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An Interesting Gathering of the Reeves of Huron

Alex. Gibson Elected Warden -- The New

GODERICH Jan. 22, 1884. The council met at 4 p.m. but owing (4) Statement of investments held for to lack of a quorom, the clerk adjourned sinking funds, as on 31st December, the meeting to 10 o'clock a m. on Wed 1893.

The arst business before the council, 1883. Reeve of Wroxeter, was submitted by C. Girvin, Reeve of West Wawanosh,

Mr. Gibson was installed in office by Judge Toms, and addressed the Council 1883, \$2,251.36; 1882, \$2,297.44, and in 1883 a few words. He said that he felt warm much the honorant formula the council 1883 has been less than half of what it wery much the honor conferred upon him. He was the humble representative of the smallest municipality in the Counof the smallest municipality in the County. He thought his mover and seconder had been too generous in their remarks about his fitness. His aim always had been to do his duty. He agreed with Mr. Hardy that in the past there had been a tendency to run the County to run the County Council on party lines, and he took it as a good omen that the question had come up in this frank way at the first session. He hoped the hatchet would be buried, and that in the future the hoper would be buried, and that in the future the hoper would be buried.

confirmed.

The council then proceeded to elect a committee of five to strike the standing committees for the year, resulting as follows:—Ratz, Kay, Graham, D, D. Wilson and Strachan. On motion of Hardy, seconded by Walker, Archibald Dickson was appointed auditor for the current year.

The council then proceeded to elect a deliver to the council, or any party time the council directs. I am gentlemen, Your obt servant, A. M. Ross, County Trassurer.

current year.

Moved by Kelly, seconded by Graham, that Messrs. Gibson, Hardy, G. Elliott and Girvin be and are heroby appointed

and that the boundary of the divisions be the same as last year. Carried.

Moved by Holland, seconded by Britton, in amendment, that Messrs. Girvin, Gibson, Hardy and Hays be road commissioners for the current year. Lost on a division by 7, Hays vote of for his opponent, and Elliot for himse. The council then adjourned till 3 o'clock, to give the selecting committee a chance to strike committees.

Wodnesday, 4 o'clock p.m. Council resumed its session, the War-

Finance—Johnston, Campbell, Rogers, Cook, Hanna, Esson, H. Eilber, Thomp-son, Holland, Clare, Shier, Oliver, Buchanan, McPherson, Currie, Forsyth, Smillie, Beattie, Bissett, Britton, G. Elliott, Durnin, Young, Kelly, and

Allan.

Road and Bridge—W. Elliott, Hays, McMurchie, Kelly, Allan, Hyslop, Forsyth, Whitley, Kay, C. Eilber, Rennie, Anderson, Campbell, Esson, McMillan, Wray. Walker, and Béacom, School and Printing—Beattie, Beacom, Thompson, Oliver, Johnston, W. Elliott, C. Wilson, Esson, Shier, G. Elliott, Forsyth, Currio, Hennings, Griffin, McMillan, Biasett and Smillie. Millan, Bissett and Smillie.

Gaol and Court House-McPherson, C. Wilson, Hanna, Anderson, Campbell, Cameron, Whitley, Smillie, Bissett, Wray, Thompson, C. Eilber, Shier, Rogers, Kelly, Hyslop, Durnin, and Holland.

Moved by Mr. Girvin, seconded by Mr Young, that the sum of \$3,000 be raised by this Council, for the improvement of the boundary lines of the respecting municipalities, to be expended on the same principle as heretologic and on the same principle as heretofore, and paid after the June meeting of the Council, when the Clerk calculates the amount to be received by each municipality. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Kay, seconded by Mr. Shier, that Messrs Dewar of Seaforth, Gregory, of Exeter, and Halls, of Goderich, be appointed on the Board of County Examiners of school teachers for the current ways. Carried

The following was then read from A M Ross, as County treasurer: TREASURER'S REPOBT.

Goderich, Jan. 23, 1884.
To the Warden and Council of the county of Huron. GENTLEMEN, -I beg to submit here-

(1) Detailed statement of receipts and Road Commissioners - The Treasurer expenditure for the year 1883.

Question—Col. Ross Vindicated. (2) Statement of ledger balances on 31st December.

(3) Statement of the debenture sinking fund accounts.
(4) Statement of investments held for

(5) Statement of collections from non-resident lands. May 1st to December,

The first business before the country, after the roll call, was the election of a Warden. The name of Alex Gibson, ed and actual expenditure on general accounts 1883. You will notice from the Reeve of Wroxeter, was Reeve of West Wawanosh, seconded by L. Hardy, Reeve of Exeter. No other candidate being named before the half-hour elapsed, Mr. Gibson, amidst applause, was declared elected by available in reduction of the amount required to be levied in the present year. The expenditure for the mominated by \$132,86, while the expenditure for by \$132,86, while the expenditure for the least than the second of the amount results and the second of the amount results are the second of the second of the amount results are the second of the The expenditure for the maintenance of gaol has exceeded the amount estimated by \$132,86, while the expenditure for gaol has exceeded the amount estimated by \$132,86, while the expenditure for gaol has exceeded the amount estimated by \$132,86, while the expenditure for jury purposes is less than its estimates by \$484.10.

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Council affairs The usefulness of a County Council was gone if such a practice prevailed. He claimed that this election was not a political one. He was glad that Mr. Gibson was going to be elected without opposition.

Mr. Girvin briefly concurred in the under the old law \$3,038.62 and \$3,623.10 respectively. Under the Mr. Girvin brieny concurred in the sullogistic references made to the warden new law it has been in 1880, \$2,375.91; Under the nesses, the expenditure, you will notice, has been considerably less than the has been considerably less than the amount estimated. The gross expenditure for Crown witnesses has beer but

He hoped the hatchet would be buried, and that in the future the honor would the position of Provincial Treasurer in be bestowed on other than political grounds. The minutes of the last day of the December session were then read and confirmed.

of the office of treasurer of the county, which I have now held for over twenty-hve years, and I will be prepared to

Moved by Mr. McMurchie, seconded by Mr. C. Wilson, that the resignation of A. M. Ross, as treasurer by accepted

The council then adjourned to meet at

EVENING SESSION. Council resumed, the Warden in the

The Varden nominated W. N. Watson, of Seaforth, as one of the county

By-law No. 1, of 1884, appointing Dr. Holmes county treasurer, and repealing by-law No. 12, of 1883, was read and passed. His securities were then read,

Moved by Mr. Cook, seconded by Mr. Durnin, that the securities as now presented to the Council by our treasurer, Dr. Holmes, and recommended by Mr. Garrow be accepted by the Council—

By-law No. 2, appointing the County auditors was then read and passed. Moved by Mr. Kay, seconded by Mr. Eilber, that Messrs. Peter Adamson and

Wray, Thompson,
Rogers, Kelly, Hyslop, Durnin,
Salaries—D. D. Wilson, Strachan, H.
Eilber, Buchanan, Kelly, McMillan,
Forsyth, Rogers, Thompson, Hays, Mc
Pherson, W. Elliott, and Esson.
Warden's Committee—Graham, Ratz,
Kay, Young, Hennings, Cameron and
Cook;
Thompson, Hays, Mc
Board of Audit, in terms of the Act in
that behalf—Carried.
Moved by Mr. Hannah, seconded by
Mr. Wray, that a sufficient number of
cards be printed to-morrow with the
names of the respective committees
thereon, to supply each member of the
Council with a copy—Carried.

Council with a copy—Carried.

The road between the 10th and 11th
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at 10 o'clock.

Paramount.

OBITUARY - Donald Sutherland, of the old pioneers of this place, died on Tuesday The deceased has been in bad health for some time. His remains were health for some time. His remains were Young and Stalker They experienced

Junch Beacom, deputy reeve, Messrs. J. H. Elliott, Jas. Laithwait, and Edward Acheson, councillors, these having qualified per statute. The minutes of last meeting were read and passed. Moved by John Beacom, seconded by Edward Acheson, that the election expenses for Lownship, amounting to \$62 be paid—Carried. The clerk handed this to the different parties. Moved by James Laithwait, seconded by John Beacom, that the salaries of the township officers be as follows, viz: Clerk \$110; assessor \$75; collector \$85; treasurer \$75; auditors \$6 each—Carried. Moved by Jas. Laithwait, seconded by J. H. Elliott, that S. W. Lawrence be auditor for the current year—Carried. The reeve appointed J. R. Holmes second auditor. Moved by J. Laithwait, seconded by E. Acheson, that the clerk send samples and subly for tenders for township. Acheson, that the clerk send samples and apply for tenders for township print to Huron Signal, Goderich Star, New Era and News Record—Carried Wm. Stanley applied tor collectorship. Moved by J. Beacom, second by E. Acheson, that W. Stanley be collector for present

with John Porter as poundkeeper, was placed on the list. The council adjourn-ed to meet again on the third Monday in February first JAES. PATTON, clerk.

assessor for current year — Carried.
Pathmasters were appointed, feace viewers re-appointed, poundkeepers re-appointed. A new pound on 4th cen.,

Dungannon. last Tuesday evening

The skating rink was opened here last Monday evening, and is well patronized now

Messrs. Crawford and Anderson purchased the stock of McKenzie & Co. Lucknow, and are now offering astonish ingly good goods at very low prices,

The sacrament was dispensed in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath the Rev. Mr. Cameron of Lucknow officiat

visiting friends in this village this week. We regret to have to state that S. B. Saunby has been suffering from severe Stephen Irwin, who lives a couple of

miles north of this village, is the happy possessor of a thoroughbred blood colt of 3 years of age. Mr. Irwin is an excellent horse trainer. He says he now has the colt down to 2.30, and feels confident County Treasurer. that he can get her to beat the fastesi several standing offers varying from \$200 to \$500 for the beast now, but he is confident that he will realize as many thousands on her before he is done training She is a handsome animal, and there is not the least doubt but what Mr. I's expectations will be realized.

On Thursday of last week the Blyth Branch of the United Order of Worker, was read and filed.

A circular from the county clerk of Simcoe requesting this council to coperate in petitioning the Dominion to resist railway monopoly, was read and referred to the printing committee.

Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Thompson that the thanks of this "Grand Lodge of Ontario." "Our Signal Acades of Ontario." The electing committee submitted the following as the list of standing committees for the year:

Equalization—Henning, Griffin, Girtun, Kay, Graham, D. D. Wilson, Monday, Cameron, Hardy, Ratz, Kaine, McMillan, Walker, Hays, and Strachan.

Mr. Thompson, that the thanks of this council be tendered to Hon. A. M Ross for the able and satisfactory manner in which he has discharged the duties of treasurer during his long term of office, and also that we extend our congratulations to him in the new and higher office which he is now called to fill as treasurer of the Province of the Province of the thanks of this council be tendered to Hon. A. M Ross for the able and satisfactory manner in which he has discharged the duties of treesty. Tresponded to the toast of the societies, "Grand Lodge of Ontario." "It is possible to Societies," responded to by C. Hamilton; "The Learned Profession," by Rev. A McLean; "Our Municipal Interest, "Special Rev. A McLean; "Our Municipal Interest, "Special Rev. A McLean; "Our Municipal Interest, "Our Municipal Interest, "Special Rev. A McLean; "Our Municipal Interest, "Our Municipal In ton; "The Press," by J. I. Mitchell; "The Out-going and In-comming Officers," by W. H. Watson and M. B. Malloy; last, but not least, "Our Hostess," by Mr. Milne.

The annual service and tea-meeting in connection with St. Andrew's Church was held on Sunday and Monday, Jan. 14 and 15. The following speakers participated: Rev. Mr. McDonald, Rev. Mr. Pritchard, Rev. J. S. Fisher, Rev. Mr. MeNaughton, Rev. Mr. Stobbs, Rev. M. McLean, Rev. Mr. Lochead. Proceeds, \$2.31.

On Thursday evening the Grangers assembled to partake of a hearty supper, but the eatables not arriving they had to disperse very hungry.

Rev. J. B. Taylor officiated as pastor in St. Andrew's Church in Kincardine

concession is badly drifted up.

I. O. G. T. ENTERTAINMENT. - This affair drew a large audience at the Temperance Hall on Friday evening last, our local friends being augmented by a whealth for some time. Its female and stalker. They experienced one upset, but no injuries. Bro. R. E. Brown, W. C. T., occupied the chair for the Verdun tea-meeting on Monday in the visitors helped the programme in fine style. R. E. Miller and J. Young and Stalker. They experienced one upset, but no injuries. Brown, W. C. T., occupied the chair for the Verdun tea-meeting on Monday in the visitors helped the programme in fine style. R. E. Miller and J. Young tural societies. Referred to Finance committee.

The resignation of Mr. A. Armitage, of Seaforth, as High School trustee, was read and accepted.

The visitors helped the programme in fine style. R. E. Miller and J. Young gave readings: J. Stalker kept the audience in roars of laughter as he gravely discoursed about Mother Hubbard read and accepted. of Seaforth, as High School trustee, was read and accepted.

Moved by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Johnston, that Robert Coates, of Clinton; Rev. Dr. Ure, of Goderich; and John Beattie, of Seaforth, be appointed Will be held on Friday, 8th, February.

High School trustees for their respective Arrangements are being made to have a slow received in a discoursed about Mother Hubbard and a violin and organ duett by Cullis and Mackenzie drew forth an encore- From our own lodge, "The Irisk Picket" by Bro. W. McManus, was well given, as W. Clatton and Sister Cowan. Bro. Clutton was Jan. 3. 1884. John Beattie, of Seaforth, be appointed High School trustees for their respective schools. Carried.

Moved by Mr. McMurchie, seconded by Mr. Chas. Wilson, that by-law No 12, of 1883, appointing W. J. R. Holmes 12, of 1883, appointing W. J. R. Holmes as treasurer, be repeated as some doubts have arisen as to its legality Carried.

County met to day according to state of the respective schools. Carried.

Will be held on Friday, 8th, February. Arrangements are being made to have some excellent soloists having been secured from Goderich Moved by Mr. Chas. Wilson, that by-law No 12, of 1883, appointing W. J. R. Holmes have arisen as to its legality Carried.

Holmesville, Jan 21st, 1884.

County met to day according to state of the respective samples of speakers will also being made to have some first-class singing, some excellent in the Side," by Sisters Ellen Horton and C. McAllister. Much of the nursing silence was broken by the mirth of the audience. A dialogue by S. P. Williams and Sister E. J. Jefferson, work, with about the retainty. Write for full particulars to H. Hallett & Co., Portland, 1922-

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