# Township Councils.

HARWICH COUNCIL.

meeting of the Municipal Council of the Township of Harwich was held in the Township Hall on Monday, Oct. 14th, at 10 a.m. Members were

all present.

The minutes of Sept. 9th and special meeting of Sept. 12th were read and, on approval, signed by the Reeve. The following communications were

Zenas Watson, re drainage on East townline at lots 9 and 10. Thos. Roe, in regard to excavations being made on sideroad across lots 3, Con. 1, W. C. R., claiming damages if

any resulting therefrom.

W. G. McGeorge, C. E., re specifications for bridge, Reynolds.

Lake Erie Ry. Co., relative to water lying at E. & H. Junction, also in regard to crossing at River Road, also as to complaint of hog cars standing

on track near Chatham being a nuis Scane & Houston, re-deeds made to one J. A. Laurie in 1878 for northerly end of Gore Line. Deeds forwarded by the Clerk.

Wilson, Kerr & Pike, advice re Wolfe Creek drain and McNaughton grievance, also J. K. Laird grievance with petition; advice re Nash drain

Jackson grievance.
T. L. McRitchie, M. D., with account

for attendance and care Indians.

Mrs. Pepper, receipt for board of
W. Slann in full.

Jas. McCormick reported having inspected the River Road and finding several places that were dangerous to public travel, and suggested the council take steps to make them safe.

J. K. Laird presented a petition

asking relief from waters doing damage to him. on pt. lot 18, Con. 3, L. E.
The Reeve presented notices from
the Bank with statement of balances to credit of township at end of September, as follows:-

Savings Bank account, \$5,023.16. Trust account, \$528.50. Special trust account, \$576.99.

Total-\$6,128.65. Moved by Morrison and Buchanan, that as a number of dangerous places exist on the River Road from the bank and ravines being unprotected, that Messrs. McCormick and Young be

authorized to make the same safe from accident to the travelling pub-lic.—Carried That the Clerk notify Engineer Smith to inspect the Union drain on the first of November, or as soon as

possible thereafter.—Carried.

That this Council having on May 13th, 1901, instructed the Reeve to take action in the case of the grievance of J. K. Laird, by placing the matter on the D. & W. Act, that the same is hereby r scinded, and the Reeve is now instructed to take no action under this Act .- Carried.

Moved by Morrison and McCormick, that the grievance of Mr. T. Roe be ferred to the commissioner of the third ward, with power to act, and report to the Council, and if necessary to prosecute offending parties, and puit up notices if necessary. -

Also, that in the matter of the Nash drain, that the Reeve having taken Messrs. Neil and Jackson before the solicitor, that this Council authorize him to take Mr. David Wilson and Mr. Jas. Doyle, as well as Mr. Neil posts, \$55.43. and Mr. F. W. Drury, and on their J. Cornhill, further information have the solicitor

advise the Council.—Carried. Also, that providing Mr. Dunkley and Chas. Clark do 221-2 rods each of ditching that the commissioner, Mr. Buchanan, do 45 rods of ditching on the 3rd Con., W. C. R., said ditch to be 8 ft. top and 4 ft. bottom and 2 ft. deep.-Carried.

Moved by Young and Buchanan that the mafter of drainage brought before this Council by Zenas Watson be referred to Councillor Morrison, with power to act.-Carried,

Moved by Morrison and Young, that the grievance of Chas. McKenzie be referred to the Com'r of 3rd ward to report to this Council.—Carried.

Moved by McCormick and Young, that the Municipality of Harwich re-fuses after the 1st of November, 1901, to support Walter Slam, an indigent; since his arrival in this country in 1893 has resided in the Township of Dover for three years and in the Township of Raleigh for three years and who has been supported by the Township of Harwich during the past year and a half.—Carried.

Also, that the Treasurer accept and place to the credit of Ward No. 3 the sum of \$1.80, the amount refunded by the Railway Co. for damaged sewer pipe, hereby handed by the commis-sioner of said ward to the Treas. -Carried.
Moved by Morrison and Buchanan,

that the petition of J. K. Laird, for drainage under the Drainage Act for pt, lot 18, Con. 3, L. E., be entertained and that W. G. McGeorge be hereby instructed to proceed on the petition as the law directs .- Carried.

Moved by Young and Buchanan, that as Wesley Rosebrugh has lost all his buildings with their contents by fire, resolved that this Council express their sympathy for him in his misfortune by the remission of taxes for the year 1901.—Carried.

Kent Bridge, Oct. 14, '01. To the Commissioner of the south approach for Kent bridge. Dear Sir,-I beg to report that

have, by request, inspected the sout earth-work approach of Kent bridge, and I have pleasure in saying that it is completed satisfactorily in every

W. G. McGeorge.

I hereby beg leave to report in conjunction with Councillor Williams, of the Township of Howard, that the earth-work for the south approach to Kent bridge was sold to Alex. McKeegan for \$570. The engineer's estimate for this was \$700, without the removal of the old structure. I would re-port that the work is finished to the satisfaction of the engineer, whose report is hereto attached. Would also report that Harwich's portion of the plank that were sound I gave to Com-missioner McCormick for repair of Smyth's bridge, and that we sold the unsound timber for the sum of \$10.— Rich. Young, Com'r. Report adopted on motion of Mc-

### The Weak Spot.

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Cormick and Buchanan. The following accounts were passe and ordered paid:-

J. McCully, selecting jurors, \$5. W. Saddington, do., \$5. Geo. M. Baird, wood, livery, sanitary work and sundries, \$11.60. G. M. Baird, stationery and postage,

G. M. Baird, Acet. salary, \$50. Alex. McKeegan, grading approach to Kent bridge, 1-2, \$285. W. G. McGeorge, plans and specifi-cations Reynolds' bridge, \$21.50. R. Hazleton, work on Smyth bridge,

etc., \$28. G. Spicer, do., \$4.50. W. Ierriam, Rep. bridge, \$2. iKng, Drew & Co., spikes, \$6.48. Banner-News, advertising work or Kent bridge, \$1.75. Theo. Pickering, printing and adver-

tising, \$7.75. A. Denholm, do., \$4.50. Planet Co., do., \$4.50. James Leslie, salary to Oct. 1st,\$50. J. McCully, to arrange for care of child with Ferrin, \$25.

I. Ferrin, keep of child, \$6. Mrs. V. Wilcox, board of W. Slann to Oct. 14, \$25. T. L. McRitchie, M. D., one visit to J. McCormick, grant for W. Slann,

Jos. Bustin, Rep. bridge and plank, Hadley Lumber Co., lumber and

J. Cornhill, tile, \$9.60. Lake Erie Co., 60 cars of gravel

8222. Watson, lumber for culverts \$29,29.

Enos Smith, Rep. culvert, \$6 J. Walrath, do., \$1.50. Geo. McCann, do., \$2.75. C. A. Remington, new culvert, \$10. A. Busteed, Rep. culvert \$1.75. S. Hartford, the culvert, \$2.

Jas. Coleman, Rev. culvert, etc., \$6 Sol. Lee, do., \$1. E. Hambly, do., 50c. Thos. Pickering, ditching and grad-

Wm. Garrod, do., \$5 J. Clendenning, gravelling and rail on a bridge, \$55.50.

Wes. Bentley, Rep. 4 bridges, \$3.35. P. Anger and W. Sterling, work on school street, \$22.13. P. Morrison, to pay for gravelling being done, \$64.15.

eing done, \$64.15.

Wm. Bond, for gravelling, \$36.36.

Thos. Roe, sheep killed, \$4.66.

C. Lawrence, do., \$13.33.

M. Hamil, do., \$14.

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P. McGarvin, do., \$30.33.
Thos. Holdaway, Rep. Culvert, \$1.
N. Watson, lumber, \$7.45.
C. Slade, ditching, Locke drain,

D. Lamb, do., \$150.50.

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Moved by Young and Buchanan, that as T. L. McRitchie, M. D., has not complied with the conditions of the Council in connection with medical visits to paupers, that this Council cannot violate said conditions and can only pay the cost of an emergency visit, amounting to \$2.
Council adjourned.
GEO. M. BAIRD,

Clerk.

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ighness Can Only Be Had at the Price of Industry and Patient Toil. Lack' of thoroughness is a great fault in the present age. It is quite impossible to do some things rapidly and well, and the temptation in every department of human activity is towards rapidity. Hence comes superficiality in knowledge, inefficiency in business, poor teaching, bad service and shams everywhere. Books which are full of errors, carelessly written, and hardly revised at all, are hurried from the press, largely advertised in superlatives, and marketed like so many shares of stock or bushels of wheat. There has never been a time when the daily press was so carelessly edited, and, while the worst journals have become intolerable on account of the sewage and falsehoods with which they are filled, the best are by no means trustwor-thy in their news and in the statements upon which their opinions are founded. This change in literature, for it is indeed a change, is not due entirely to haste or prejudice, but in considerable degree to indolence Thoroughness, which produces good iterature, reliable news, carefully verified statements, and deliberately matured opinions, can be had only at the price of industry, patient toil,

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A Somerset House clerk entered the private room of the head of his department to ask for a fortnight's holiday. The official received him with his usual afffability, and told him to hand in his request in writ-

ing.
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"Oh, yes; in fact, it is indispensa ble."

"Then I will go back to the of "No need to do that; see, here are pens, ink and paper; sit down and

The clerk obeyed. The petition was written out, signed and folded. "Now," said the functionary, "you have only to present it." "To whom?"

"To me, of course!" And taking the petition, he wiped his glasses, carefully adjusted them, read the document from beginning to end, placed it on a file along with a number of similar applications, and then remarked with the utmost gravity: "I have read your petition, and regret exceedingly that I am compelled to inform you that I cannot accede to your request.'

Imagine the feelings of the poor clerk!-London Tit-Bits.

Some years ago a certain William Stickers resided in a village about 50 miles from London. Having narrowly escaped capture for poaching, he went to London, hoping, amidst the bustle of the great city, to escape detection. He was, however, much disturbed and greatly surprised in finding as he supposed, that his offence had become known in London, for on looking up at a street corner he observed "Bill Stickers Beware." But the climax was reached when, on a boarding round some newly-erected buildings, he was horrified to read: "Bill Stickers will be prosecuted." He could hold out no longer, and accordingly gave himself up, and confessed his guilt at the nearest police station.

Stamp of Edward VII. Newfoundland has been using the stamp of Edward VII, for the past three years, it having first appeared early in 1898. This stamp is one of a set of five—all devoted and known as "the Royal set" in the stamp On the half-cent stamp is Prince Eddie, son of the Duke of York; on the one-cent is Queen Vicon the two-cent King Edward: on the three-cent Queen Alexandra; on the five-cent the Duke of York, who will shortly visit Can-Newfoundland leads the Emada. pire in this issue, and the set is immensely popular, being still in use.

Shakespeare and Marie Corelli. Miss Marie Corelli is the literary lion of Stratford-on-Avon. She lives in a large and extremely pretty house and it would be difficult to

imagine a more desirable environ-ment for literary work. Misa Corelli is very popular in Stratford, and there is little doubt that the great majority of its people are far better acquainted with "The Mighty Atom" than with "Hamlet."—London Mail.

Scraps.

The coinage of India last year was about £80,000,000. Australia is nearly 26 times larger than the British Isles. An Irish jury recently brought in the following verdict: "We, the jury, find the prisoner almost guilty." The Boer prisoners in Ceylon have applied that their families may be allowed to join them, as they the country, and wish to become per-

The man with but one idea in head is sure to exaggerate that top-heaviness, and thus he loses his uilibrium.—A. Hill.

manent settlers.

Hard workers are usually honest; industry lifts them above tion.—Boyce. A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market.-Lamb.

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the sake of a cat.-Chinese proverb.



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