## Municipal Officers of Ontario.

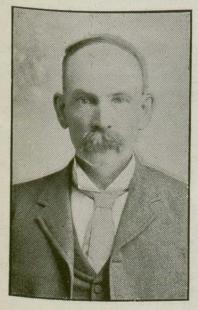
Clerk of the Township of North Plantaganet.

Mr. Joseph Belanger was born in 1847, in St. Eustache, County of Two Mountains, Que. In 1855, Mr. Belanger's family removed to the township of Alfred,



MR. JOSEPH BELANGER.

where the subject of this sketch attended school. In 1869 he began teaching and followed that occupation for 21 years. He was appointed clerk of the township in 1890, and he is also clerk of the 4th Division Court of the united counties of Prescott and Russell.



MR. W. J. BELLAMY.

Clerk of the Township of Artemesia.

Mr. W. J. Bellamy was born in the township of Brock, Ontario County in

1853. thence he moved with his parents to the township or Artemesia in 1868. He was educated in the common schools of the latter township. He was appointed clerk of the township in April 1880, and is also secretary of a number of friendly societies in his neighborhood. He carries on a general conveyancing, insurance and loaning business in addition to the performance of the duties of the above offices.

## Clerk of the Village of Glencoe.

Mr. G. M. Harrison was born in London township in the year 1844, and received his education at the public schools in the neighborhood of London. He obtained a first-class certificate in 1863, and taught school for 4 years. He removed to the village of Glencoe in 1867, embarking in the mercantile



MR. G. M. HARRISON.

business. He continued at this for ten years, when he became a partner in the firm of Harrison & Rathburn, bankers. Mr. Harrison was appointed clerk of the village on its incorporation in 1875.

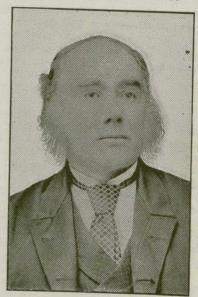
## Clerk of the Municipality of Salter, May, Etc.

Mr. Benjamin Sweezy was born in New Brunswick, in the year 1853, of U. E. Loyalist stock. He was educated in the public schools there and in Pembroke, Ontario. In his earlier years he was a valued clerk in the employ of the Hudson Bay Company at Lake Temiscamingue. In this capacity he travelled over the greater part of what is now New Ontario. Since leaving the employ of the Hudson Bay Company, Mr. Sweezy has filled numerous positions of trust and respon-

sibility, and is still clerk of the above united municipalities.

Clerk of the Township of Verulam.

Mr. G. W. Taylor was born on the 6th of July 1868, in the township of Verulam. He was educated at the public school of Bobcaygeon, Port Perry High School, Peterborough Business College and Guelph Dairy School. He was appointed



MR. BENJAMIN SWEEZY.

clerk of the township of Verulam on March 1st, 1897, and is also secretary of the Verulam Agricultural Society and the Bobcaygeon Cheese Factory.

Mr. E. Cody has been clerk and treasurer of the village of Embro for



MR GEO. W. TAYLOR.

twenty one years, and during all that time has missed attending but one council meeting.