

Pickering Council.

The council met pursuant to adjournment on Monday Sept 13th, in township hall, Bringham. Members all present, Rev. Mowbray in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. A number of communications and accounts were read by the reeve and referred to the various standing committees. John Kirton was heard re removing fence from front of his lots. He would remove fence agreeably but wished the street made passible.

Messrs Richards and Beare reported having visited the road allowance opposite 14 on 5th con road, but as the expense of selling same would exceed its worth, they therefore could not recommend the sale of the same.

Rev Oke and Messrs E Wilson, Thos Carter and John Kirton, were heard giving reasons why another vote should not be taken on local option. Lawyer Finlayson, of Toronto, appeared for the hotel keepers and urged that a vote be taken at once. In case the council refused his request, he would appeal to the courts for an order to compel the taking of such a vote.

Mr Beare, of chairman of standing committee on Indigents secured the passage of the following report:—M Gleason goods supplied to Pheobe Johnston, from May 1st to Sept 18th, at 60c per week, \$9.75; Geo Philip, wood supplied to Mrs Palmer during winter of 1897, \$10.00.

Mr Barnes as chairman, secured the passage of the following accounts under the head of contingencies; Jas Hubbard on account, \$8; W J Clark bal of printing voters lists, adv on other printing, \$88.80; Geo Philip, township engineer, fees and charges re Waring—Annau award \$5.

Mr Richards, as chairman of the road and bridge committee, secured the passage of the following report:—John Brown for 45 yds of gravel at 89 cents and 45 yds of gravel at 7 cents, \$20.80; Chas Degeer repairing bridge and culvert on twoline between Scarborough and Pickering opposite con 3, \$25, and Scarborough council be billed for half the amount; H Byers 90 yds gravel at 8 cents, right of way included, in div 69, \$7.20, also 82 yds gravel on west twoline, Pickering to pay half the amount, \$1.76; J W Powell 45 yds gravel in div 4 and 7 at 7c per yard, \$8.15; Elias Resor 65 yards of gravel bet 28 and 29 con 9, \$8.25; T W Lamoreaux 60 yards gravel at 7 cents, \$4.20; W J Dale, repairing culvert on Kingston road, opposite lot 12, \$1; J R Connor, draw mat. and building stone cul on 4th con, opp lot 17, \$5; Chas Stevenson, draw gravel on Kinsale road between lots 2 and 3, as per contract, \$15.00; G Coultice, drawing timber from Claremont and covering bridge on 8th con, opp lot 2 \$2.25; Chas Stevenson, drawing gravel on Kingston road opposite lots 7, 8 and 9, as per contract, \$27; Thos Sanderson, half days work of man and team, \$1.00; Pearce Bros, building culvert on Kingston road, west of Dunbarton, opposite lot 27, \$175.00.

Your committees having received notice by engineers awarded between Mrs D Annan and Mrs Mary Waring, Pickering, to build a new culvert across the public highway between the lands of the said parties, would recommend that the chairman be instructed to have said culvert built as per engineers award.

Mr Underhill seconded by Mr Barnes, moves that the reeve grant his order on the treasurer in favor of the parties recommended in the reports of the various standing committees as presented this day.

Mr Underhill seconded by Mr Richards moves that the second and third deputy reeves be appointed a committee to inspect and report on the road allowance, in the village of Whitevale compiled of by Mrs James Bea.

On motion of Messrs Beare and Richards a by law was read a first and second time, imposing an addition to percentage charged on taxes not collected before certain dates. By law was put through committee of the whole, Mr Beare in the chair and finally passed.

Mr Richards, seconded by Mr Beare, moves that the clerk be and is hereby instructed to notify David O'Neal to attend at the next meeting of this council to show cause if any why he should not remove all stones and other obstructions which he may have placed on the public highway between lots 18 and 19 in 3rd con.

Mr Beare, seconded by Mr Richards, moves that the reeve and W G Barnes be a committee to wait on Mr Farewell and arrange with him re costs in the scrutiny of vote for repeal of the local option by law and that the reeve be empowered to draw his order on the treasurer to meet payment of the same.

Mr Barnes, seconded by Mr Richards, moves for leave to introduce a by law to repeal by-law No 683 of the corporation of the township of Pickering entitled "A by-law to prohibit the sale of spirituous fermented or other manufactured liquors in the township of Pickering," that the same be now read a first time, and that the council go into committee of the whole thereon. Council went into committee with Mr Barnes in the chair. After some discussion the committee reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Mr Underhill, seconded by Mr Barnes, moves that whereas the by-laws of this corporation are nearly out of print, and it being usual to revise the same every ten years at the time of the revision made of the Provincial Statutes. Therefore be it resolved that the said by law be revised by this council, that the reeve and clerk be instructed to at once proceed with the preliminary work of comparing said by-laws with the revised municipal law and to alter in accordance therewith, and to prepare copies of such amended by-laws for further revision by this council, and that thereafter the reeve call a special meeting of this council at some convenient time during this or next month for the purpose of continuing and completing said revision.

On motion the council adjourns to meet again on Monday, Oct 18th at the hour of 1 p.m.

How many people are afflicted to go into company on account of their snoring breath, caused from catarrh or cold in head? If they would study their own interests they would soon have sweet breath like their neighbors. There is a sure cure for Catarrh and that is Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Give one blow through the blowers and you can get relief immediately. Price, including blowers, 25 cents.

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By some peculiar combination of circumstances our file paper of January 3rd 1896 has been mislaid and we should be more than pleased to have some one of our friends return the copy of that date. In case you should have one you will credit you six months on your address label, if you will deliver the copy to us in good order.

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The Pickering council passed a by-law that has much interest for the taxpayers of this municipality. For several years those who did not pay their taxes on or before December 14th, were required to pay two per cent more for their carelessness. The by-law under which that charge was imposed has been repealed and another adopted. Hereafter those who do not pay up on or before Decem-

SCHEDULE OF RETURNS OF CONVICTIONS

Made before Justices of the Peace for the County of Ontario, transmitted by Justices whose names are hereunder written and published by me under the provisions of the Statutes of Canada and Ontario in that behalf.

Office of the Clerk of the Peace, Sept. 14th, 1897.

JNO. E. FAREWELL, CLERK OF THE PEACE, COUNTY OF ONTARIO.

Name of Prosecutor.	Name of Defendant.	Nature of Charge.	Date of Conviction.	Name of Convicting Justice.	Amount of Penalty, Fine or Damage.	Time when to be paid to said Justice.	Time when paid.	To whom paid over by said Justice, and when.	If not paid, why not and general observation, if any.
Alex Stephens	Emma Cairns	using insulting language	June 29, 1897	John Nott	\$1 fine	forthwith	June 29, 1897	paid treas. tp. Reach, Sept 11	
Harold Orchard	Thos Camplin	using obscene language	July 7, 1897	"	\$3 fine	"	July 15, 1897	"	
John Ferguson	M C Tooley	violation liquor license act	July 31, 1897	"	\$20 fine	"	July 31, 1897	paid license inspector, Aug 3	
"	Madison Williams	obtaining liquor after hours	Aug 3, 1897	"	\$2 fine	"	Aug 3, 1897	"	
"	Samuel Moore	obtaining liquor after hours	Aug 3, 1897	"	\$2 fine	"	Aug 3, 1897	"	
"	Robert Vansickler	obtaining liquor after hours	Aug 3, 1897	"	\$2 fine	"	Aug 3, 1897	"	
"	James Somerville	obtaining liquor after hours	Aug 4, 1897	"	\$2 fine	"	Aug 9, 1897	"	
E S Edmondson	Edward McNally	petty trespass	Aug 4, 1897	L K Merton, P. M.	\$1 fine	"	June 10, 1897	town treasurer, June 24, 1897	
"	Joseph Fisher	petty trespass	June 9, 1897	"	"	"	June 9, 1897	"	
"	Henry Coulter	petty trespass	June 9, 1897	"	"	"	June 9, 1897	"	
"	John Bone	petty trespass	June 9, 1897	"	"	"	June 9, 1897	"	
"	Geo Fisher	petty trespass	June 9, 1897	"	"	"	June 9, 1897	"	
"	Peter McDougall	assault	June 24, 1897	"	"	"	June 24, 1897	"	
"	Patrick Crowley	assault and battery	June 24, 1897	"	\$2 fine	in one month	Sept 4, 1897	no distress, deft left country	
Alice Hewson	Edward Hewson	assault and battery	June 24, 1897	"	\$5 fine	forthwith	June 25, 1897	town treasurer, Sept 4, 1897	
John C Woon	Michaelweeney	assault	June 24, 1897	"	\$2 fine	in 3 days	June 25, 1897	"	
Arthur Hoover	James Black	assault	June 24, 1897	"	\$1 fine	sentence suspended	"	"	
John S Murray	R E Cayley	false pretences	July 7, 1897	"	2 mos. in c. gaol, h. labor	forthwith	June 24, 1897	town treasurer, June 24, 1897	
E S Edmondson	Wilfred Cawker	theft	July 13, 1897	"	\$5 fine	forthwith	July 7, 1897	town treasurer, Sept 4, 1897	
"	Harry Gray	theft	July 13, 1897	"	\$1 fine	forthwith	July 13, 1897	"	
"	Joe Normoyle	theft	July 14, 1897	"	"	one week	July 15, 1897	"	
Arthur Hoover	P H Punshon	riding bicycle on sidewalk	July 23, 1897	"	"	forthwith	July 14, 1897	"	
"	William Coulthard	riding bicycle on sidewalk	July 23, 1897	"	"	forthwith	July 23, 1897	"	
"	Herbert Gregory	riding bicycle on sidewalk	July 24, 1897	"	"	"	"	"	
"	Dr F L Henry	riding bicycle on sidewalk	July 24, 1897	"	"	"	July 24, 1897	"	
"	Edwin Hodgson	riding bicycle on sidewalk	July 23, 1897	"	"	"	"	"	
"	Jas D Storie	riding bicycle on sidewalk	July 23, 1897	"	"	"	July 23, 1897	"	
"	Austin Potter	riding bicycle on sidewalk	July 24, 1897	"	"	"	July 24, 1897	"	
Lillian Wiggins	John MacEwan	offence against sec. 274 criminal code	Aug 19, 1897	"	"	"	Aug 6, 1897	"	
W H Ford	Richard Wilkinson	assault and battery	Sept 2, 1897	"	9 mos in c prison, h. labor	forthwith	Sept 2, 1897	town treasurer, Sept 4, 1897	
Arthur Hoover	Samuel Quigley	breach of peace	Sept 4, 1897	"	10 days in c. gaol, h. labor	forthwith	Sept 2, 1897	"	
R J Harwood	Wm Daniels	trespass on garden	Sept 5, 1897	D S Brown	\$1	Sept 15, 1897	Aug 11, 1897	G J Hoyle	
Emma Bayfield	R Nurse	trespass on garden	Sept 10, 1897	D S Brown and N McPherson	50 cents	Sept 10, 1897	Sept 10, 1897	G J Hoyle, Sept 11, 1897	
"	W Ainsworth	trespass on garden	Sept 10, 1897	D S Brown and N McPherson	50 cents	"	"	"	
"	Walter McPherson	trespass on garden	Sept 10, 1897	D S Brown and W McPherson	50 cents	"	"	"	
"	Oshorne White	trespass on garden	Sept 10, 1897	D S Brown and W McPherson	50 cents	"	"	"	
"	Robert Overton	trespass on garden	Sept 10, 1897	D S Brown and W McPherson	50 cents	"	"	"	
"	James Hall	trespass on garden	Sept 10, 1897	D S Brown and W McPherson	50 cents	"	"	"	
S A Lapp	Robert Nowlan	assault	Aug 7, 1897	P R Hoover	\$2 and costs	Aug 17, 1897	"	county treasurer	
S A Lapp	Stewart Pherrill	assault	Aug 7, 1897	P R Hoover	\$2 and costs	Aug 17, 1897	"	county treasurer	
Geo Veale, sr	William Hodgson	drunkenly and disorderly	July 13, 1897	Geo F Bruce	\$5	Aug 17, 1897	"	treas. corporation of Beaverton	
D M Smith	Donald Cameron	drunkenly and disorderly	Aug 24, 1897	Geo F Bruce	\$5	forthwith	"	treas. corporation of Beaverton	
M Frankish	Samuel Lohan	vagrancy	Aug 24, 1897	Geo F Bruce	\$1	not yet paid	"	"	
Allan Wright	Stewart Hay	drunk and disorderly	July 10, 1897	William Hamilton	committed to c. gaol, 6 mos	"	"	"	
Allan Wright	Hiram Haight	drunk and disorderly	July 10, 1897	William Hamilton	\$1 and costs	one week	not yet paid	"	
Chas Rice	Wm Humphrey	master and servants act	Aug 17, 1897	"	\$1 and costs	two weeks	not yet paid	"	
C J Body	P K Bryant	drunkenly and disorderly	Aug 28, 1897	"	\$6	Sept 6, 1897	Sept 6, 1897	treas. Brock tp., Sept 8, 1897	
Allan Wright	James Cameron	drunk and disorderly	Sept 4, 1897	"	\$1 and costs	forthwith	not yet paid	"	
Elmer Thomas	Harry Carl	master and servants act	Sept 4, 1897	"	\$1 and costs	forthwith	not yet paid	"	
C J Brodie	Harry Boyer	grossly insulting language	July 17, 1897	S J Holden and Geo Gerow	def. to pay \$24.65 to pliff.	on Oct 1, 1897	"	"	
Aliah Forsyth	Pricie Poy	non-payment of wages	Sept 8, 1897	J J Holden	\$1 and costs	Aug 1, 1897	July 29, 1897	tp. treas., Pickering, Sept 14	
Robert McKnight	James Barker	non-payment of wages	Aug 14, 1897	W Bateman and C Crandell	\$1 and costs	Sept 29, 1897	Sept 29, 1897	Abajah Forsyth, Sept 14, 1897	
Joshua M Broad	Nelson Gibson	petty trespass	July 10, 1897	Henry Glenfinning	\$2	not yet paid	"	asking time until he got money	
Joshua M Broad	Wm King	petty trespass	July 10, 1897	"	\$2	not yet paid	"	of country, will probably return	
John Lenton	Mrs S Brown	removing flowers from graves in cemetery	July 17, 1897	M Harper, P. M.	\$1 and costs	forthwith	not yet paid	county treasurer	
as Willis	William Billing	shooting snipe out of season	June 17, 1897	"	\$5 and costs	forthwith	not yet paid	out of work most of time since	
William Calverley	Cornelius McAuliffe	allowing cattle at large contrary to bylaw	June 19, 1897	"	\$1 and costs	not yet paid	"	"	
Thos Liddle	Henry Bickell	assault	July 13, 1897	"	\$1 and costs	not yet paid	"	"	
John Ferguson	Frank Falen	damage to property	July 24, 1897	"	ordered to pay damage \$2	not yet paid	"	def. lives 7 miles away	
"	George Locke	damage to property	July 24, 1897	"	\$2 and costs	not yet paid	"	"	
"	Russell Ellis	damage to property	July 24, 1897	"	\$2 and costs	not yet paid	"	"	
"	James Gordon	selling liquor without license	July 24, 1897	"	\$50 and costs	forthwith	Sept 3, 1897	license inspector	
William Newport	Harry Spry	careless driving	Aug 3, 1897	"	\$50 and damages \$4	not yet paid	Aug 30, 1897	cannot collect his wages to pay with	
William Newport	William Sturgess	malicious damage to property	Aug 3, 1897	"	\$2 fine, damages \$4 & costs	not yet paid	Aug 30, 1897	co. treas. \$2, owner of property \$4	
John Pattison	James McGeary	assault	Aug 10, 1897	"	2 mos. in gaol at h. labor	not yet paid	Sept 13, 1897	county treasurer	
William Calverley	John Craw	vagrancy	Aug 31, 1897	"	1 mo. in gaol at hard labor	not yet paid	"	"	
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E S Edmondson	Henry Abrams	damaging electric arc lamp	July 27, 1897	G E Mowbray, A W Farewell	\$1 fine, damages \$2	forthwith	July 27, 1897	Oshawa Electric Light Co., July 27, 1897	

I hereby certify that the foregoing Schedule contains a true copy of all returns of summary convictions made to me by Justices of the Peace and filed in my office between the 8th day of June, A. D., 1897, and the 14th day of Sept., A. D., 1897, inclusive.

JNO. E. FAREWELL, Clerk of the Peace, County of Ontario.

Stouffville

City Constable Potter, Monday morning called on county clerk Ramsden, who is also a justice of the peace, and swore out informations against Wm Clayton, the farm laborer, of Markham township, and his wife, charging them with manslaughter, in causing the death of their infant child. It is alleged by those who will be used as crown witnesses that Clayton and his wife deliberately neglected the newly born infant and prevented the farmers wife who offered herself as nurse from performing the necessary duties for the preservation of the little one. Farmer Underwood has stated that when Clayton called him to the house he found that the body had already been placed in the roughbox and he helped to carry it to the church yard, where it was buried without a certificate having been taken out. Underwood thought that while carrying the box that he heard the child inside move, but believing this to be impossible he made no investigation, even though he afterwards told his story to Magistrate Clarke.—Tribune.

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are charged an extra two per cent, if not on or before December 31st, four per cent, and if not on or before Jan'y 15th, five per cent. It is not the desire of the collector to make money out of this by-law but the intention is to have the taxes paid more promptly. When taxes are not paid promptly notes have to be discontinued. As these discounts are paid out of the general funds of the township, those who have been in the habit of paying promptly have to pay for the benefits of others. It must not be forgotten that the collector has the same authority to seize and sell after fourteen days, as he had before this percentage by-law was adopted.—News.



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Whitby, April 4th, 1894.

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