

Coun Hartley said he had returns from every collector with the exception of collectors Gallagher, of Kent and from Wakefield, and also Simonds. In the case of Wakefield there was the unfortunate incident of the death of one of the collectors which would account for the omission.

The following officials were elected without opposition:—
Secretary treasurer—J C Hartley.
Auditor—D McL Vince.
Reporter—T C L Ketchum.
Mr Colpitts, Scott Act Inspector, was absent at the time, so his report was read by Coun Balmain.

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Carleton.
Gentlemen:—I have placed my account as Inspector under the Canada Temperance Act for the year 1910, in the hands of the County Auditor.

The expenses incurred by the County in the enforcement of the Act during the past year are very little larger than those for the year 1909, but the amount collected for fines is very much smaller. The people who sell intoxicating liquor in the County of Carleton, outside of the town of Woodstock, at the present time have no property from which to realise fines. Unlike former times when the liquor dealer was among the wealthiest and most influential of our people, the present violator of law is without any standing in the community. He does not ride in gorgeous equipages nor does he live in gilded palaces. He makes his home very often in obscure dens and caves of the earth. The time has passed when it was possible to have an honest enforcement of the Canada Temperance Act without expense to the County. During the year 1910 the violations have been principally at the extreme ends of my territory. Kirkland, Bridgewater, Holmesville, Upper Kent, Glassville and Foreston. The administration of the law in these places is necessarily attended with considerable expense. Convicted persons have not aid fines. It has been necessary during the year to seize what little property could be obtained and imprison the offenders. At the present time there are in the County gaol three convicted persons in default of payment of fines aggregating \$550.00. About \$600.00 additional in fines is outstanding against parties who have either left the County or against whom warrants of Commitment are in the hands of the Officers.

One healthy sign of the times which gives satisfaction to all those who are interested in the suppression of the liquor traffic is that our Communities throughout the County, insist upon having violators of the law driven out. The people are with us. Assistance is obtained from many who in times past hesitated about offering it. There seems to be a determined effort made among the people themselves to put an end to the sale of liquor in this County. If the law is to be enforced in accordance with the wishes of the great majority of the people, that is to say, honestly and vigorously, it will cost the county money to do it. The Canada Temperance Act cannot now be made a revenue producer, unless we shut our eyes to the offences committed and collect from the violators of the law a toll from their ill gotten gains. This, so long as I am Inspector, I will not do.

During the year seventy-five cases have been tried forty-two convictions made, eight cases now pending for the decision of the Police Magistrate and twenty-five cases in which sufficient evidence was not obtained. The list of cases is hereto annexed. The financial result of the County is that after the payment of all fines and of my own salary there is a deficit for the year of \$1771.95.

I have annexed hereto a statement of the financial result.
Dated this 14 day of January, A D 1911.

Respectfully submitted
RAMFRED COLPITTS.
CASES IN 1910.

Cases	Convictions
Burill Stackhouse	3
John Murphy	2
Walter Doyle	1
Ann K Bell	2
John Demerchant	2
Alexander Demerchant	2
William Styham	1
Charles W Manzer	1
Harry Law	1
Joseph Lamb	1
Michael Fanning	1
Daniel Thompson	3
Elizabeth Crain	2
Michael Crain	2
Frank Dempsey	2
Ann K Bell	1
Chalmers A Derrah	5 pending
William Love	4
James Andrews	2
John Demerchant	2
Mary Demerchant	2
Fannie Gee	2
Joseph Lamb	4
Joseph Crabb	3
Edward Currie	4
Harry White	2
Edward Banks	3
James Oglvie	1
James Caw	3 pending
John Murphy	3
Alexander Demerchant	2
Hartford Gee	2
Fannie Gee	1
Oscar Miller	2
Levi Graham	3

Statement showing the financial result of the County of Carleton from the Operation of the Canada Temperance Act for the year 1909.

The Inspector has received from fines.	\$ 841.45
Deficit	1771.95
	2613.40
He has paid for expense	\$1538.40
Salary	400.00
Police Magistrates account	300.00
W P Jones account	375.00
	\$2613.40

The net cost of administering the Act was \$1771.95.
On motion, the report was placed in the hands of the Scott Act Committee to report to-morrow.

The committee appointed on this report were Couns F R Shaw, Tracey and Perry.

Coun Brown said, on behalf of the committee he had only one offer for a flag-pole to be 90 feet high, to cost \$125.00 f. a. b., freight estimated at \$8.00; or they would erect a pole here at an expense of \$185.00. This was higher than the Connell Park people paid. He had talked with Mr Carvell about getting the same people to put up a pole for the County and one for the Government at the same time, thus saving expense.

Coun Melville thought it was hardly necessary to have a flag-pole, as there was one right across the street.

Coun Scott thought the committee might have an extension of time, and a motion was made by Coun Tompkins that the committee be given further time.

Coun Brown did not think \$180.00 would be well expended on a flag-pole.

Coun Lamont moved, seconded by Coun Britton, that the committee do not erect a flag-pole this year.

Coun Williams did not see much difference between the amendment and the motion.

Coun Balmain moved, seconded by Coun Shaw, that the matter be left over till the June session.

The amendment to the amendment was carried.

Coun resumed after dinner.
The Warden referred to the absence of Coun Estey on account of illness and expressed regret that he was unable to be present. The executors of the state of L. P. Fisher had invited the members of the council to visit this afternoon the late Fisher residence which was likely to become the public hospital. It was decided to accept the invitation.

Coun Balmain on behalf of the Finance Committee, said he was not in a position to give the bonded indebtedness of the county but this information would be forthcoming later on. It was a matter which was a good deal of importance.

Mr Hardley said the total bonded indebtedness was \$41,000. There \$2000 to pay this year \$11,000 was of the old issue for the gaol, and there is \$30,000 on debentures issued for the Court House.

Coun Phillips submitted report of Building Committee as follows:—
Woodstock, N. B.,
Jan. 17, 1911.

The Building Committee for the Municipality of Carleton, beg to submit the following report.

Expenditures of committee for the year 1910 are as follows:—

JAIL EXPENDITURES.	
To W F Diblee & Son—12½ tons coal at \$8.00 per ton	\$100.00
To H E Burt 12½ tons coal at \$8.00 per ton	100.00
To Light and Power Co. For years:—	
Lighting	\$6.05
To Smith Lumber Co.—Two cords wood	4.00
To H D Baird—For electric lamps and work	3.55
To Hamilton Bros—For cleaning and repairing furnace pipes	7.50
Albert Hayden—To 1 load wood	2.00
	\$276.58

(Continued next week.)

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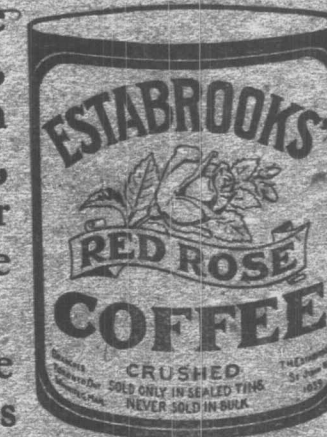
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| One Team | One Seeder and Harrow |
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| One Reaper | One Double Waggon |
| One Horse Rake | One Long Sled |
| Two Harrows | One Robbins Potato Planter |
| One Riding Plough | Two sets Single Harness |
| One Pung | One set Double Harness |
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