

# Municipal Officers of Ontario.

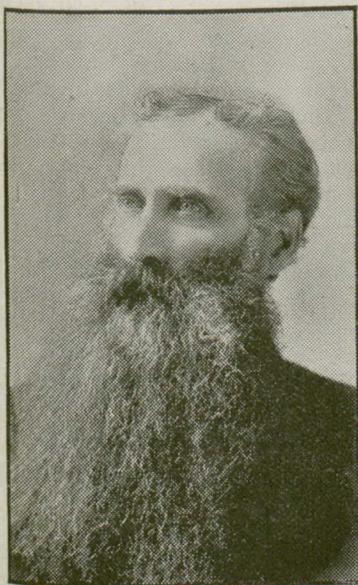
## Clerk Township of Hilton, St. Joseph's Island.

Mr. Whybourne was born in the county of Sussex, England, in the year 1846, and was educated at the English Church School. At the age of 21 years he engaged



MR. W. E. WHYBOURNE.

as a clerk in a wholesale woollen establishment in London, England. He emigrated to Canada in 1874, and four years later he settled on St. Joseph's Island. On the organization of the township of Hilton in 1883 he was appointed assessor and held that office for several



MR. J. B. LUCAS.

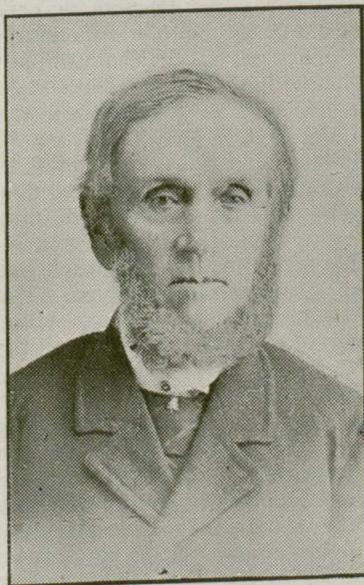
years. He was afterwards councillor for the municipality, and in 1896 was appointed its clerk. Mr. Whybourne is a Conservative in politics.

## Clerk Village of Springfield.

Mr. Lucas was born in Delhi, in the county of Norfolk in the year 1837, and was educated in the public schools of that village. He taught school for a number of years in Norfolk, Oxford and Elgin counties. In 1874 he abandoned the teaching profession on account of ill-health and opened an Insurance and Conveyancing Office in the village of Springfield. Mr. Lucas was appointed clerk in the year 1884. He is also an Issuer of Marriage Licenses and Commissioner in H. C. J.

## Clerk Township of Cartwright.

Mr. Lucas was born in county Cavan, Ireland on August 14th, 1824. He was educated at the National and Tullivin Mathematical Schools. He taught in 1843 and 1844, and then emigrated to New York



MR. WM. LUCAS.

in 1845. He came to the township of Cartwright in 1847 and continued school teaching for 8 years. In 1855 he engaged in mercantile business. Mr. Lucas was appointed clerk of the township of Cartwright in January 1861 and still retains that office. He is also an Issuer of Marriage Licenses, Commissioner in H. C. J., etc.

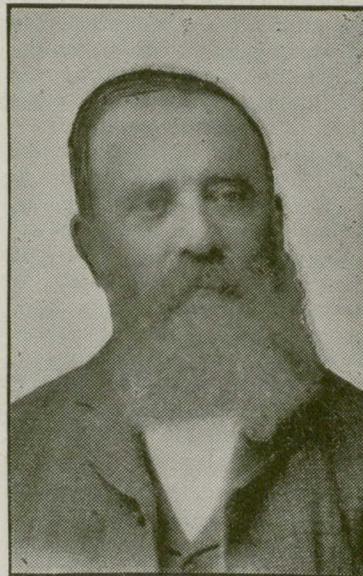
## Clerk Township of Warwick.

Mr. Stewart was born in the township of Montague in the county of Lanark in 1839. He was auditor for that township in 1867 and 1868. In 1869 he moved to the township of Warwick and engaged in farming. He was appointed clerk of the latter township in 1874 and still holds that office. He is one of the auditors of the Administration of Justice Accounts

of the County of Lambton, and of the Lambton Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Mr. Stewart is also a director of the Forest Union Agricultural and Horticultural Society.

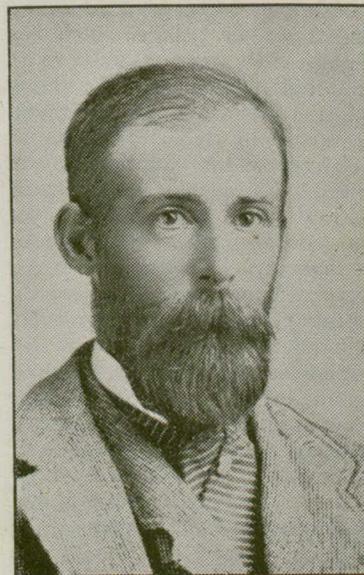
## Clerk Township of Bexley.

Mr. Taylor was born in Dublin, Ireland, in the year 1849. He was brought up in the County Kerry, and emigrated to Canada in 1866. He was appointed clerk of the



MR. W. H. STEWART.

township of Bexley in the year 1897, and still holds that office. He is also treasurer of the North Victoria District Agricultural Society.



MR. ALFRED TAYLOR.

Mr. Bryden, city clerk, of Rat Portage, has instituted proceedings against the council for illegal dismissal. He demands \$10,000 damages.