

York County Council

JUNE SESSION

Toronto Monday June 16th 1879

The County Council commenced its usual June session this afternoon. All the members were present except Messrs Wickson and James. The Warden occupied the chair.

COMMUNICATIONS

The report of the Auditors of School Monies was received, which showed the Treasurer's accounts to be correct.

A communication was received from Lieutenant-Colonel Arthurs asking for an annual grant of \$10 to the Ontario Rifle Association, to aid in establishing an annual match.

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION.

An invitation was received from Mr James McGee on behalf of the Industrial Exhibition Association asking the Council to visit the Exhibition grounds to-day at 2 p.m., the object of the visit being to locate the additional buildings for agricultural implements &c. The invitation was accepted.

REPORT OF NORTH YORK PUBLIC SCHOOL INSPECTOR.

Mr D. Fotheringham, Public School Inspector for North York, submitted his eighth annual statement respecting the Schools of his division, the principal features of which are as follows:—

The value of assessed and school property has increased. School accommodation has also been increased by the erection of a spacious brick house in King, a commodious apartment for the Model School at Newmarket, and by the formation of a new section in East Gwillimbury.

The salaries of teachers were on an average higher than in any previous year—for the former \$420, for the latter \$260. Seventy gentlemen of whom 3 were assistants, and 42 ladies of whom 24 were assistants, were employed during the year, though not all at its close, as some assistants were not re-elected full time. Of these 112, 24 had attended Normal Schools, 3 held first and 25 second-class Provincial certificates, 10 old County Board first-class, and 73 new County Board third-class; 19 were English Church, 45 Methodists, 28 Presbyterians, 6 Bible Christians, 4 Baptists, 2 Protestants, and 2 Roman Catholics.

The average attendance of pupils rose slightly during the year, but has not yet reached 50 per cent. of the population from 5 to 16 years of age. Out of 9,072 pupils, 450 attended full time, and at 2.25 attended less than half time. There are 2,779 in the first book, 106 in the fifth, and only 6 in the sixth class.

The ordinary branches are taught to nearly all required by the programme to pursue the study, mostly with thoroughness, with the exception of grammar, which is rarely taught in a natural and practical manner.

The results of the written examinations at the inspection of the schools in 1878 may be summarized as follows:—

Georgina, 2 excellent, 3 fair, 1 poor, none very poor; North Gwillimbury, 1 excellent, 3 fair, 1 poor, none very poor; East Gwillimbury, 2 excellent, 7 fair, 4 poor, none very poor; Whitchurch, 2 excellent, 4 fair, 7 poor, 2 very poor; Vaughan, none excellent, 2 fair, 8 poor, 2 very poor; King, 6 excellent, 3 fair, 10 poor, 2 very poor, villages and R C S S., 1 excellent, 1 fair, 2 poor, 1 very poor. Those marked excellent obtained 70 to 80 per cent; fair, 50 to 60 per cent; poor, 40 to 50 per cent; very poor, less than 40 per cent. A place in the first two grades cannot be secured without thorough work on the part of the teacher. Several teachers whose schools are classed as poor, having only had charge for a short time, or having entered schools suffering from previous neglect or mismanagement, are not to be judged by the standing of their schools, while some deserve the discredit that may attach to such a report, because of neglect to do thorough work, and a disposition to promote scholars before they are qualified.

The Teachers' Association continues its course with increasing interest and usefulness, and would become still more efficient were it able to employ more outside educational assistance in the form of lecturers and largely increase its professional library. In conclusion, the Inspector recommends a limited grant for the conducting of uniform half-yearly promotion examinations throughout the division.

TUESDAY.

BRADFORD BRIDGE.

The Commissioners appointed by the County Council of York and Simcoe to examine the Bradford Bridge reported that they had found it necessary to replank the structure at a cost of \$32,250, half of which sum was payable by each County.

COUNTY ENGINEER'S REPORT.

The semi-annual report of the County engineer was read. It stated that the bridge over the Lumber at Lambton had been damaged last spring by the ice, and to repair it would require a large outlay. The mason work of the bridge over the Rouge River was so far completed as to be ready for the reception of the iron-work, which was now being laid down there. A number of the metal roadways had been damaged by the frost last winter, and these had been repaired. The Engineer referred to the case of Walton v. the county of York in which a verdict was rendered for the plaintiff. The action arose through Mr Walton's horse taking fright and running away, in juring some of the plaintiff's family. The Inspector believed that the animal had become frightened by some cattle running about the roadway and suggested for the consideration of the Council the advisability of compelling people to keep their cattle off the roads.

MOTIONS.

Mr Armstrong moved the Council into Committee of the Whole to consider the matter of erecting a bridge over a creek between the counties of York and Simcoe, opposite the 11th concession, King township. After some discussion the Committee rose and reported the motion lost.

Mr Jackson moved the Council into Committee of the Whole to consider the matter of rescinding a By-law providing that County School Inspectors shall be allowed travelling expenses. The Committee rose without having taken any action in the matter.

SHARON FEAST.—The annual June Feast, in connection with the Children of Peace, took place on Saturday 7th inst; notwithstanding the very beautiful and unusually fine day, the attendance, for some reason, was considerably less than usual. The Band gave their usual open-air Concert, and the ladies seemingly enjoyed their chit-chat. The non-attendance of politicians was noticeable. A Base Ball match was played during the day between the Queensville and Sharon Clubs, resulting in an easy victory for the former.

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DWIGHTS ACT—Central Committee meets at the call of the President in the Temperance Hall. Dr J. N. Reid, Thornhill, President; John Sanderson, Richmond Hill, Sec.

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