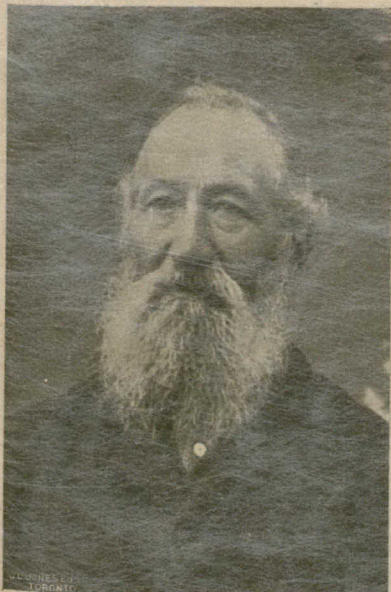


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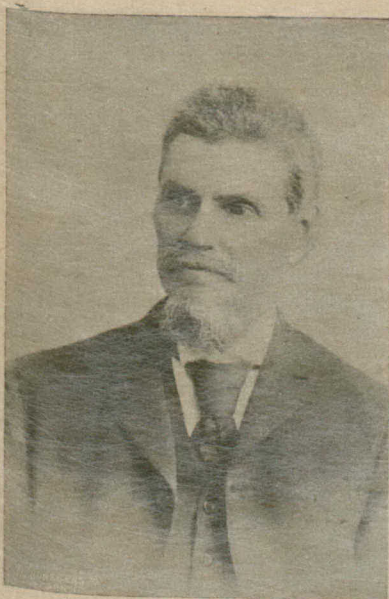
Clerk, Township of Sullivan.

Mr. Stephen was born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, in 1835, and came to Canada in



MR. A. STEPHEN.

1854, settling in the following year on the farm where he at present resides. The township, which had been incorporated five years before, was then an unbroken forest. He was a township auditor for a



MR. T. B. MOORE.

number of years, and received his appointment as clerk in 1879. In addition to his municipal office he is a justice of the peace, a commissioner, conveyancer, etc. He is very much in favor of municipal clerks associations, and would like to see one formed in every county in the Prov-

ince, as he believes they would prove invaluable to councils in general and to municipal officers in particular.

Clerk, Township of Drummond.

Mr. Moore was born in Drummond, on the farm where he now resides, in 1832. He has been for twenty-five years a director of the South Lanark Agricultural Society, and is an active member of the Farmers' Institute. He received his appointment as township clerk in 1880, and since that time has missed but one meeting of the council.

Town Clerk, Collingwood.

Lt.-Col. Hogg was born in the town of Boyle, Ireland, in 1830 and came to

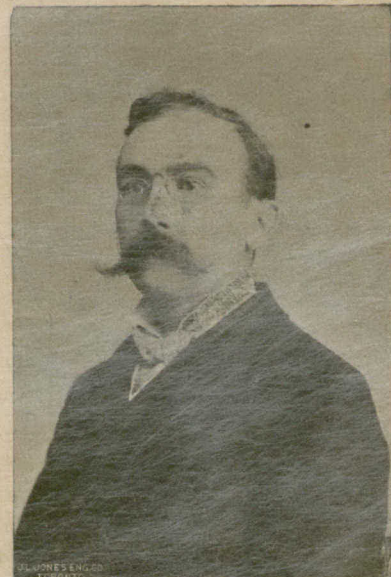


LIEUT.-COL. HOGG.

Toronto with his parents in 1832. At an early age he learned the book and printing business. In 1852, he moved to Barrie where he published the "Herald" for four years. When the railway was completed in 1855, he moved to the new town of Collingwood and started the "Enterprise" which he conducted for 30 years. In 1858 when the town was incorporated he was appointed clerk, but held office for a few months only. In 1860 he was elected a member of the council and from 1863 to 1881 he occupied the reeve's chair, having had but one contest during that time. In 1873 he was elected warden of Simcoe. In 1884 Mr. Hogg was elected mayor and in 1886 received his appointment as clerk. He has always taken an active interest in education and has been a member of the school board for over 30 years. As a member of the Volunteer force he served 22 years and was Lt.-Col. when he retired a few years ago.

Clerk, Town of Tilsonburg.

Mr. Raynes was born in Derbyshire, England, in 1862. On leaving school he studied law and gained his first experience in municipal affairs as acting clerk for the Heanor Local Board. He came to Canada in 1887, and assisted Mr. E. C. Jackson in the duties of town clerk. In 1893 Mr. Raynes was appointed collector of

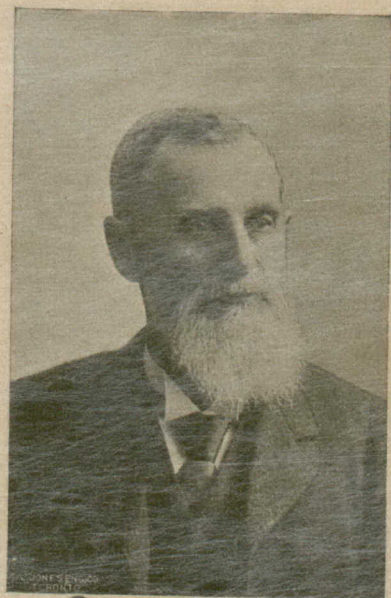


MR. A. F. RAYNES.

taxes, and held that position until 1896, when he was appointed town clerk.

Clerk, Township of Esquesing.

Mr. Kennedy was born in Esquesing in 1836, and for many years combined the



MR. G. H. KENNEDY.

lumber business with farming. He was deputy-reeve of the township in 1873, and was councillor in Georgetown for five years, was elected reeve for the years 1890, 1891 and 1892. In the latter year he resigned his office to accept the appointment of township clerk.