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County Council

From the Times

To those who have been used to the county council as formerly constituted, the court room on Monday presented an almost deserted appearance, Eighteen men look rather lonely in the places of over fifty. At 2 p. m. Clerk Rutherford was on hand busily engaged filling out the declaration of office of the members. It was three o'clock before all present had signed these preliminary documents and were ready to go on with business. The members in attendance were: Division No. 1, Messrs. Gordon and Bishop; No. 2, Mr. Anderson, No. 3, Messrs. McKinnon and Binnie; No. 4, Messrs. Schenk and Allan; No. 5, Messrs. Watson and Richardson; No. 6, Messrs. Preston and McColman; No. 7, Messrs. Sing and Brown; No. 8, Messrs. Quance and McDonald. It will be noticed that Mr. Totten of No. 2 division was not present, having been unable to reach Owen Sound owing to the severe storm. On this account the council adjourned till 7 p. m., hoping that Mr. Totten would in the meantime arrive, but he did not, and at the obliged evening session the members were to proceed with the election of a warden without him. At a few minutes after seven Clerk Rutherford took the chair and announced that he was prepared to receive nominations for the wardenship. Mr. Sing said he would like to know whether the warden was to be elected for one or for two years. The clerk replied that if he were asked for his opinion he should say one year. The County Councils Act was silent on this point, and this being the case he thought the old act would govern. However, the opposite view had been taken by some, and the matter would probably be definitely decided at the approaching session of the Legislature. Mr. Anderson said he thought it would be well in making nominations to do so on the understanding that the election was to be for one year only. On this understanding nominations were proceeded with. The candidates were:

Jas. Allan, nominated by Mr. Anderson, seconded by Mr. Binnie.

Matthew Richardson, nominated by Mr. Preston, seconded by Mr. McColman.

George A. Brown, nominated by Mr. Quance, seconded by Mr. Gordon.

Neil McColman, nominated by Mr. Richardson.

The clerk called on Mr. Geo. Laglis and ex-Warden Cochrane, who were amongst the dozen spectators present, to act as scrutineers and balloting was proceeded with. Three ballots were taken before there was an election. The figures are:

Allan	6	7	8
Richardson	5	7	7
Brown	4	1	0
McColman	0	0	0

The newly-elected warden was escorted to the chair and introduced to the council by his nominator and seconder. He said he was thankful for the honor placed upon him, both on his own account and of the division he represented. Amongst those present there were no fewer than twelve with whom he had formerly sat at this board, and he hoped to become well acquainted with the others and to enjoy his term of office with all. He would not say he was altogether surprised at his election, as there had been a mutual understanding that the wardenship should go alternately to the south and to the north of the county. This was the south's turn for the honor. Referring to the ambiguity in the new act re the warden's term, he said he considered his election was for one year only. For one who had sat at the old council, it was impossible to look around now and find so many old friends missing without a feeling of sorrow, but he was satisfied that the new body would conduct the business of the county to the satisfaction of Grey and the credit of themselves. He would urge the need of economy. No expense should be entered into that could possibly be avoided. The poeple were looking to the new council to carry on their business on a cheaper basis, and if the members endeavored to do so they could seek without fear a renewal of public confidence two years hence. In the course of his remarks Warden Allan also referred to the question of improvements in the heating system of the county buildings and urged that steps in this direction be taken immediately, with a view to economizing fuel.

On motion of Messrs. Anderson and Preston the council proceeded to ballot for a special committee of five to strike the standing committees. Messrs. Binnie, Anderson, Preston, Richardson and Watson were chosen.

Council then adjourned till 10 p. m. on Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

The warden in the chair, all members present excepting Mr. Totten.

Mr. Binnie presented report of special committee to draft standing committees, the order of business having been suspended for that purpose, on motion of Mr. Preston. The report was adopted. Each member is placed on three committees. The first-named in each case is chairman.

Finance—Binnie, Bishop, Anderson, Schenk, Richardson, Preston, Sing, McDonald.

Road and Bridge—Gordon, Totten, McKinnon, Schenk, Watson, McColman, Brown, Quance.

County Property—McDonald, Anderson, Watson, McColman, Sing, McKinnon, Gordon.

Education—Richardson, Bishop, Totten, Binnie, Preston, Brown, Quance.

Printing—Sing, Totten, Gordon, Watson, Quance, McKinnon, McDonald, Schenk.

Communications and Memorials—Preston, Bishop, Brown, McColman, Anderson.

Warden's committee—The warden, Binnie, Richardson.

The warden read the following communications: Annual statement of non-resident land fund, from County Treasurer Parker; applications for appointment as auditor from John McKenzie, C. A. Fleming, W. J. Alister, Chas. McInnis, John Lyons, Thos. Hanbury, Thos. Dingman, C. Graham, John S. Black, John Thomson, Alex. Stephen, E. Rorke; application from Thos. McAuley to be appointed county valuator; application from John A. Robertson to be appointed county student at the Ontario Agricultural College; memorial from the W.C.T.U. re prison reform; several memorials from the councils of other counties re amendments to existing legislation on various matters; grand jury's presentment to the presiding judge at the December sessions; county clerk's statement of matters in connection with county council elections, with accounts in connection with same. The communications and accounts were referred to the appropriate committees.

Mr. Binnie introduced bylaw 528 to appoint auditors for 1897. Mr. Anderson introduced bylaw 529 to appoint members of the judicial board of audit for 1897. The bylaws were read a first and second time.

On motion of Messrs. Sing and Brown, a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Binnie, Richardson, Preston, Bishop and the mover, was appointed to consider the accounts of the several deputy returning officers re county council elections.

At 12.10 p. m. the council adjourned till 2 p. m. Thursday.

Honor Rolls.

Vandeleur public school. Report for January. Names in order of merit.

Class V sr.—Maggie Johnston.

Class V jr.—Ernest Buchanan, Robt. Pritchard, Joe Stamboski, Sara Heath.

Class IV — Daisie Davis, Bennie Buchanan, Willie Pritchard, Schuyler Douglas, Jessie Graham, Lunday Johnstone, Ida Holley.

Class III sr. — E. C. Boland, Libbie Pritchard, Charlie Boland, Willie Heath, Ezra Pritchard.

Class III jr.— Katie Davis, Dave Weber, May Pritchard, Archie Graham, May Douglas, Willie Johnston, Charlie McCallum, Gracie Graham, Gertie McCallum.

Class II—Jennie Milligan, Rosie Gilbert, Mamie Weber, Howard Graham.

Class pt. II— Violet Warling, John Wyeville, Mamie Thompson, Ena Johnston, Millie Milligan, Annie Hislop, Jennie Somers.

Class I — Geo. Somers, Edgar Milligan, Eva Gilbert, Geo. Douglas, Gordon Warling, Willie Hutchinson, Maggie Davis.

P. GIRAY, Teacher.

Honor roll for S. S. No. 10, Artemesia, for the month of January.

IV class—Geo. Cairns, C. Thompson, C. Rutledge, Wm. Rutledge.

III class — Lessie Rutledge, Lessie Lawrence, Chas. McMullen.

II sr.—Alfred Harrison, Sarah Adams, Maggie McCauley.

II jr. — Annie Strobell, Emerson Adams, J. Sargent, Chrs Jones, Irene Legate.

Pt. II sr.—Thos. McCauley, R. Tucker, Ida Jones.

Pt. II jr. — Freddie Chislett, Jno. Tucker, Eddie Rutledge.

Pt. I sr. —Stanley McMullen, John McCauley, Wm. Hawke.

Pt. I jr. — Lizzie Sargent, Annie Hawke, Ida Rutledge.

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Time Table

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Markdale—6.40 a. m.	4.40 p. m.
Flesherton—6.53 a. m.	4.53 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

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Markdale—12.04 p. m.	9.30 p. m.

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Potatoes bag	25	to	25
Pork	4 00	to	4 75
Hay per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Hides	4 00	to	5 00
Sheepskins	25	to	50
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