

Verulam Council.

Council met pursuant to statute on Monday, at the town hall, Bobcaygeon, and the following took their deciaration of office: J. J. Devitt, Reeve, Councilors Wm. Green, J. Mitchell, Chas. Logan, and D. Mc-Farland.

On motion of Messrs Mitchell and Logan, the clerk was instructed to communicate with Dr. Mason, M.P. P., requesting grants for Devitt's cement bridge and the bridge at Dunsford, opposite lot 4. .

On motion of Messrs. Green and Mitchell, Wm. Thurston and T. J. Ingram were appointed auditors.

On motion of Mitchell and Green, Alex. Dunseath was re-appointed assessor.

On motion of Messrs. Logan and Mcl'arland, the assessor's salary was placed at \$65.

On motion of McFarland and Green, the motion fixing assessor's salary was rescinded, and the salary made \$70.

By-law was passed accordingly.

On motion of Green and Logan, a grant of \$5 was made to the Children's Hospital, Toronto.

On motion of Mitchell and McFarland a by-law was passed consenting to the registration of a plan of Thurstonia, with streets less than 66 ft. wide.

On motion of Mitchell and McFarland Wm. Purdy was allowed bonus for 63 rods of wire fence, same to be changed to J. J. Devitt, commissioner.

On motion of McFarland and Logan, J. Southam was granted bonus for 90 rods of wire fence, same to be charged to Wm. Green, commission-

On motion of Mitchell and Logan, Jos. W. Taylor was appointed member of Board of Health.

Moved by Mitchell, seconded by Green, that the following accounts be passed:

Wm. Purdy, 63 rods wire fence, \$15.75; S. Thurston, D.R.O. at elcction, \$4.50; D. Logan, D.R.O. at election, \$4; J. Knox, D.R.O. at election, \$4.50; J. Flett, D.R.O. at election, \$4.50; T. J. Ingram, D.R. O. at election, \$4; J. Lawson, D.R. O. at election, \$4; J. Thurston, Methodist church, Dunsford, \$3; Wm. Thurston, S.S. No. 9, rent, \$3; J. Knox, treas. Bethel church, rent, \$3; G. Brooks, treas. S.S. No. 7, \$3: T. Ingram, treas. S.S. No. 4, rent, \$3; J. J. Devitt, S.S. No. 8, rent, \$3; J. Southam, 90 rods wire fence, \$22.50; Jas. Justus, 40 rods wire fence, \$10; Grant to Sick Chilthren's Hospital, \$5; Municipal World, election supplies, \$7.45.

On motion of Mitchell council adjourned to meet at call of reeve.

Fenelon Council.

The council of 1913 were re-elected by acclamation, viz: Reeve, Henry Tompkins; Councillors, John Lee, John Mark, Jos. Moynes and Wm. Smithson. The declarations of qualification and office were taken and the minutes of last meeting were confirmed. Aid was asked for by the Sick Children's Hospital.

Applications for assessing the township were received from H. W. Johnston, C. Reid, P. Mark and S. J. McKinnon. On motion of Messrs. Mark and Moynes, H. W. Johnston was given the appointment, salary \$90, he to pay postage.

On motion of Messrs. Smithson and Lee, John Cundal and Percy Mark were appointed to audit the 1913, accounts at \$6.00 each.

On motion of Messrs. Mark and Smithson, a by-law was introduced confirming the above appointments, also the Board of Health for 1914, the members of which are: J. W. Ray, M.H.O.; Reeve Tompkins and Richard Byrnell. The by-law was passed, signed and sealed, Mr. Moynes in the chair.

The following other motions received the assent of council:

Mark-Lee-That Wm. Arksey be appointed constable for Cambray village for 1914.

Lee-Moynes - That the Balsam Grove and Pleasant Valley Telephone comuanies receive permission to place their poles on the roadsides to Cameron and Fenelon Falls, they to observe carefully the statutes relating to the placing of obstructions on highways.

Smithson-Moynes-That Jno, Lee

Sale of Lands for Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that unless the arrears of taxes and costs are sooner paid, the undersigned will, on the 24th day of February, 1914, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the Court House in the Town of Lindsay, offer for sale the following lands:

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J. R. McNEILLIE, County Treasurer.

Lindsay, Jan. 19th, 1914.

be commissioned to have some grav-

elling done on the street near Cook's

Lee-Mark-That a by-law be pass-

ed at next meeting commuting the

statute labor of all parties having

summer cottages, and 'paying the

same at \$1.50 per day, also charg-

ing the same rate per day to all

other parties who wish to commute

Mark-Lee-That H. Stroud be paid

12½c, per rod on 87 rods wire fence.

Liee-Mark-That council grant \$5

Mark-Lee-That Wm. Styles be

Lee-Moynes-That the present wire

fence by-law be repealed and an-

other prepared and passed at next

meeting of council, embodying among

other principles the following :- 1st,

That the ordinary bonus be 25c. a

rod; 2nd, that the bonus be paid

for the removal of obstructions to

snow, and that only partial bonus be

paid where anything interferes with

the passage of snow; 3rd, that the

bonus be paid only when the work

has been passed by someone author-

ized to inspect it; 4th, that all par-

ties intending to erect wire fence

shall notify council on or before Au-

gust 15th of each year, giving (1)

the number of rods, (2) the number

rods not drifted and the number

Mark-Moynes-That council has

considered Jos. Moore's claim for

damages to buggy on culvert at Jno.

Westaway's gate, and believe that

they are not responsible for the

Moynes-Smithson-That accounts

Council adjourned, to meet at

Cameron on first Monday in March.

amounting to \$84.89 be paid.

drifted.

of wires in the fence, (3) number of

notified to remove the stone he dump-

him for a charitable purpose.

ed into ditch on con. 9, lot 18.

COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Editor of the Gazette. Dear Sir,-Regarding the sanitation of the different churches of the village don't you think, Mr. Editor, done toward instructing the caretakers and ushers of the said churches in regard to the proper ventilation of our places of worship? If they could be brought to understand that overheated churches are as much of a menace to the health of the people who assemble there as many other conditions which they shun to B. C. McKinnon, to be used by like the plague, they would perhaps have more consideration. If they could realize that it is difficult to attend properly to a service, to have a clear brain and a quick understanding while breathing in atmosphere surcharged with stale exhalations of humanity, they might perchance wake up to a sense of their duties. As a building propperly ventilated before heating twice as easily warmed as an unventilated one. Considerations economy alone might prevail if nothing else would to induce them to give us pure air in our churches, schools and other places of assemb-

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BURNT RIVER TELEPHONE CO, MEETING.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Burnt River Telephone Company, Ltd, will be held at Burnt River it is quite time something should be on Tuesday, the 3rd of February, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

S. Suddaby sec.

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