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LINDSAY, FRIDAY, DEC. 10, 1886. LOCAL MATTERS.

VICTORIA COUNTY COUNCIL.

December Session.

THURSDAY'S PROCEEDINGS. The council met and after routine it was decided that the council should adjourn and proceed to the railway station in s body, when the following address was presented to the Hon, Sir John Macdonald, advantage having been taken of the passing through town of the premier and mem. bers of the government:-

To the Right Honorable Sir John A. Mac-donald, G. C. B., etc.

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31R,—The municipal council of the county of Victoria embrace the opportunity afforded by your transient visit to this county of congratulating you on your continued good health.

The material progress and prosperity that have blessed Canada during recent years, are also causes for sincere gratification.

The large increase in and development of our trade, commerce, manufactures and agriculture cannot but impress all true Canadians. To the successful completion of the Canadians. To the successful completion of the Canadian Pacific fallway; to the recent Colonial and Indian exhibition; to other energetically consummated works; as well as to the fostering care and spirit of the government of the Dominion, much of Canada's commercial, industrial and agricultural prosperity is due. We have seen with much national pride our great trans-continental railway form the chief link in the chain which binds the mother land to our sister Asiatic and Australasian colonies; and the chief highway for the interchange of the peaceful products of Asia, with Europe and America. As a power in stormy times its utility has already been proven in the conveyance to the Pacific slope of material for service in the unpacific times of war.

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material for service in the unpacific times of war.

The expeditious, firm and decisive manner in which during last year the hydra head of treason, rapine, resellion and munder, was crushed, deserves our especial praise and admiration; and causes every true Victorian to feel that his loyalty to queen, country and constitution, is not a mere sentiment; but a genuine reality.

For yourself personally the decorations recognitions and remaining honors conferred on you by our beloved Queen, Victoria, and the statesmen of Great Britain and Ireland, have caused the hearts of other loyal Canadians to beat with a pride second only to the righteous loy pervading the breasts of you and your loved partner, Lady Macdonaid

That you and she may long be spared to witness the blessings enjoyed by your fellow Cana-

ness the blessings enjoyed by your fellow Canadians, is the humble prayer of the municipal council of the county of Victoria. Un behalf of the council, NELSON HEASTIP, Warden. Council Chambers, 1 Lindsay, 2nd Dec., 1886.

FRIDAY'S PROCFEDINGS.

The council met at ten o'clock, with the Warden in the chair. Reading of minutes and adoption occupied a few minutes, after

On motion of Mr. Bowrs, seconded by Mr. LOWNSBROUGH, the report of the committee on printing was received. The council went into committe and the items report were gone over and approved of:
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attached to the county of Victoria... 478 68 etry office and county tressurer's office, The report in the usual routine was

On motion of Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. WALTERS, the report from the committee on county property was received, and in committee of the whole passed through fouring. The report covered items of expenditure for gas, coal, repairs to county buildings, plumbing, furniture, etc. Some discussion took place over items passed. Mr. DANIELS objected on ground that ome supplies (coal for the rooms of the law

be learned, without proper authority.

Items of rent for judge's chambers were disserved, and a communication from the inspector of public offices calling attention to the fact that no provision had been made for the safe-seeping of papers and docu-ments placed in care of the county judge and county attorney and urging that steps should be taken to provide such accommo-

Mr. DANIELS pointed out that such provicion was made and provided in the county buildings, and that these officials should use the rooms and vaults provided. There was no doubt but the accommodation ex-

isted.
Mr. Barron gave some facts in reply and said that having these offices down town was a mutual accommodation and a convenience.

Mr. FAIRBAIRN took the view that the county property should be kept together, and even if there should not be proper accommodation at the court house such must

Mr. BARRON explained that such accommodation could be had cheaper by renting the upper flat of the town tressurer's office. The item of account for fuel for law society was struck out of the report; also the item for rent of judge's chambers and caretaker. An item with regard to some sani-

tary matters and accommodation for the county judge was left over to the January session. The report - as altered - was on motion adopted in council. Mr. WALTERS moved, seconded by Mr.

SWANTON, that certain appropriations for charitable purposes be referred to the finance committee.—Carried.

AFTERNOON SESSION. The warden took the chair at 3 o'clock, and read a communication from the president, Mr. Berkley, and secretary, Mr. A. E. Stabback, of the union ploughmen's sesociation of the county. A satisfactory match had been held on October 20th.
Some discussion ensued on a motion by Mr. STARHACK, that the south riding society be requested to refund \$20 out of a grant of \$200 made to the gradety by the country. of \$200 made to the society by the county council at June session, said grant having been made on the understanding that \$20 would be expended in premiums for ploughing match, which it appeared had not been

Col. DEACON, for the south siding society, was heard and said the money had been set saids by the directors and in the spring would form part of the fund out of which prime would be made up.

Mesors, Starback and Hoykins maintained that the society should sound the

Mr. Butter.Er, it was decided that a har ance of \$34.50 left over from aggregation to defray expusion of judget disamble should be used in defraying a onel account of McLeuman & Co., and salary of one

Your committee beg to recomment of the following accounts: 48 35

naces of Lindsay entrance examinacount of Victoria Warder for printing certificates Lindsay, Oakwood and Omemee high school. 806

After some discussion referring to the grant to the Bracebridge model school the report was adopted.

On motion of Dr. Conwall, seconded by Mr. McQUADE, the report of the committee on finance and assessment was read and the council went into committee, Dr. Cornwall in the chair. The report was as follows:

A communication from Mr. Thos. Beall conveying the thanks of Professor Sausders, F. R. S. C., for the selection of specimens of applessent from this county to the Colonial and Isdian exhibition last spring, has been submitted to your committee, and they are gratified to learn that the fruit was equal to any from any part of

that the fruit was equal to any from any part of the empire.
Your committee recommend that a memorial be introduced praying the Dominion parliament to pass an enactment providing that barrels contains sait shall be stamped with the number of pounds packed therein. This matter has been brought under the notice of your committee by a circular signed by Mr. Henry Rensford of Clinton, which states that since the spring of 1885, owing to competition and lack of legislation, sait has been placed on the market weighing from 2001be, gross per barrel upwards. The circular further states, that when sait is thus packed light, no weight is stamped on the barrel; the purchaser concludes that he is buying a barrel of sait, or 280 bs. nett, which was the original standard, and so is defrauded in many instances to a considerable extent. The circular advocates the fixing of the legal weight of a barrel of sait at 280 hs. net, but your committee are of opinion that nurchasers would be sufficiently protected by the weight, whatever it might be, stamped on the barrel, as your committee favor a lighter than the original standard owing to the greater convenience in handling. There has been laid before your committee a

With regard to a communication from the clerk of the county of Frontenac asking certain information respecting the enforcement of the Canada temperance act, your committee recommend that the clerk be instructed to reply thereto as fully as receible. to as fully as possible.
Your committee have considered the resolu-

Your committee have considered the resolu-tion of council referred to them which proposes that the county treasurer be instructed to allow any municipality paying the county rate before the time appointed by by-law, the same interest that this council pays to the bank, and your committee recommend that a by-law be intro-duced to give effect to the terms of the resolu-

tion.

A statement has been submitted of the expenditure of moneys given in aid of the sufferers by fire in Tait's lumber camp in the township of Iraper, for which purpose a grant of spe hundred dollars was made by this council in January last, and the committee find it satisfactory.

Your committee recommend payment of accounts as follows:

Registrar Victoria, searches re tax sale. \$6.60
Registrar Muskoka, 200
Municipal committee, attendance and mileage. 24 70
Thos. Waiters, services procuring evidence in suit against Midland Railway Co... 4 00
David Walker, for same. 240
J. R. McNellie, expenses to Peterborough twice serving papers, etc. 340
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Your committee recommend that the usual al-owance of \$200 be made to the warden for the our committee recommend that Mr. J. R McNeillie be paid \$25 as an allowance for his services as secretary of special committees dur-

ing the year.

It has been represented to your committee that at the time this council made grants to mechanics' institutes in January last there was no institute in existence at Bayeville. Your committee therefore recommend that the treasurer be instructed to take steps to secure a refund of the amount granted to the institute which was supposed to be in operation at that village.

Mr. FAIRBAIRN said that he had serious objections to the clause of the report regarding the amount to be paid on demand of the license commissioners. The act was doing some good, but even with its defects if the council had the power to appoint its own officers to enforce the act things would be better. He wassatisfied that there would be a traffic carried on in liquor under the Scott act until amendments very strict in character were passed. Under the circumstances he thought it a hardship to have to pay out the sum asked with only very little good in prospect. He would not put anything in the way of temperance measures but thought the money thrown away.

Dr. Cornwall explained that the committee had the inspector for the south riding before them sud had ascertained some facts. About \$550 in all had been imposed in fines, of which amount about \$400 had been paid over into the hands of the police magistrate of Lindsay. In north Victoria, it was learned, about \$400 had been imposed in fines, of which amount about \$100 had been collected. In Musicks it was understood about \$250 of fines had been imposed, but what smount had been collected was not definitely known.

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and thought that the council be guided by the advice of their solicitor.

Mr. SWANTON and Mr. DANTELS spoke on the question and recommended leaving it over to the January session, pending legal advice.

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perance people some back-bone—so funds. He hoped to see that the amo called for for the administration of just in the county would be lessened on account the Scott act.

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Mr. FAIRBAIRN said he felt after hearing explanations that a delay until January would be prudent. Let the electors put Scott act men in the field and show by returning a Scott act council that they wished that body to vote the money.

Mr. FRIL quoted from the statute is reply to Mr. Fairbairn to show that the council could appoint its own afficers and pay them, too, if they wished, and that in any event the sum seked for by the commisioners must be paid into the bahk within one month after demand.

Mr. Barrow took Mr. Fairbairn to task on his proposed to carry this question to the polls, and said there could be no possible question but that the council had to provide the money. It was folly to talk of going to the polls on a question of the law. We must pay and might do se at once.

Mr. FAIRBAIRN acknowledged the force of Mr. Barron's remarks.

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Mr. Daniels claimed that the Scott act people had thrown out the challenge as to temperance men already, both in municipal and and parliamentary matters. He moved, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, that the report be amended by stating that the demand made by the license commissioners be left over until the January session for adjustment, and that in the meantime the fines collected be placed in the bank to the credit of the license commissioners.

Mr. Swanton urged that the most sensible thing to do was to pay the sum demanded.

Mr. Barron pointed out that if every man of the council next year was opposed to the Scott act it would make no differ-

to the Scott act it would make no difference the money must be paid.

Mr. KENNEDY urged that the council should do its duty like men and make the grant. The order in council allowed the flues to reimburse the council. Take these fines and make the grant. With regard to the working of the act he had never seen a glass of liquor drank since the act came into force. If each man done his duty the act might be made a grand success and a paying investment after all.

A vote was taken on the amendmentand it was declared lost on a vote of 15 to 10. The clause in the report therefore stands as recommended.

At finish of reading the report it was

APPOINTMENT OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS. On motion of Mr. BARRON a memorial was introduced to the legislative assembly praying that the law may be so amended se to provide that the county council shall have authority to appoint one member of the board of license commissioners for each license district, especially in view of the fact that the county is required to contribute two-thirds of the expenses of enforcement of the Scott set now in force in the county. This resolution was seconded by Mr. Lownsbrough and carried.

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The county treasurer was authorized to demand payment of all fines collected by parties under the Scott act, and that the same should be paid over at once. The council then adjourned until Satur-

SATURDAY'S PROCEEDINGS. The council met at ten o'clock, the warien in the chair. After routine-ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Mr. FAIRBAIRN presented the report of the committee on roads and bridges, and the council went into committee, Mr. Mc-Quade in the chair. Following is the re-

The committee appointed at the June session to examine the bridge crossing the Taibot river on the boundary between Eldon and Carden and erect a new bridge or repair the old one as they might consider to be advisable, report that after examining the structure they decided to erect a new bridge, and after preparing plans and specifications awarded contracts for the work of building bridge and approaches. The work has been completed to the entire satisfaction of the committee at a total cost of \$489. Your committee would express approval of the manner in which the committee entrusted with the undertaking have discharged their duties.

The commissioners appointed at the January session to expend \$150 in repairing the floating bridge across Pigeon river in conjunction with commissioners for the county of Peterborough, which county was to expend a similar amount, report that the full amount has been expended. The bridge and approaches have been put in good order. Your committee are gratified to know that the work has been done so satisfactorily.

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The reeve of Carden has produced satisfactor, vouchers for the expenditure of \$25 in repairing Mud lake narrows bridge, which was granted at the January session.

The reeve of Carden has also produced a satisfactory voucher for the expenditure of \$18 granted at the January session towards replanking Head river bridge on the 2nd con., Dalton.

At the June session this council granted \$50 for repairs on Lancaster's bridge on condition that the county of Peterborough should make a similar grant. The deputy-reeve of Emily, the commissioner for this county, reports that \$25 only was paid by Peterborough, consequently he expended a like amount. Your committee are gratified to learn from the commissioner's report that good work has been done for the amount expended.

The commissioners appointed at the January session to deal with the question of the erection

The commissioners appointed at the January session to deal with the question of the erection of a bridge across Grass river on the Victoria road, just south of Victoria Road Station, report that a new bridge has been erected for an outlay of \$99.50, the work having been done to their satisfaction.

Your committee recommend to \$65.41 be granted to the township repairs on bridge on Cameron rollinown as the mill-peach bridge.
Your committee have had been correspondence between the Your committee have had before them some correspondence between the warden and the commissioner of grown lands respecting the respection of a bridge across the Musician river on boundary between Stephensen and Macaulay. The warden inspected the site of the bridge. Your committee would recommend that ne action by taken by this council for the

The committee appointed at the June session with power to replank Rosedale bridge report that they had the work completed, including a number of new stringers which were found to be needed, in a satisfactory manner at a total cost of \$250.36. Your committee recommend that the report be received and satisfaction expressed with the manner in which they have discharged their duties. One of the workmen, Mr. Alfred Greenly, has sent to the reeve of Fenelen, one of the members of the committee, \$7.75, which he considers too small an amount for his labour, although he had signed the payshest. Your committee recommend that the money be paid to the county treasurer and that he be instructed to write Mr. Greenly that the money will be paid to him on demand. Your committee have carefully examined the reports of commissioners appointed to expend the general road appropriations made in January and found them satisfactory. A schedule containing particulars is appended hereto.

The report was passed without amend ALLOWING BANK INTEREST. A by-law was passed through routine, the purport of which is that bank interest will be allowed to municipalities that pay their county rate before the 1st March next. This by-law was approved and passed without amendment.

REGARDING THE SALT INTERESTS A petition to the house of commons of Canada praying that producers of salt be compelled to stamp on each barrel the quantity by weight contained thereon was put through the usual routine and approv-ed of.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE. special committee appointed at the January session for the purpose of procuring and presenting medals to volunteers of the county who served in the Northwest. The report showed that thirty-one medals were procured and presented. The amount granted by the county was \$250 and the mount expended, \$319.15, the having been made up from funds in the hands of other committees.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE. Mr. Fell spoke feelingly in introducing a resolution referring to the death of the late Dr.George Norris, for years an esteem-ed member of the council and also reeve of the village of Omemee. The resolution is

Moved by Mr. Fell, seconded by Mr. Broad, and resolved, that it is with deep feeling of sorrow that this council have lost a most exemplary and valuable member, George Abbott Norris, esquire, M.D., late reeve of Omemee, who since the last meeting of the council has been removed from this earthly sphere by death.

This council desire to place on record their high appreciation of his services as a member of this corporation for a number of years, and of the well-deserved esteem in which he was held as a citizen, on account of his accomplishments as a man endewed with superior intelli-

ments as a man endewed with superior intelligence coupled with varied learning, and because of his sterling, upright character.

This council desire to convey to the widow and children of their deceased collegence all the and calliaren of their deceased colleague all the consolation which an expression of heartfelt sym athy can afford them in their affliction, trusting that the blessing of Divine Providence may ever attend them; and that the influence of his children may be as conductive to the execution. his children may be as conducive to the encouragement of moral and religious rectitude as was so largely manifested in the life of their respected father.

Mr. BROAD in seconding the res referred to the personal popularity of the deceased gentleman and to the long and aluable services given to the county in a public way. In his own neighborhood no man was more esteemed, and his whole life was a lesson of integrity, ability and industry. The sympathy of the council for the family of the late Dr. Norris, as expressed in the resolution, was none too strongly stated and had the heartiest enioreation of the council.

Mr. CAMERON added a few remarks eulo

gistic of the late Dr. Norris, after which the resolution was passed unanimously, and it was ordered that a copy should be engrossed and forwarded to the family. CANADA TEMPERANCE ACT.

A memorial to the legislative assembly respecting some amendments to the Scott act was read and further taken up in com-Following is the text of the mem-

That the second part of the Canada Temper-nce Act of 1878 is and has been in force in the county of Victoria since the first day of May, That the county is liable, under the provi

That the county is liable, under the provisions of the statutes of Ontario, 41 Victoria, chapter 14, section 6, as amended by 44 Victoria, chapter 27, section 11, for two-thirds of the expenses incurred in enforcing the said act.

That the expenditure for the enforcement of the said act is chiefly under the control of the commissioners appointed by the lieutenant-

the said act is chiefly under the control of the commissioners appointed by the lieutenant-governor in-council.

That your petitioners are strongly ef opinion that owing to the fact that the county is required by the said statutes to provide the greater part of the funds necessary for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the said Canada Temperance Act of 1878, the ratepayers of the county through their representatives in the county of the expenditure.

Your petitioners therefore pray that the statute under which license commissioners are appointed for counties in which the second part of the Canada Temperance Act of 1878 is in force may be so amended by your honorable heuse as to give authority to the county councils in such counties to appoint one commissioner for each license district within the municipal limits of such counties.

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A resolution was then introduced by Mr.
WALKER, seconded by Mr. CAMERON, tendering the hearty thanks of the council to Mr. Nelson Heaslip, warden, for the excellent manner in which he had presided over the deliberations of the council durates and the council durates are the second secon

Mr. Heaelip thanked the council and expressed himself as feeling that he had been treated with great forbearance by members. It was gratifying to him to find that his efforts in the direction of economy and efficiency had met with commendation. (Applause.)

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