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January Session Of County Council

In accordance with the Municipal Act of Ontario, the County Council met on Tuesday, 25th inst, and filed with the County Clerk their certificates of having been duly elected reeves and deputy reeves of their respective municipalities.

The clerk took the chair, read the clauses of the municipal act and procedure bylaw referring to the election of warden, and announded his readiness to receive nominations for warden for the year 1910.

Dr. Mearns, seconded by Mr. Calder, nominated Mr. Andrew Schenk.

Mr. Norman, seconded by Mr. Dodsworth, nominated Mr. McKnight.

Mr. Hunt, seconded by Mr. Johnston nominated Mr. Eaton.

Mr. Hampton, seconded by Mr. Shute, nominated Mr. Boyd.

Messrs. McKnight, Eaton and Boyd, with the consent of their movers and seconders, withdrew their names. There being no further nominations, the clerk declared Andrew Schenk, Esq. duly elected warden for the year 1910, and he was escorded to the warden's chair by Dr. Mearns. The warden elect briefly addressed the council, thanking them for the honor conferred upon him and his municipality, and solicited their co-operation in conducting the business of the council, subscribed his declaration of office, and called upon the clerk to read the minutes of the last day of December session.

The minutes of the last day of December session were read, approved by the council and were signed by the warden.

Moved by Mr. Hampton, seconded by Mr. Ellis, that the following members be a Special committee to strike the Standing Committees for the year 1910. Messrs, McArthur, Boyd, Dodsworth, Sinclair, Thomson, Agnew, Ellis, Norman, and the mover.

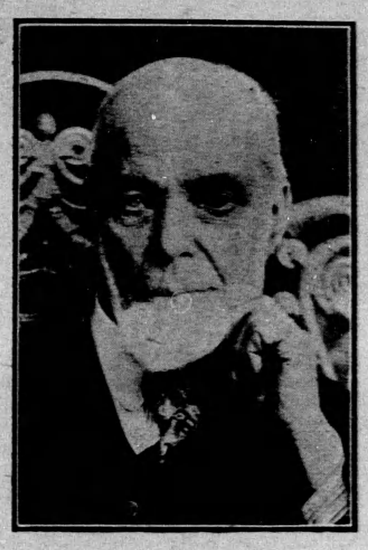
In amendment, moved by Mr. Agnew seconded by Mr. Eaton, that the following be a Special Committee to strike the Standing Committees for 1910, viz, Messrs. Boyd, Eaton, Hunt, Mearns, McKnight, McQuaker, Norman, Sinclair and the mover.—Carried.

Council then adjourned until Wednesday at 10 a. m.

At the Wednesday morning session the clerk presented a number of documents which were severally referred to the standing committees, viz:—Draft of Memorial from the Ontario Municipal Association to the Lieut. Governor, re Betterment of Consumptives; an application from the Salvation Army for a grant for their rescue work; an application from Prisoners' Aid Associotion, Toronto for a grant of $10; presentment of Grand Jury of December Sessions of the Peace; copy of notice of application on behalf of Manitoulin and North Shore Railway Company to the Dominion Parliament; account of MacKay, Telford & Grosch, County Solicitors for $15; Co. Treasurer's Statement of Non-resident Land Fund; account of the town of Hanover for $10 expenses in a lunacy case; letters from County Treasurer and Reeve of Markdale re sale of part of house of refuge farm to the village of Markdale; account from Township of Normanby for refund of expenses in case of lunacy; two letters from County Clerk of Bruce re arbitration in connection with County line bridge on new county boundary line; circular letter from Good Roads Association; circular letter re National Good Roads Convention; account of Bowman & Connor for $35.42 for services as engineers on bridges on boundary line of Grey and Wellington; account of Town of Hanover re deviation south of Hanover; account of A. Marshall for $10 for plank and work on bridge Town line of Normanby and Bentinck; letter from chairman of Thornbury School Board re continuation school building; petition from residents of Artemesia asking for the establishment of a continuation school district in that township; letter from J. P. Telford of Durham, re refunds of moneys to lots south of Durham; copy of resolution from County Council of Middlesex asking co-operation of County Council of Grey re the adjustment of Provincial grants to universities; statement of Owen Sound Collegiate Institute for maintenance; statement of Meaford high school for maintenance; statement of Orangeville high school for maintenance; report of High Constable McDonald; account of W. J. Adams for cleaning South Grey Registry office, application of Geo. Binnie for reappointment as County auditor.

Mr. Eaton presented report of Special Committee to draft standing committees and on resolution the report was adopted. The following were elected chairmen of the respective committees; Finance, Dr. Mearns; Road and Bridge, Mr. Sinclair; County Property, Mr. Johnson; Education, Mr. Norman; Printing, Mr. Ellis; Communications and memorials, Mr. Eaton: House of Refuge, Mr. Hunt.

Bylaws were introduced to appoint a high school trustee for the town of Meaford, and to appoint County auditors, after which the council adjourned till Thursday morning.—Advertiser.



MR. WILLIAM CLAYTON

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The above cuts of this esteemed couple should have appeared in connection with the article last week announcing their golden wedding, but our engraver was dilatory and the cuts did not arrive in time.

Mr. Clayton is a native of York City, England, and Mrs. Clayton (Miss Sarah Strachan) was born near Whitby. They were married by the late Rev. John Baird at Claremont, on January 21st, 1860, and one year later settled at Flesherton, where they have since resided. The surviving members of their family consist of three sons: Thomas, of Flesherton; David, J. P. of Lang, Sask., and William, jeweller, Cornwall, Ontario.

Vandeleur.

Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson of Napinka Man., were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. I. Graham, last week.

Miss Minnie Graham of Midland is visiting her parents here.

Mr. W. L. Gullis took charge of the service here on Sunday in the absence o, the pastor.

A Farmers' Club has been organized in this neighborhood with J. Weber as President and C. B. Boland Sec.-Treas. The meetings are to be held on the first and third Monday of each month during the winter and the first Monday of each month during the summer. A membership of twenty-five has been enrolled as a start. The purpose of the club is to enable the farmers of this district to meet together to exchange ideas and to debate on the different branches of farming, also to discuss the best methods of destroying weeds and other pests which are so detrimental to the farmer. It is to be hoped much good will result.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pritchard gave a young people's party on Thursday evening, week, in honor of their guests, Mr. George and Miss Annie Pritchard, who left last week to visit friends near Chatsworth previous to leaving for their home in Manitoba.

Quite a number from here attended the carnival at Kimberley on Friday evening.

Mr. George Graham of Parry Sound visited relatives here last week.

Mr. E. Pritchard and Mr. and Mrs. Will Pritchard of Meaford, were visitors here last week.

Mr. Alex. Carson of Priceville renewed acquaintances here on Saturday.

Mr. R. G. Warling of Priceville was a visitor in our burg last week.

Messrs, John Weber and John Boland were in Owen Sound last week waiting on the County Council.

Mr. James Brodie, a former resident of this place but now of Ladner, B.C., is renewing acquaintances here.

Mr. Stevenson, organizer for the C. O. F., spent a few days here recently working in the Interest of Court Vandeleur, and succeeded in securing six new members, who were duly initiated at the regular meeting of the Court on Thursday night. Court Vandeleur, which was organized about sixteen years ago, is in a prosperous condition with a membership of about seventy.

Eugenia.

Mr. Henry Fenwick has got home from the city after his accident. His leg is still weak. His son, W. H., accompanied him home.

Mr. Woodburn, who has been very ill, is now able to be up again.

News of interest at Eugenia is rather scarce. Still, the wedding bells are soon to ring for some of our young people.

The Orange social on Tuesday evening of last week was the most successful, financially, ever held here. The proceeds amounted to eighty-six dollars. Some boxes were bid up to $4.75. The boys were not stingy when it came to eating supper with their best girls. A memorial quilt, got up by the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid, was sold the same night for eight dollars and 50 cents. A good program was given and a very pleasant time was spent by all.

Miss Daisy Smith has gone to spend some time in Toronto. She will be missed by the young people and by the church, where she has long acted as organist.

A number of our young people went to the carnival at Kimberley Friday night and had a good time.

Miss Jane McKenzie of Ceylon was visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Hislop of the Valley.

Mrs. Hislop, sr., is very ill at present.

Miss E. C. Boland and a friend, of Vandeleur, were guests of Mrs. Munshaw.

Miss Eva Jamieson has gone back to the city.

Mr. Lewis Genoe spent Sunday with Feversham friends.

Mr. W. Barclay of Clarksburg visited at Mr. Jamieson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pedlar of Spurling, Man., were the guests of the former's mother, here, for a few days. Their four children accompanied them.

Swinton Park.

A number of farmers here are making ready to go West in the spring.

In connection with the literary society a spelling match was held at Mr. Donald Campbell's home on Thursday evening, when a pleasant time was spent.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. D. McMillan is slowly recovering after a serious illness.

Mrs. Alice Campbell entertained a number of her many friends at her home on Thursday evening.

Mrs. McEwen, accompanied by Miss McEwen from the West, have been visiting at Messrs. Aldcorn's.

Messrs. Richard and John Parslow purpose holding their sale on Feb. 4th. They have rented their farm to their uncle, Mr. Hugh Wilson, and intend going to the homestead out West.

Mrs. Chas. Haw's many friends are glad to know she is able to sit up again.

A severe accident befel Mr. Hugh Wilson at his mill Saturday evening, when he had his head cut. Nine stitches were required to close the wound. We hope that it may not be serious with Mr. Wilson.

Mrs. J. S. Hardy had a successful wood bee on Wednesday.

Rev. J. A. Matheson was unable to get here on January 23rd, on account of having a funeral to take charge of at Priceville. Last Sabbath he preached a helpful sermon here, on the importance of making the right use of our life.

10th Line, Osprey.

Miss Cassie Davidson is getting over a badly sprained ankle she received at the rink a few weeks ago.

Miss Atha Heron is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. E. Heron, at "Fairview Farm" at present.

Mr. Philip Ottewell of South River is visiting friends in this part.

Robert Milligan of Weyburn, Sask., is renewing old acquaintances here at present.

Mrs. R. J. Colquette is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Horton, in Collingwood.

Miss Ruby Cooper, who has been teaching school at Kolapore, Collingwood township, has secured a school at Trout Creek, Algoma, and has gone to take up her duties there.

Mr. R. J. Colquette has sold a lot of timber to Kerton Bros., of Maxwell, who will stock their mill with the largest stock of logs yet.

We understand some of the Tenth Line boy, who have been drawing logs to Rock Mills got into a dispute as to whose team could draw the largest load. Sherman Ottewell settled it by drawing the largest and heaviest load of maple logs that went to the mill this winter. He had about 1,200 feet of maple and drew it 4½ miles. They may all take a back seat when Sherman drives the chestnut horses. Beat that who can.

Mr. John Brown of Tragarva, Sask., who is visiting his brother, Robert, of Feversham is laid up with a severe attack of bronchitis at present. We hope he will soon recover.

The snow is deep and Bob, Fred and Cap had a great upset coming from Collingwood on Saturday night.

East Mountain

Miss Mary Stafford is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. John Alexander of Thornbury was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Walton, for a few days last week.

Miss Nettie Martin is home from Owen Sound.

Miss Effie Smith has returned to Toronto.

John Perdue, an old veterinary surgeon of Orangeville, died rather suddenly. He was in the Caledon wreck, and never fully recovered.

The Dominion Alliance is preparing for next year's local option fight throughout the province.

Continuation Schools Before County Council

For the first time in its history the County Council of this county has been called upon to face the question of continuation schools. Two delegations met the Education Committee at Owen Sound on Thursday last, one from Flesherton and another from Markdale. Thornbury is also moving in the matter and asked the Council to appoint a committee to look over their situation.

The Flesherton delegation was representative of the township and was composed of M. K. Richardson, John Boland, R. J. Sproule, T. Henry, W. J. Bellamy, Wm. McLoughay, John Weber and W. H. Thurston. They were introduced to the committee by Reeve Boyd. A petition had been forwarded the County Secretary asking the county fathers to set aside the township of Artemesia as a rural high school district for continuation work.

In the meantime Markdale had got busy and called a few emergency meetings in and around their village and got a few school sections to promise conditionally that they would come into a continuation school district formed with the village of Markdale. A delegation was sent up from Markdale to advocate their claim to a portion of Artemesia embracing these sections.

The delegation which backed up the claims of the township was a strong one and pointed out that we had in Flesherton a successful school now in operation, with two teachers and some 45 pupils on the roll. The school was very popular and of immense benefit but it was handicapped for want of room and a school would have to be built suitable for the purpose. With the whole township for a district the building of such a school for the higher education of our children and its maintenance would scarcely be felt by the ratepayers. and therefore for that reason the whole township was desired. Still, the delegation was not desirous of keeping Markdale from forming a district and building a school if it wished and was willing to be fair with them in the matter. Inspector Huff, however, who was present, ventured the opinion that it would not be wise to have these schools too close together as it would tend to weaken both. It was also pointed out for the benefit of representatives of other townships that probably in the near future every township would want its continuation school and it was not wise to carve up any township at the present juncture.

Those who spoke for the township were Mr. Richardson, Mr. Sproule, Mr. Bellamy, Mr. Huff, Mr. Henry, Mr. Boland, Mr. Weber and Mr. Wm. McLoughry.

The Markdale delegation was then heard. They wanted two union sections north and west of Markdale, McLoughrey's section and the Orange Valley section. They had also asked for the Wodehouse section out in Euphrrsia, but as this rather weakened their long distance argument that section was withdrawn.

In order to lighten the duties of the committee the two delegations got together and after a couple of sessions the basis of an agreement was reached whereby Artemesia relinquished one half of Orange Valley section to Markdale, also Elliott's section and Thibadeau's section. The new rural high school district embraces the whole township excepting the lots northwesterly of lot 126 in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd concessions N. E. and S. W. of the T. and S. Road, and lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 and west half of lot 15, con. 14. The bylaw embodying this received its third reading Saturday morning. A bylaw was also passed giving Markdale a district embracing the above lots, also sections of Euphrasia and Glenelg.

The board of trustees will be composed of six members, three appointed by County Council and three by the Municipal Council. The County Council appointed John Weber, Vandeleur, one year; J, S. Wilson, Rockvale, two years; T. Henry, Flesherton, three years. The other three trustees are yet to be appointed by the Township Council.

There is considerable rivalry at Colpoys in hauling big loads to the dump, but at the present W. C. Bonesteel, working for J. C. Newman, seems to hold the cake. Last Friday he took a load of five elms, a distance of 4½ miles—the roads none too good, and the load measured 2778 feet. The team is a pretty good one, weigh about 3300, so anyone who can beat this record has the floor.

A Costly Fire At Dundalk

Dundalk has had one more serious baptism of fire. At 2 a.m. Sunday morning J. D. Brown's store was discovered to be in flames, and was burned to the ground. The Carson block, owned by Mr. Lamon, also took fire and was burned. The latter was occupied by H. Palmer as a photograph gallery, and G. Kearns' jewelery store. The contents of these two places were saved, but Mr. Brown's stock was a total loss. Mr. Brown had an insurance, we are informed, of $9000. The fire is supposed to have started from a defective stovepipe.

Dundalk has had some costly fires and a good many of them, of which this is not the least. The village should have a better fire protective system.

Ceylon

Our teacher has returned to her duties after being laid up with grip for over a week. She is still quite weak, but we trust she may soon be herself again.

Mr. Edward Sargent and daughter have returned from their visit to Orangeville and vicinity to find Mrs. Sargent laid up with a cold and a very sore throat, with Dr. Cutter in attendance, but under his care and with proper nursing will probably be around shortly.

Mr. Will McMillan of Priceville spent some days with Messrs. D. McLeod and F. Cairns.

Mr. D. McLeod had a wood bee on Monday, followed by a party for the young folks in the evening.

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