

On Motion of Mr George Se<sup>r</sup> by Mr Hogg  
 Moved: That the Communication of Mr. Green  
 County Printer respecting the printing of the  
 Assessment Rolls is satisfactory and that  
 when he is authorized by the Clerk to print  
 and prepare the proper number of Ass<sup>ess</sup>  
 Rolls for the year 1864 in terms of said  
 Communication

On motion of Mr George Se<sup>r</sup> by Davis  
 Ordered that the Council do now adjourn  
 sine die

Thomas R. Ferguson  
 Warden

Minutes of First Meeting for 1864

Council Hall Barrie Jan<sup>y</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> 1864

The Reeves and Deputy Reeves of the respective Townships in  
 the county of Simcoe, together with the Reeves of the Towns  
 and Villages therein, met this day pursuant to the Act  
 respecting the Municipal Institutions of Upper Canada, Enacted  
 Statute, U.C. cap 154. And having filed their Certi-  
 ficates of Qualification and Office with the Clerk took  
 their seats in the Council.

Present	
William M. Clain Esq.	Reeve of Essa, P.O. Long Hill
George Davis	Dep. Reeve of Essa " Long
John M. Mann	Reeve of Tecumseh " Schomberg
James " Aberdeen "	" Mulmur " Mulmur
Robert Murphy	" Toronto " Arlington
Thomas Langley	" Adjala "
P. M. Kelly	Dep. Reeve of <del>Adjala</del> Keenawille
Thomas R. Ferguson	Reeve Simcoe " <del>Adjala</del> Barrie
W. A. Bradst	" Barrie " Barrie
W. C. Little	Dep. Reeve Simcoe " Maudslayi
George Clarke	Reeve Long & Fay " Waverly
James Rowat	" Gos " Braithurst
John Hogg	" Collingwood " Collingwood
Andrew Hodder	Dep. Reeve Westhillbury " Bond Head
Amos Warburton	Reeve Bradford " Bradford
John C. Steele	" Oro " Oro
John Keau	" Tillia " Marshmont
Thomas Elser	Dep. Reeve Mono " North Adjala
George M. Mann	Reeve Mono " Mono Mills
James Johnson	Dep. Oro " Rugby
John Craig	Reeve Medonte " Braithurst
Thomas Conpland	" Kottawasaga " Geensie
John M. Murchy	Dep. Reeve do " Collingwood Kent
Thomas Parker	Reeve Westhillbury " Bradford
Nathan Gissons	" Respra " Barrie
Thomas Saunders	Dep. Reeve Tecumseh " Court Hill

The Clerk called the Council to order and  
 requested them to elect their Warden.

was Moved by Mr Hogg Se<sup>r</sup> by Mr Parker  
 That T. R. Ferguson Esq be the Warden for the  
 Current year

It was also moved by Mr. John McManus  
Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Thomas Elzer.  
That James McManus Esq be the  
Warden for the current.

The Clerk of the Council having put the first  
motion, the same was carried,  
Messrs Messrs McClain, Davis, Aberdeen Murphy,  
Ferguson, Ardagh, Little, Clark, Rowat, Hogg,  
Stodders, Warburton, Craig, Coupland, McManus,  
and Parker 16 -  
Messrs Messrs J. McManus, Langley, Kelly,  
Steele, Kean, Elzer, J. McManus, Johnson,  
Lissens and Saunders 10 -

It was moved by Mr. Little Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Davis  
That the Council do now adjourn until 10 o'clock  
tomorrow morning in order that His Honor Judge  
Jordan may be requested to hold a special session  
for the purpose of administering the declaration  
of office to the Warden elect,  
Which being put to the meeting by the Clerk  
was carried unanimously.

Thomas A. Ferguson  
Warden

Council Hall Barris June 27th 1864

The Council met pursuant to adjournment  
His Honor Judge Jordan held a special session this morning  
to administer the declaration of office to the Warden, and  
addressed the members of the Council in a very eloquent  
and lucid manner on the happy and prosperous state of the  
County - setting forth at considerable length the happy results  
of the harmonious working together of the Judiciary and  
County Council.

The Warden having taken the declaration of office  
took his seat and called the Council to order,  
Present Messrs Aberdeen Ardagh, Clark, Coupland,  
Craig, Davis, Elzer, Hogg, Johnson, Kean, Kelly, Langley,  
Little, McClain, McManus, J. McManus, J. McManus, Murphy,  
Parker, Rowat, Saunders, Lissens, Steele, Stodders and  
Warburton 25.

Donald Shaw Esq. Reeve of Summerville, files his  
Certificate of qualification and office with the Clerk  
and took his seat in the Council,  
The minutes of the last day of last session and the minutes  
of yesterday were read and confirmed.

The Warden addressed the Council at length in  
his usual instructive and interesting manner,  
The Warden laid the following documents before the  
Council which were (viz. Com<sup>s</sup> from the Trustees of School Section  
No. 1 Muskoka, The Reeve of Collingwood Acct. of the Lockhouse  
Keepers of Collingwood, Bowman, Penetanguishene, & Bradford

On Motion of Mr. McClain Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Hogg  
Resolved, That the Warden do appoint the several standing  
Committees for the current year.

The Warden named the following Gentlemen to constitute  
the several committees, viz

Finance and Assessment Messrs, Parker, Little, Ardagh,  
Clark and Coupland

Education - Messrs - Craig, Kelly, McManus, J. Stodders & Aberdeen

County Property - Messrs - J. McManus, Lissens, Rowat, Kean & Warburton

Roads & Bridges, Messrs - McClain, Steele, Elzer, McManus and Langley

Printing - Messrs - Davis, Hogg, & Saunders

Contingencies Messrs - Murphy, Shaw and Johnson

Moved by Mr Hogg Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Stodders  
That Messrs Craig, J. McManus, Parker Steele, McClain, Aberdeen  
Warburton Copeland and the mover be a Special Committee  
to equalize the Assessment Rolls for the current year 1863

Moved in Amendment - by Mr Sissons Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr J McManus  
That the motion be not adopted but that the following  
gentlemen be a committee for revising the Assessment Rolls  
for the current year, namely Messrs, Parker, J. McManus,  
Sissons, Warburton, Craig Steele and the mover - lost  
Yeas Messrs J. McManus, Sissons & Sanders 3  
Nays Messrs - Aberdeen, Arday, Clark, Copeland, Craig  
Davis, Hogg, Johnson, Keen, Kelly, Langley Little, McClain  
McManus, J. McManus, Murphy, Parker, Rowat Shaw  
Steele Stodders and Warburton 22

The original motion was then put and carried,  
Yeas Messrs McClain, Davis, Aberdeen, Murphy, Arday,  
Clark, Rowat, Hogg, Stodders, Warburton, Steele, Johnson  
Craig, Copeland, McManus, Parker, Saunders & Shaw 15  
Nays Messrs - John McManus, Langley, Kelly, Little, Keen  
J. McManus & Sissons 7

On Motion of Mr Craig Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr McManus  
Ordered: That the several names of this Council do deliver  
to the clerk the names of those gentlemen with their post  
office address whom they recommend as Local Superintendants  
of Common Schools for the ensuing year

On Motion of Mr McClain Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Davis  
Ordered: That the several documents now before  
the Council be referred to their respective committees

On Motion of Mr McClain Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Davis  
Ordered that the Council do now adjourn, until  
nine o'clock tomorrow morning

Thomas H. Ferguson  
Warden

Council Hall, Barrie Jan<sup>y</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> 1864

Council met this morning according to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair  
Present - all members

Minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed  
The Warden read the following document before the Council  
which were read viz. Com. from His Honor Judge Goran, with a copy  
of the Northern Board of Public Instruction, Act of the Secretary of the  
2<sup>d</sup> Board of Public Instruction with vouchers, Com. from John Thaxter Esq  
Report of Co. Treasurer and 1 and 2 of Co. Surveyor, Petition of Mr. Hall  
Report of Special Committee on Co. Jail improvement, and also of John  
McLeod Dock Hutchins of Ontario and the Act of the Spirit of the Law

On Motion of Mr Little Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Davis  
Ordered: That the several documents now before the Council  
be referred to their respective committees

On Motion of Mr McClain Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Little  
Ordered: That S. M. Sandford Esq, be appointed Auditor for  
the current year

This Warden the Warden appointed Allen Lloyd Esq  
to be Auditor for the current year

On Motion of Mr Hogg Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr McClain  
Ordered: That the accounts from the town of Collingwood for repairs  
to the look up house laid on the table at the last session of this Council  
be referred to the committee on Finance and Assessment with  
instructions to take the same into consideration and report to this  
Council

On Motion of Mr Hogg Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Stodders  
Ordered: That a special committee be appointed consisting of  
Messrs, McClain, Sissons, Warburton, Keen and the mover to take  
into consideration the propriety of appointing a standing solicitor  
to this Council

Yeas Messrs Aberdeen, Clark, Copeland, Craig, Davis, Elder  
Hogg, Johnson, Little, McManus, Rowat, Saunders, Shaw, Sissons  
Steele, Stodders and Warburton, 17  
Nays Messrs Arday, Keen, Kelly, Langley, Parker, McClain  
McManus J. and Murphy 8

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Com. from J. C. Stewart Esq by the Warden and read

On Motion of Mr. Saunders Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Warburton  
Ordered: That the committee on printing be instructed to  
take into consideration and report on the propriety of having  
the Standing By-laws of this County, revised, consolidated, and  
if deemed necessary, printed,

On Motion of Mr. Arday Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Saunders  
Ordered: That upon the adjournment of this Council the members  
now present do proceed at once and visit the County Jail for the  
purpose of inspecting the same with a view of satisfying this  
Council in respect to the work now completed

On Motion of Mr. Parker Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Lison  
The Council adjourns until 7 o'clock this Evening

Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

The Warden laid the following documents before the  
Council which were read - Petition of certain  
Inhabitants of Muskoka - Resignation of Mr. Sandford  
Esq. and also of D. Crew Esq.

On Motion of Mr. Arday Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. J. McManus  
Ordered: That the resignation of Sidney M. Sandford Esq  
be accepted, and that Sidney Fraser Esq. be appointed  
Auditor in his stead for the present year on behalf of  
this Council -

On Motion of Mr. Arday Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Rowat  
Ordered: That the petition of James H. Jackson and  
other householders and settlers of the Township of  
Morrison praying to be annexed to the Township of Muskoka  
be referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs  
Kear, Craig, and the Mayor to report thereon

Report No. 1 of the Standing Committee on  
Finance and Assessment presented and read  
Moved by Mr. Arday Sec<sup>y</sup> by Craig  
That the Report now read be adopted

Moved in Amendment by Mr. McClain Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Hogg  
Ordered: That the Report now read be not adopted, but that  
the Council do go into committee of the whole on  
the same

The Council went into Committee of the whole  
on Report No. 1 of the Standing Committee on Finance and  
Assessment Mr. Craig in the Chair

Committee of the whole rose and reported  
Report No. 1 of the Standing Com. on Finance & Ass.  
Amended

Report as Amended read  
Moved by Mr. Arday Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Stoddes  
That the Report now read be adopted

Moved in Amendment by Mr. Little Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Parker  
That the Report be not adopted but that it be referred  
back to the Committee for further consideration

Cost Year 4 says 15 - Year Means Elder Kelly, Langley, Little, McManus  
and Parker - 6. From Officers Aberdeen, Arday, Copeland, Craig, Davis, Hogg, Johnson, Kear,  
McClain, Murray, Murphy, Samson, Stoddes, and Warburton 15

The Original Motion was then put and carried

On Motion of Mr. Hogg Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. J. McManus  
The Council adjourns until 9 o'clock tomorrow  
morning

Thomas C. Ferguson  
Warden

Council Hall Barric July 29<sup>th</sup> 1869  
The Council met pursuant to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

Present Messrs Aberdeen, Aradagh, Clark  
Copeland, Craig, Davis, Elzer, Hogg, Johnson, Kean,  
Kelly, Langley, Little, McClain, McManus, M'Murray,  
Murphy, Parker, Rowat, Saunders, Shaw, Sissons,  
Steel, Stodders & Warburton 25

The Minutes of Yesterday were read and confirmed  
On Motion of Mr. Kean Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Clark

Ordered that the communication and account  
from D. Crew Esq. be referred to the Committee on  
Petitions

Report No. 1 of the Standing Committee  
on County property presented and read  
On Motion of Mr. J. McManus Sec<sup>y</sup> by Kean

Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. J. McManus Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Aberdeen

That the several Collectors of the different Municipalities  
in the County are hereby authorized to continue to collect  
the amount of taxes unpaid on the collectors Rolls  
notwithstanding that the time has elapsed appointed  
by Bylaw No. 114 of this Council for returning said  
Rolls by said Collectors to their respective Treasurers, and  
that the said extension of time be in accordance with  
the provisions of the 104 section of Chap. 55 of the Const. Statute  
of Upper Canada, and subject to the restrictions therein  
contained

On Motion in Amendment by Mr. McClain Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Aradagh  
Ordered: That all from the words "that" be struck out  
and the following inserted, "that the Warden appoint a  
Committee of five to take into consideration the propriety of  
extending the time for collecting the taxes, and to amend  
Bylaw 114 of this Council for said purpose if  
deemed advisable

His Worship the Warden  
named Messrs McClain, Aradagh and  
J. McManus to be such Committee

On Motion of Mr. Parker Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Aradagh  
Ordered: That a Special Committee be appointed consisting of  
Messrs J. McManus, Aradagh and the Warden for the purpose  
of drafting a Memorial to the Legislature praying for  
Consolidation and Amendment of the Laws regulating the duties  
of Magistrates especially with reference to Summary Conviction  
so that the failure of Justices which now so often take  
place in consequence of there being no concise Rules laid  
down for the guidance of Magistrates, and sufficient power  
in the Court in cases of appeal to amend technical inform-  
ities in the form of emendations, may if possible be avoided

On Motion of Mr. Parker Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Johnson  
The Council adjourned until 7 o'clock P.M.

Council met according to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

Report of Special Committee on appointment of a Solicitor  
presented and read

Moved by Mr. Hogg Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Sissons

That the Report now read be adopted, lost  
Messrs Aberdeen, Copeland, Davis, Elzer, Kean, Little,  
Hogg, M'Murray, Saunders, Sissons & Warburton 11  
Messrs Aradagh, Craig, Johnson, Kelly, McClain, McManus, J.  
Murphy, Parker, Rowat, Shaw, Steel and Stodders 12

Report No. 1 Standing Committee on Education  
presented and read

On Motion of Mr. Craig Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Aberdeen  
Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 1 Standing Committee on Printing  
presented and read

Moved by Mr. Davis Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Saunders  
That the Report now read be adopted

Moved in Amendment by Mr. McClain Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Sissons  
Ordered: That the Report now read be not adopted but  
be referred back to the Committee for re-consideration

Report No. 2 Standing Committee on Finance and  
Assessment, presented and read

Moved by Mr. Ardagh Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Little  
That the Report now read be adopted

On Motion in Amendment by Mr. McLean Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Stoddard  
Ordered That the Report now read be not adopted  
but that the Council do go into Committee of  
the whole on said Report

The Council went into Committee of the whole  
on Report No. 2 of the Committee on Finance and  
Assessment Mr. Parker in the Chair

Committee of the whole rose and reported  
Report No. 2 of the Com. on Finance and Assessment  
amended -

Report read, and by request  
of four members ordered to lie on the table until  
morning - according to standing Rule of Council

Report No. 1 of the Standing Com. on Printing  
as amended was again presented and read

On Motion of Mr. Davis Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Saunders  
Ordered that the report now read be adopted

Report No. 2 of the Com. on Printing  
presented and read

On Motion of Mr. Saunders Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Hogg  
Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

Moved by Mr. McLean Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Sissons  
That the Council do now adjourn - lost

Moved by Mr. Hogg Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Stoddard  
Ordered: That the Council do now adjourn until  
9 o'clock tomorrow morning -

Thomas R. Ferguson  
Warden

Council Hall Barrie Jan'y 31<sup>st</sup> 1864

The Council met this evening pursuant to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

Minutes of yesterday

Present. Messrs. Aberdeen, Ardagh,  
Clark, Copeland, Craig, Davis, Elder, Hogg, Johnson,  
Kean, Kelly, Langley, Little, McManus, G., McLean, McMunchy,  
Murphy, Parker, Rowatt, Saunders, Shaw, Sissons, Steele,  
Stoddard and Warburton, 25

The minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed

Report No. 2 of Standing Committee on Finance  
and Assessment amended in Committee of the whole, and laid  
on the table last night by request of four members according  
to standing Rule No. 46 of the Council - was again taken  
up this morning

Moved by Mr. Kean Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Rowatt  
That Report No. 2 of Committee on Finance and Assessment  
laid on the table at the last sitting of this Council in accordance  
with Rule 46 be adopted

Moved in amendment by Mr. G. McManus Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Craig  
That the report do not pass but that the same be referred to  
back to the committee with instructions to strike out all that  
part of the report which relates to granting any money to Mr.  
Danks the Jail Contractor over the amount of his contract, but  
leave Messrs - Craig, Hogg, Kelly, McManus, G., McMunchy, Stoddard  
and Warburton 7

Messrs - Aberdeen, Clark, Copeland, Davis, Johnson, Kean, Langley,  
McManus, G., Murphy, Parker, Rowatt, Saunders, Shaw, Sissons and  
Steele

Moved in amendment by Mr. Kelly Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Stoddard  
That the Report be not adopted but that the same be laid over until  
the next session

On Motion in Amendment to the amendment by Mr. Little Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Parker  
Ordered that the Report now read be not adopted, but that the same be referred back to  
Committee for the purpose of amending the same by recommending as a gift  
to Danks the Jail Contractor \$500 instead of \$900, as therein set forth  
Messrs - Aberdeen, Ardagh, Clark, Copeland, Davis, Elder, Johnson, Kean, Langley, Little,  
McLean, Murphy, Parker, Rowatt, Saunders, Shaw, Sissons and Steele 18  
Messrs - Craig, Hogg, Kelly, McManus, G., McMunchy, Stoddard and Warburton, 7

On Motion of Mr. Little Sec. by Mr. Hogg.  
The Council adjourned until 12 o'clock on Monday next

Thomas P. Jensen  
Warden

Council Hall Barrie February 1<sup>st</sup> 1864  
Council met pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair  
Present Messrs - Abraham, Adolph, Clark, Copeland  
Cair, Alan, Elder, Hoff, Johnson, Keen, Kelly, Langley, Little  
McLain, McManus, J. M. Munday, Murphy, Parker, Rowat  
Samson, Shaw, Sissons, Steele, Stodders and Warburton,  
The Minutes of ~~the~~ last meeting were read and  
confirmed -

The Warden laid the following documents before  
the Council which were read & - Reports 1 and 2 of the Counties  
Auditors.

On Motion of Mr. Little Sec. by Mr. Parker  
Ordered: That the ~~reports~~ several documents now before the  
Council be referred to their respective Committees

Report of Special Committee on Collection of Taxes  
presented and read with accompanying By-law read a first time  
and was by request of four members laid on the table until  
evening -

On Motion of Mr. Steele Sec. by Mr. Craig  
Ordered: That the Committee on Roads and Bridges take into  
consideration the propriety of repealing <sup>that part of</sup> By-law No. 121 of this  
Corporation Council relating to the Road divisions of the Townships  
of the Townships of Oro and Medonte, and establishing ~~new~~ divisions  
on the same

On Motion of Mr. Johnson Sec. by Mr. J. McManus  
Ordered: That the Council do now adjourn until 7 o'clock  
this evening

Council met according to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair  
Moved by Mr. McManus Sec. by Mr. Adolph  
That the Report of Special Committee on Extending the time  
to collectors to return their Volls ~~as~~ which was read at the  
last sitting of the Council and ordered to lie on the table  
in accordance with Rule 46 of this Council be now taken  
up and adopted

The Report was taken up and read  
And on Motion of Mr. Hogg Sec. by Mr. Sissons (in Concurrence)  
Ordered: That the Council do now adjourn Report now read be  
not adopted, but that the Council do now go into Committee of the  
whole on the same

On Motion of Mr. Little Sec. by Mr. Hoag.  
The Council adjourned until 12 o'clock on Monday next

Thomas P. Jensen  
Warden

Council Hall Barrie February 1<sup>st</sup> 1864  
Council met pursuant to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

Present Messrs - Aberdeen, Keady, Clark, Copeland  
Craig, Alan, Elder, Hoag, Johnson, Keen, Kelly, Langley, Little,  
McLain, McManus, J. McManus, Murphy, Parker, Rowat,  
Sawman, Shaw, Sissons, Steele, Stodders and Warburton,

The Minutes of ~~the~~ last meeting were read and confirmed -

The Warden laid the following documents before the Council which were read & - Reports 1 and 2 of the Counties Awaiting.

On Motion of Mr. Little Sec. by Mr. Parker  
Resolved: That the ~~reports~~ several documents now before the Council be referred to their respective Committees

Report of Special Committee on Collection of Taxes presented and read with accompanying By-law read a first time and was by request of four Members laid on the table until evening -

On Motion of Mr. Steele Sec. by Mr. Craig  
Resolved: That the Committee on Roads and Bridges take into consideration the propriety of repealing <sup>that part of</sup> By-law No. 121 of this Corporation Council relating to the Road divisions of the Townships of Oro and Medonte, and establishing ~~new~~ divisions on the same

On Motion of Mr. Johnson Sec. by Mr. McManus  
Resolved: That the Council do now adjourn until 7 o'clock this evening

Council met according to adjournment

The Warden in the Chair

Moved by Mr. McManus Sec. by Mr. Hoag  
That the Report of Special Committee on extending the time to collectors to return their Rolls ~~as~~ which was read at the last sitting of the Council and ordered to lie on the table in accordance with Rule 46 of this Council be now taken up and adopted

The Report was taken up and read

And on Motion of Mr. Hoag Sec. by Mr. Sissons, (in Amendment)  
Resolved: That the Council ~~do now adjourn~~ Report now read be not adopted, but that the Council do now go into Committee of the whole on the same



The Council went into Committee of the whole upon Report of Special Committee on Collectors Extension Mr. Sessions in the Chair -

Committee of the whole rose and reported Report No. 2 of the <sup>Special</sup> Committee on <sup>Collectors Extension</sup> ~~Finance and Assessment~~ amended

Report as amended, with accompanying draft of Bylaw read a first time, On Motion of Mr. Hogg Sec. by Mr. Stodders Ordered: That the Report read as amended be adopted, and that the Bylaw read a first time be read a second time

Bylaw read a second time On Motion of Mr. Mannin Sec. by Mr. Aberdeen Ordered: That the Bylaw read a second time be read a third time

Bylaw read a third time On Motion of Mr. Mannin Sec. by Mr. Aberdeen Ordered: That the Bylaw read a third time as passed be expressed by the Clerk, and signed and sealed by the Warden

Report No. 3 of Standing Committee on Road and Bridges presented and read with accompanying Bylaw read a first time On Motion of Mr. McClain Sec. by Mr. Steele Ordered: That the report now read be adopted, and that the Bylaw now read a first time be read a second time

Bylaw read a second time On Motion of Mr. McClain Sec. by Mr. Elder Ordered: That the Bylaw now read a second time be read a third time

Bylaw read a third time On Motion of Mr. McClain Sec. by Mr. M. Munchy Ordered: That the Bylaw now read a third time do pass be expressed by the Clerk and signed and sealed by the Warden

Report No. 4 of Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment as amended presented and read

cleared by Mr. Ardagh Sec. by Mr. Sessions That the Report now read be adopted

Moved in Amendment by Mr. Mannin Sec. by Mr. Craig That the report now before the Council do not pass, but that the same be referred back to the Committee with instructions to further amend the same by striking out all that part of the Report which recommends a grant of money to Mr. Lamb, late Gaol Contractor lost Messrs Messrs Craig, Hogg, Kelly, Mannin, J. M. Munchy, Stodders and Warburton

Yays Messrs - Aberdeen, Ardagh, Clark, Copeland, Johnson, Kean, Langley, Little, McClain, Murphy, Parker, Rowatt, Saunders, Shaw, Sessions, Steele and Warburton 16 The original motion was then put and carried Messrs Messrs Aberdeen, Ardagh, Clark, Copeland, Johnson, Kean, Langley, Little, McClain, Murphy, Parker, Rowatt, Saunders, Shaw, Sessions, Steele and Warburton 17 Nays Messrs Craig, Hogg, Kelly, Mannin, J. M. Munchy and Stodders 6

Report No. 3 of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment presented and read On Motion Mr. Ardagh Sec. by Mr. Copeland Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted

Report No. 4 of Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment presented and read, and was ordered by 14 members to lie on the table until <sup>next sitting</sup> according to Rule 46 of the Council

On Motion of Mr. Little Sec. by Mr. Warburton Ordered: That the County Treasurer be instructed to confer with the Finance Committee respecting the most appropriate time to determining on the next approaching land sale for areas of taxes, so that every provision may be taken regarding the same, and that the Committee report on the result of such conferences at the present session

On Motion of Mr. Hogg Sec. by Mr. Parker The Council adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning

Thomas A. Ferguson Warden

Council Hall Barrie

July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1864

The Council met this morning pursuant to adjournment  
The Warden in the Chair

Present Messrs Abraham Ardaugh Clerk, Copeland  
Craig, Elder, Hogg Johnson, Kean Kelly  
Langley Little McBlain G. W. Mann, M. Munday  
Murphy Parker, Rowat Saunders Shaw  
Sisson Steele Stodders &  
Warrington 24

The Minutes of last meeting were read and  
confirmed

Moved by Mr Ardaugh Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Aberdeen  
That the Report No. 4 of the Committee on Finance  
and Assessment laid on the table last evening  
be now taken up and adopted

On Motion in Amendment by Mr Warrington Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Saunders  
Ordered that the Report of the Finance Committee be not  
adopted but that the Council do go into Committee of  
the whole on the same

The Council went into Committee of the  
whole on Report No. 4 of the Standing Committee  
on Finance and Assessment Mr. W. Mann in  
the Chair

Committee of the whole rose and reported  
the Report amended

Report Read

Moved by Mr. Ardaugh Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Hogg  
That the Report now read as amended be adopted

Moved in Amendment by Mr. Kelly Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Langley  
That the Report now read be not adopted, but be referred  
back to the committee to amend the same, by striking  
out all that portion of it which recommends the Committee  
on the consolidation of By-Laws to amend the By-Laws  
relating to Lockup houses lost

Yeas Messrs - Elder Johnson Kelly Langley Little M. Mann G.  
and Parker 7  
Nays Messrs - Copeland Craig Hogg Kean M. Munday, Murphy Saunders  
Shaw Steele Stodders and Warrington 11

The original motion was then put and carried  
Report of Special Committee on Drafting Memorial  
to the Legislature respecting the Laws relating to Magistrates  
presented and read with accompanying Memorial,

On Motion of Mr. Parker Sec<sup>y</sup> by Ardaugh  
Ordered: That the Report now read be adopted, that the Memorial  
be engrossed by the Clerk signed and sealed by the Warden and by him  
presented to the Legislature at the next sitting of Parliament, and that the  
Member for the North Riding in this County, together with the Hon. the Members  
for the Paupers and Midland Districts be requested to use their influence in the  
Legislature in order to obtain the accomplishment of the prayer of said Memorial

Report No. 5 of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment  
presented and read

Moved by Mr. Ardaugh Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr Little  
That the Report now read be adopted.

Moved in Amendment by Mr Hogg Sec<sup>y</sup> by Warrington  
That the Report now read be not adopted, but that the Council  
do now go into Committee of the whole on the same lost

The original motion was then put and carried  
Messrs. Messrs. Aberdeen, Ardaugh, Clark Craig, Elder, Kean, Langley  
Little McBlain, M. Mann G. Murphy Parker, Rowat Saunders Shaw  
Sisson, Steele and Stodders 20

Nays - Messrs Copeland Hogg M. Munday and Warrington 4

On Motion of Mr. Kelly Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Johnson  
The Council adjourned until 7 o'clock this Evening

Council met pursuant to adjournment  
Warden in the Chair

On Motion of Mr. Hogg Sec<sup>y</sup> by Stodders  
Ordered: That a special Committee of three be appointed to revise the  
Rules of this Corporation, and report the same to the Council, said  
Committee to consist of Messrs G. W. Mann, McBlain and the  
mover

Moved by Mr. Hogg sec. by Mr. M. Munchy  
That the account from the Town of Corporation of the town  
of Collingwood for repairs to the Lock up house in that town  
amounting to \$38 be paid, and that the Warden do issue  
his warrant to the County Treasurer for the payment of that  
amount, and that Rule No. 54 be suspended for the purpose  
for allowing the subject matter of said account, disposed of by the  
Council at a previous sitting, to be reconsidered

Moved in Amendment by Mr. Warburton sec. by Mr. Johnson  
That the matter of repairs done to Collingwood lock up house  
be referred to the County Surveyor to report upon at the next  
Session of this Council, and that the County Surveyor do  
report upon the efficiency of the various lock up houses through  
out the county at the next session of this Council

Moved in Amendment to the Amendment by Mr. G. M. Mann  
Sec. by Mr. Sissons

Ordered: That the subject matter before the Council be deferred  
until the next session of this Council, and then that the  
Council do take the subject of lock up houses generally  
into consideration

Yeas Messrs Aberdeen Clark Elder Johnson Kean  
Kelly Langley Little W. C. Clain M. Mann G. M. Munchy  
Parker Rowat Saunders Shaw Sissons Steele Stodden  
and Warburton

Nays Messrs Copeland Hogg M. Munchy and  
Warburton 4

Moved by Mr. Sissons sec. by Mr. Copeland  
That the Treasurer of this County be required to pay  
to the Presidents of the several Branch Agricultural  
Societies <sup>of the County</sup> the sum of twenty dollars each, to encourage  
them and assist the said several Societies in their  
efforts to forward the interests and welfare of  
Agriculture

Yeas Messrs Aberdeen Clark Copeland M. Munchy  
Rowat and Sissons 6

Nays Messrs Elder Hogg Johnson Kean Kelly Langley  
W. C. Clain M. Mann G. M. Munchy Parker Saunders Shaw Steele Stodden  
and Warburton 15

On Motion of Mr. W. C. Clain sec. by Mr. Sissons  
The Council adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow  
morning

Thomas R. Ferguson  
Warden

Council Hall Perth July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1864

Council met this morning according to adjournment  
Present Messrs Aberdeen Arday Clark Copeland Craig Elder Hogg  
Johnson Kean Kelly Langley Little W. C. Clain M. Mann G. M. Munchy  
Murphy Parker Rowat Saunders Shaw Sissons Steele Stodden  
and Warburton.

The minutes of yesterday were read and confirmed  
Report No. 6 of the Standing Committee on Finance & Assessment  
presented and read

On Motion of Mr. Arday sec. by Mr. Little  
Ordered: That the report now read be adopted

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

On Motion of Mr. Shaw sec. by Mr. Johnson  
Ordered: That the report now read be adopted

On Motion of Mr. Parker sec. by Mr. Little  
Ordered: That the synopsis of the eloquent and interesting address as  
reported in the Advance delivered by the Warden at the opening of this session  
of the Council be printed with the Minutes of this session, and that the  
Minutes be required to be printed and ready for distribution not later than  
six weeks from this date

On Motion of Mr. Aberdeen sec. by Mr. Hogg  
Ordered: That the Council do now adjourn and stand adjourned  
until the second Monday in June at 9 o'clock P.M.

G. M. Mann  
Chairman