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RICHMOND HILL, THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1887.

Vaughan Council.

The Municipal Council of the Township of Vaughan met at the Town Hall on Tuesday, the 8th day of March, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The Reeve in the chair. Members present Messrs. Russell, Reaman, High and Devins.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and on motion sustained. The following petitions were presented: By Mr. Russell, from Donald McGilory and 23 others for the repairing of Road

on 8th Con. By Mr. Reaman, from Henry Payne and 7 others. By Mr. High, from Thos. Webster and

55 others for the opening of a road from Lots 30 to 35, on the 10th Con. Moved by Mr. Reaman, seconded by Mr. Russell, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the following Road accounts :---

Dist No. 1 Henry Marsh for plank per R.

Graham...... \$7 40 Dist. No. 2. J. W. Hogg for drawing 55 loads of

gravel on 5th Con, Edgely\$41 25 Dist No. 5. G. J. Keffer, for drawing gravel

on sideline between Lots 20 and 21 on 5th and 6th Con,\$120 60

David Burgess for looking after and repairing bridge over Humber

on 10th Con. \$5 00 -Carried. Moved by Mr. Devins, seconded by Mr. Reaman, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay J. Harrison the sum of \$11.39 for cedar posts and lumber for repairing the fence enclosing the Town Hall grounds-Carried, Moved by Mr. Russell, seconded by

Mr. Reaman, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the following accounts:

Road List forms......\$11 00 Hart & Co, Stationery \$3 10

-Carried. Moved by Mr. Reaman, seconded by Mr. Russell, that the Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay to D A. Nedes, M. D. the sum of \$20.00, being in full for medical attendance on Mrs Rutledge, for frac-

Mr. Russell, that, owing to the abuse of the Town Hall by parties holding entertainments, it be not granted for any such purposes in the future, on any considera-

Moved by Mr. Reaman, seconded by Mr. Russell, that the auditors' Report for 1886 be received and adopted by this Council, and that the Clerk is hereby authorized to have 300 copies printed in the usual manner to be divided among the several Councillors for distribution. -Carried.

till next meeting. By-Law No. 511 was then passed, assessing the Township of Roads & Bridges

tion, higher near the roads, and gradually smaller until the rear of the township was reached.

G. R. Vanzant, Reeve of Markham Village, was opposed to taxation by the County for the maintenance of the Roads. A. Forster, Deputy Reeve, was in favor of the Municipalities through which, and

along side of which they run, maintaining them W. Scott, Esq., was in favor of those

municipalities interested in the roads, being taxed to maintain them.

J. Slater, Esq., was in favor of retain-ing the tolls opon the roads. J. B. Gould, Deputy Reeve, was also

in favor of tolls. Short addresses were also made by W. Pugsley, Esq., Reeve of Richmond Hill, D Duncan, of York Township, W. H.

Lundy, and D. James. It was moved by D. James, and second-ed by W. Scott, and Carried.

That this meeting is of the opinion that the York Roads should be continued in

their present efficient state of repair and be under the control and supervision of the York Co. Council.

Another motion was carried to the effect that the tolls should be continued upon the roads which upon motion afterwards was re-considered. A meeting will be held in June for further consideration of the subject.

The meeting was quite a representative gathering but not so large as desirable, only about sixty being present.

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Sherwood.

From a New Beginner

Wal! Wal! Ha! Ha! Ha! occasionel corispondent ! Mi feller reders, I don't want ter throe eny pussonal inflexions on the riter of the Sherwood items a few weeks ago in this ere paper. But I be a fare and square feiler, and I hed ter blush fer shame at the thoght sum people wuld hev whin tha red those very same items. Is this paper full of nothensical love stories, novels and a col-um spesialy denoted for Rebusses and Conumdrums? Wall, a pusson wuld hev a thoght so to hev seen the Sherwood items on spesial ocasion. The go on an talk about the "Dutchman" cutting out this lettle feller. Now, feller readers, they are redicullin this personage fur actin the parte of a gentelman, 1 don't beleve in sick wurk. Then again: Oh, say, frens, snposin you wint ter a nue vilage an yer was talked about takin all the 'mashes' and such talk, would yer like it ? No, deed yer wuld not. Yer wuld be indignant. Wal, the riter of this sint a nue citizen of Sherwood, but yer see he don't like ter see nue folks talked about in the publik press in sich manners. It might drive them away frum sich a place, an we wuldn't like thet. Then again the little feller thet drives a gay hoss and cuter must her a

A load of young men and wimmen frum a nayboring town, Mapie, passed thrue our town last Friday eve. Thay were going down to see the M. P. P. of this riding. Thay got that all safe an sound an hed a very pleasant evening, coming back to these parts sumtime the next mornin.

Miss Sarah McCutcheon came back frum ther city sumtime on Saturday eve. Most of folks know that the trane was rather late in the eve. She hed hin visiting her relatives ther.

Wal, I think thet this is quite a bit of nues fer this weak an quite a bit ter be ritten by a green-orn.

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