

Thorah Township Council.

Saturday, May 26th, 1888. Council met at 1 o'clock, p. m. All present. Minutes of last Council read and approved. Mr. Louis M. Hayes heard in the matter of a mistaken calculation in his offer for the Township debentures on the 19th of May and laid before the Council an amended tender offering \$1,700 premium. The Council filled out and ordered to be issued the instructions to the Pathmasters for the current year. Moved by Mr. Fraser, seconded by Mr. Brown that the report of the Township Road Commissioner in the matter of the approach to the bridge over the Talbot River on lot 6 in the 11th concession be referred to the County Council and that the Reeve and Deputy Reeve be instructed to press the matter upon the attention of the said County Council at its next meeting. Moved by Mr. Galloway, seconded by Mr. Fraser that Mr. William Dickson be offered the sum of \$60 for land on the centre of West half of lot 5, in the 10th con. sufficient to form a road at that point the said road to be bounded on the east by the centre line of the survey for a new road at that place.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Galloway, seconded by Mr. Fraser that two steel scrapers be obtained from Mr. William Smith of Beaverton and delivered to Mr. Christopher J. McRae and Mr. John Morrison, one to each, who are to be held responsible for the same as pathmasters of the township.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Morrison, seconded by Mr. Galloway that the Road Commissioner be instructed to deepen the ditch at Wm. McArthur's gate between 3rd and 4th con., lot 9, sufficiently to carry the water from that point to the gully.—Carried. A number of accounts were presented and ordered to be paid. Moved by Mr. Galloway, seconded by Mr. Fraser that the amended tender of Mr. Louis M. Hayes for the Township debentures be laid over for further consideration until Wednesday the 30th day of May and that explanations be requested from the parties tendering in the same manner as Messrs. Hall & Hayes.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Fraser, seconded by Mr. Morrison that the Council do now adjourn until Wednesday the 30th day of May, A. D. 1888, to meet at 6 o'clock, p. m.—Carried.

GEORGE SMITH, Sr.,
Township Clerk.

Our Village Fathers.

May 21st, 1888. The Council met as adjourned from last meeting. Present, the Reeve and Councillors Young, Westcott and Campbell. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. Communication read from London & Canadian L. and A. Co. re. debentures also petition from Jas. Ritchie and 13 others praying that an official be appointed to enforce the By-law regulating the early closing of shops.—No action taken on petition. Moved by Mr. Westcott, seconded by Mr. Campbell that appropriations be made for the following improvements of streets and sidewalks, viz.: On Main and Mara Streets from bridge to Methodist church, a new sidewalk 6 feet wide; on Victoria street extension of old sidewalk and graveling; on Mill and part of Simcoe streets from John Proctor's to Bay street, a new 6 ft. sidewalk; on Simcoe street west towards lake, 90 rods of new 4 ft. sidewalk; on Simcoe street east extension to pass culvert west of Gillespie's gate a 4 ft. sidewalk; at H. West's cutting and levelling hill on Simcoe street graveling westward from John street; on Franklin street turnpiking as may be found necessary.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Westcott that the account of Jno. A. Cartwright of \$25 for preparing bill and attending same for legislation re. municipal debentures be paid and that 1/3 of that sum be charged to the Corporation of Thorah.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Westcott, seconded by Mr. Campbell that Mr. Jas. C. Edgar be granted \$10 towards compensation for his loss sustained in his late contract, repairing the bridge.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Campbell that this Council do now adjourn to meet on Friday, May 25th, at 7 o'clock, p. m.—Carried.

GEORGE SMITH, jr.,
Village Clerk.

THE PRESS.

The years that have elapsed since the close of the civil war have served to obliterate all sectional feeling, and a united nation joins in keeping green the graves of all its beloved dead. It is in this spirit that the publisher of the "New York Family Story Paper" has had written a thrilling and pathetic romance, peculiarly appropriate to this national holiday, entitled "Faithful Coonore; or, His Grave Kept Green." In the same paper will also be found a weekly instalment of the "Life and Adventures as a Showman of P. T. Barnum," written by himself and equally interesting to the young folks as well as heads of families. These are rare literary treats, and those of our readers who are not already enjoying them will do well to obtain No. 766 of the "New York Family Story Paper" of their news-dealer or send direct to the publisher, Munro's Publishing House, Nos. 24 and 26 Vandewater Street, New York, and receive the paper four months for ONE DOLLAR, postage free.

CARTER & CO., BANKRUPT STORE.

was besieged on Saturday.

- Crowded Day and Night. -

There were waited on by salesmen on Saturday May 25th

462 CUSTOMERS

who bought goods and paid for them in our Bankrupt Store between the hours of 8 a. m. and 12 p. m. Any persons doubting this, we are prepared to make an affidavit to the correction at any time.

We consider that fully 600 people were in our shop as we could not begin to wait on them all.

STACKS OF GOODS

yet left to be

—slaughtered during the next few weeks.—

Remember this is the Bankrupt Stock of

Sootheran Cathro & Mark,

which we are now busy slaughtering.

Opposite the "Benson House." One door east of Primeau's grocery. Emblem of Red Flag.

M. J. CARTER & Co.,

Colborne and Lindsay.

CHEAPEST DRY GOODS MEN IN CANADA.

DO YOU
INTEND TO BUILD
THIS SUMMER?

If the above question is interesting to you fair reader give the following facts your careful consideration, viz:

That the Beaverton Foundry cannot be beaten for its Wood-working Facilities.

That we can and do work as cheaply as any other factory in the land.

That our work will all bear inspection in point of finish and material.

Planing, Matching, Californian Siding, Moulding, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Fencing, &c., at the Shortest Possible Notice.

Before contracting for work get an estimate from me and you will be satisfied that our figures are right.

COLIN CAMPBELL,
BEAVERTON

Beaverton, March 1st, 1888.

SPRING PAINTING!

The Spring Season will soon be here and with it the usual rush to have all kinds of work in the Painting line executed. If you have anything to be done in that line this season place your order early and thus secure prompt attention.

I am prepared to execute all orders for House-Painting, Paper Hanging, Kalsomining, and all other branches of the Painting Business,

promptly and at the lowest possible prices consistent with good work.

Call or address Box 114, Beaverton, and secure estimates before giving out your work.

J. W. WHYTE,
BEAVERTON.

Beaverton, March 9th, 1888

Farmers!

Ploughs, 3 Patterns, Gang Ploughs (2 and 3 Furrows)

Land Rollers Seed Drills Horse Rakes, Binders, Reapers and Mowers at

Beaverton Foundry
W. SMITH
March 26, 86-17 PROPRIETOR

SALESMEN WANTED!

to canvass for the sale of Nursery Stock! Steady employment guaranteed. Either SALARY OR COMMISSION. Apply at once, stating age. (Refer to this paper.)

CHASE BROS., COLBORNE, ONT.

NOTICE OF VISIT.



Understanding the difficulty of parties living in small towns being accurately fitted with Spectacles suited exactly to the different sights,

N. STANLEY,
18 JEWIN ST., LONDON, ENGLAND,
AND 79 BAY ST., TORONTO, CANADA.

Intends sending a practical Optician to their Agent in your town at regular intervals who will be competent to measure and accommodate every defect of the eyesight that is prevalent. He will in every instance use the Firm's Celebrated Spectacles and Eyeglasses so well known to-day throughout the civilized world for the delightful ease and comfort they confer on the wearer. There is no

Glimmering, Wavering, Bizziness

or other distressing sensations so common in the many grades at present in the market but they

COMFORT; STRENGTHEN & PRESERVE THE SIGHT.

Take care that you are not at present wearing a Spectacle which is not exactly adjusted to your sight and consequently acting as a severe strain on the Optical Nerves and remember that such a delicate organism as that of the Eye requires exact accommodation.

-No Charge Made for Examination.-

THE BEAVERTON

WOOLLEN MILL!

During the past Season I have made extensive additions and improvements to the machinery in my mill and am now in a better position than ever before for the season's Wool Trade.

I have now a large stock, our own make, of

White and Grey Blankets, Flannels, Tweeds, Yarn &c., also Cotton-ades, Shirtings, Prints, Grey Cottons

and other Staple Goods, which will be sold cheap in exchange for WOOL.

—CUSTOM WORK DONE AS USUAL!—
GIVE ME A CALL BEFORE SELLING YOUR WOOL.

C. T. YOUNG,

Beaverton.

MONTREAL HOUSE. TO THE FRONT AGAIN.

We have prepared for the business of 1888 an enormous stock in all the lines of our trade and we now place before our customers the choicest selections to be obtained in the market of the world in

DRY GOODS.

We offer handsome lines in

---English, Scotch and Canadian Tweeds,--- and we furnish suits to order at lowest figures. All our GENTS' FURNISHINGS are new and fashionable. We lead the trade in this line.

LADIES:—Before buying your summer supplies call and see our stock of Millinery which has been carefully selected from the best houses in the trade. Our MissGunn is too well known to the ladies of this district to require any remarks as to her ability or taste. Enough to say she has spent a season in Toronto in the study of the latest fashions and is fully prepared to meet the tastes of the most fastidious. Call and see our large stock of Dress Goods. We are showing an immense range in Spring and Summer Wear.

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For the summer season we are now opening several cases of Hats of all kinds, Felt and Straw Goods. Our Felt Goods both hard and soft will be found the latest and we believe the cheapest.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

As usual we carry a heavy stock in this line and by the best makers in the Dominion Markets. All grades at very lowest figures.

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We keep constantly on hand a full supply of Fresh Groceries.

Jas. RITCHIE,

Highest Price for Eggs and Butter. Beaverton, Ont.

Manufactured only at THOMAS HOLLOWAY'S ESTABLISHMENT, 78, NEW OXFORD STREET, LONDON.

THE PILLS
Purify the Blood, correct all Disorders of the LIVER, STOMACH, KIDNEYS AND BOWELS. They invigorate and restore to health Debilitated Constitutions. In all Female Complaints are invaluable. For Children and the aged they are priceless.

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Is an infallible remedy for Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, Old Wounds, Sores and Ulcers. It is famous for Gout and Rheumatism. For Disorders of the Chest it has no equal. For Sore Throats, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, Glandular Swellings, and all Skin Diseases it has no rival; and for contracted and stiff joints it acts like a charm.

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