnson Little
McClain Murphy Orchard O'Brien Parker
Richmond Steele 16

Yeas.

Messrs. Driffle McCoubey Lussini Smith 4.

The Original motion was then put and
carried

Yeas

Messrs. Banting Callahan Craig Gallagher
Johnson Little McClain Murphy Orchard
O'Brien Parker Richmond Steele 14

Nays.

Messrs. Common Driffle Elder Fraser McCoubey
Smith 6.

Report of special Committee appointed
to take into consideration the Warden's
address presented and read and by a
read a first time.

On Motion of Mr. Smith
Seconded by Mr. Richmond.

Ordered That the Report now read
be adopted and the Warden read a
first time be read a second time forthwith.

Byelaws read a second time.

Report of Standing Committee on Roads presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. Drayton
Seconded by Mr. Craig

Ordered That the Report now read be adopted.

Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment presented and read with draft of Byelaws which was read a first time.

On Motion of Mr. Drayton
Seconded by Mr. Dickson

Ordered That the Report now read be adopted and the Byelaws now read a first time be read a second time.

Byelaws read a second time.

On Motion of Mr. Smith
Seconded by Mr. Driffle

Ordered That the Treasurer be authorized to hand over to the Committee on Finance all returned securities to be by that Committee cancelled and reported to this Council.

On Motion of Mr. O'Brien
Seconded by Mr. Craig

Ordered That a special Committee of three be named by the Warden to

to consider the action to be taken for the temporary care of the Harrows Bridge while arrangements are being made by the Warden with the County of Ontario for its permanent maintenance.

The Warden appointed Messrs. O'Brien, O'Leary and Gallagher.

The Warden addressed the Council and requested permission to leave this evening on business of importance.

On Motion of Mr. Drayton
Seconded by Mr. Connor

Ordered That the Warden be permitted to have important business to transact, to leave before the adjournment of this session and that Mr. Craig be the Chairman pro tem.

The Council then adjourned until seven of the clock this evening.

The Council went pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Craig took the Chair.

On Motion of Mr. Smith
Seconded by Mr. Driffle

Ordered That the Council do refer its Committee of the whole on the Byelaws respecting Harrows & Pedlar.

The Council went into Committee.

of the whole, Mr Little in the chair

The Committee of the whole were reported
progress and asked leave to sit again

On Motion of Mr. Fraser
Seconded by Mr. Little

Ordered that the Byelaws relating to
Schools read a second time to be read a
third time forthwith

Byelaws read a third time

On Motion of Mr. Fraser
Seconded by Mr. Dickenson

Ordered that the Byelaws now read a
third time do pass be engrossed by the
Clerk and signed and sealed by the
Warden.

Report of the Special Committee on
the Harrows Weir presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. O'Brien
Seconded by Mr. Gallagher

Ordered that the Report now read be
adopted.

On Motion of Mr. Fraser
Seconded by Mr. Dickenson

Ordered that the Queen of Orillia
be appointed a Commissioner on
the part of this Council to act in
accordance with the foregoing Report.

On Motion of Mr. Dickenson
Seconded by Mr. Connor

Ordered that a Special Committee of three
to be composed of Messrs. Lueson, O'Brien
and the warden be appointed to enquire
into an error which appears in Byelaw
No 81 of this Council whereby the Township
of Statawasaga was made to pay a
considerable sum above their proportion
of County Rates for 1858.

The Council then adjourned until 8
O'Clock tomorrow.

John Craig,
Chairman

Council Hall, Barrie
June 29, 1859.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

The Chairman in the Chair

Present Messrs. Baunting, Callahan, Connor,
Craig, Driffill, Elder, Fraser, Gallagher, Johnson,
Little, McLain, McLonhey, Murphy, Orchard,
O'Brien, Parker, Richmond, Sissons,
Stuk and Smith.

The Chairman called the Council to
order

The Minutes of yesterday were read
and confirmed.

Report of Special Committee on
the error in the Rail Road State of
Natawasaga in Byekaw law 81
presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. Dickmond
Seconded by Mr. Davis

Ordered That the Report now read be
adopted.

Report No 5 of the Standing Committee
on Finance and Assessment presented
and read with Draft of Byekaw which
was read a first time.

On Motion of Mr. Trason
Seconded by Mr. Little

Ordered That the Report now read be
adopted.

On Motion of Mr. Trason
Seconded by Mr. Dickmond

Ordered That the Byekaw now read
first time be read a second time

Byekaw read a second time.

On Motion of Mr. Trason
Seconded by Mr. Little

Ordered That the Byekaw now read
a second time be read a third time
forthwith

Byekaw read a third time.

On Motion of Mr. Trason
Seconded by Mr. Dickmond

Ordered That the Byekaw now read
a third time do pass be approved by
the Clerk and signed and sealed by
the warden.

Report No 6 of the Standing Committee
on Finance and Assessment presented
and read.

On Motion of Mr. Little Trason
Seconded by Mr. Little

Ordered That the Report now read be
adopted.

On Motion of Mr. McConkey
Seconded by Mr. Druffill

Ordered That the Finance Committee
be instructed to prepare a Byekaw
authorizing the sum of One Dollar and
Fifty cents per day to be paid to the
Council for their services that sum
being the extent of such allowance
as provided by the Municipal Law.

On Motion of Mr. Little
Seconded by Mr. Trason

Ordered That to the end that the
proceedings of this Council and the
Financial State of the County may be
more extensively circulated and
generally known, the Clerk of this Council
be instructed to procure such a
sufficient number of copies of the

Minutes of this Session, as well enables each Member and Deputy Reeve to obtain at least two dozen copies of such, over and above the usual number forwarded to County and other officials entitled to receive them by previous motions of this Council and that the same be prepared by the 1st of September next for distribution.

Report of Committee on contingencies presented and read.

On Motion of Mr. Murphy
Seconded by Mr. Johnston

Ordered that the Report and be adopted

On Motion of Mr. McCoubeey
Seconded by Mr. Driffill

Ordered that the following notice of Motion be inserted in the Minutes of this Council

Mr. McCoubeey gave notice that he will on the first day of the ensuing October Session move for the appointment of a select Committee of five Members of this Council to inquire into the provisions of the assessment Law of this Province in so far as the same relates to the mode of taking the annual assessment and the propriety or otherwise of memorializing the Provincial Legislature for such amendment in the said Law as will provide for the appointment of one or more persons in each County or County Assessors for taking such

annual assessment

On Motion of Mr. Driffill
Seconded by Mr. Pauling

Ordered that the Council do now adjourn until noon the third Wednesday in October next.

Yeas

Messrs. Pauling Callahan Connor Klen
Fraser Gallagher Johnson Little McClain
Murphy Orchard O'Brien Parker Lewis
Stich 15

Nays

Messrs. Driffill McCoubeey 2

The Council then adjourned until noon of the third Wednesday in October
G. M. Adams
Warden