General Business.

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200 do 100		20,000
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N. B. 84

SKATING RINK!

The Directors of the Chatham Skating Rink beg to inform the public that

Skating&PromenadeTickets

FOR THE

Season of 84-5

May be obtained either at Mackenzie's Drug Store or from the Secretary.

Season Tickets-SKATING.

FAMILY TICKETS $6.50.—This ticket will entitle d members of a family to skate and promenade eglivrp for the season, said three members to consist of—

1st,—The parent and one child, (the latter to mean any child except a young man of 18 years or over)

2nd.—A widowed parent (or a guardian) and two children (excepting young men of 18 years or over,)

Memembers of the family (over the three above designated) will receive tickets (excepting young men over 18 years of age) at $1 each.

GENTLEMAN'S TICKET, $4.50, entitles the holder to skating and promenade privileges for the season. All ages over 12 years to be included in this class of ticket holders.

LADY'S TICKET, $2.50, entitling the holder to skating and promenade privileges for the season. All ages over 12 years to be included in this class.

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GENTLEMAN'S TICKET, $2.00.
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These tickets entitle the holden to skating and promenade privileges for the period of one month from date of issue only.

Single Admissions.

Single Admission for Skating 25 cts., or Six Tickets (each of which will entitle the holder to one day's skating) for $1.00.
Single Admission to Promenade (Band Nights) 10c
" " " " (Ordinary Nights) 5c
Holders of aforesaid tickets will not thereby be entitled to Admission on Carnival Nights, as all Carnivals and such Entertainments are Extra

The Rink will, at all times, be under the supervision and control of two members of the Board of Directors, assisted by a competent Janitor, and proper order and discipline may be relied upon, and good behaviour will be strictly enforced.

The Rink will be opened on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at 1 p.m. and close at 10 p. m. On Saturdays it will open at 10 o'clock, a. m. and close at 6 o'clock p. m., intermission of one hour each day between 1 & 2 and 6 & 7 p. m.

MUSIC

WILL BE FURNISHED BY THE

Chatham Brass Band

Two evenings each week from the opening of the season.

Notice of the Rink being open for Skating will be given by hoisting the Rink Flag as well as by Dodgers.

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SODA, RICE, ETC.

100 Kegs Soda.
100 Bags Rice.
1 Cask "Arnolds" Ink,
1 Cask Alum.
1 Bale Senna.
1 Bale Cloves.
2 Cases Nutmegs.

Just Received.

GEO. S. DeFOREST.
13 SOUTH WHARF.

St. John N. B. Jan. 85

General Business.

Notice of Sale.

To Michael McLean, of Newcastle, in the County of Northumberland, laborer, and all others whom it may concern—

Take notice that there will be sold at Public Auction in front of the Engine House in Newcastle on Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of March next, at 12 o'clock, noon,

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Newcastle, aforesaid, being part of lot number one and granted to the late William Davidson, bounded on the north by Mitchell street, west by lane leading to the Marsh, south by lands owned by the heirs of the late James Ryan, and east by lands owned by John Murray, being the same piece of land conveyed to the said Michael McLean by James O. Fish by deed dated the twenty-seventh day of September, A. D., 1877, as by reference thereto will more fully appear.—Together with the buildings, improvemens and appurtenances.

The above sale will be made under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the 4th of October, A. D. 1879, and made between the said Michael McLean and wife of the first part and Alexander Ferguson, late of Derby, in the County aforesaid, of the second part, and recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the County of Northumberland, in Volume 59, pages 616 and 617 of the said records, reference being thereunto had will more fully and at large appear, default having been made in the payment of the moneys secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage

Dated this twenty-second day of December, A. D., 1884.

JAMES ROBINSON,
Executor of the last Will and Testament of Alexander Ferguson, Deceased.
E. P. WILLISTON, Solicitor for Executor.
Terms made known at sale. 3 25

Chatham Carriage

AND

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Alex. Robinson,
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Napoleon Tobacco,
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Lowest Rates FOR CASH.

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The Municipal Council

(*Continued from 1st Page.*)

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Council met at two, and immediately adjourned until 4 o'clock, to allow committees to meet.

At four o'clock Council resumed.

On motion of Coun. Baldwin, a Committee of three was appointed to prepare a bye law relating to Barnaby River Boom Commitee so appointed—Councillors Grattan, Baldwin, Whelan.

Coun. Whelan said that with regard to the resolution introduced by him at last July session relating to the assessing of rates and taxes, he had prepared a similar resolution for presentation to the Council at this session, but in view of the near approach of a new valuation, he would withhold the same, not wishing to take up the time of the Council unnecessarily.

Coun. Morrissy presented petition of Micheal Bannon, asking for refund of taxes assessed on $500 of personal property as he did not possess that amount of personal property.

Coun. Freeze said he noticed that a great many of these petitions came from the same quarter, and thought it was time it was stopped, as they occupied a good deal of the time of the Council.

Coun. Morrissy thought it came with bad grace from Coun. Freeze to object to petitions such as these, which it was his duty to present to the Council when placed in his hands for that purpose.

Coun. Campbell said such petitions would take up the time of the Council unnecessarily. He believed it would save time to have as before, a Committee on assessment appeals, to whom all such petitions could be refered.

On motion Councillors Campbell, Morrissy, and Freeze were appointed a Committee on assessment appeals.

Coun. Campbell moved that this petition just presented, and similar petitions introduced at this session, be referred to said commitee, carried.

The various commitees not being ready to report the Council adjurned until tomorrow at ten.

THURSDAY FORENOON.

Council met at 10. Minutes read and approved.

Councillor Stewart moved following, seconded by Coun. Tozer

Whereas the Bye Law defining the duties of District Clerks in Parishes where two or more polling places have been established, does not give general satisfaction nor attach any penalty where District Clerks fail to do their duty.

Therefore Resolved, that a committee of three be appointed to frame a Bye Law imposing a penalty on District Clerks who neglect to do the duties imposed on them by law, and also the amount of such penalty.

Coun. Stewart said that while the duties of said clerks were clearly defined in Municipal elections no penalties for neglect of duty were stated. In some cases there had been gross neglect of duty, such neglect resulting in annoyance and inconvenience.

Councillors Stewart, Freeze and Tozer were appointed a committee to frame said bye-law, and on motion of Coun. Tozer were directed to report this after noon.

Coun. Stewart asked Sec.-Treas. whether in case of contested elections the Council had the power to pass bye-law enabling a party having a grievance to file his papers, and have the case tried before three Justices of the Peace, instead of by the Council as at present. The Council met for only a very few days in the year, and by such a change delays would be prevented.

Sec-Treas, said he did not think Council could pass bye law asked for by the Councillor.

Coun. Whelan, moved resolution, seconded by Coun. Underhill, asking that a valuation be ordered for the year 1886. The mover quoted figures, showing the necessity for such valuation, especially as regards the parish he represented. He hopep such a valuation would be ordered, in justice to all the parishes.

Coun. Adams, referring to resolution, said he did not favor it on the ground that it implied Council had neglected its duty, which was not so. An Act of Assembly was passed in 1881 making it optional for Council to order a valuation. It is now provided by law that a valuation shall be taken next year, and in that case he thought resolution was unnecessary.

In answer to Coun Bransfield, Sec. Treas said it was imperative that a valuation be held next year, but might be ordered this year if Council desired it.

Coun. Whelan contended that Council had neglected its duty in not ordering a valuation in 1881.

Coun. Adams said that act of Assembly left it optional that year, and Council had therefore not neglected its duty.

Coun. Ryan said the Council of this year could not order a valuation to be taken next year, when a new Council might have charge of affairs.

Coun. Whelan amended his resolution to have the valuation in 1885; and so amended, it was carried.

Coun. Tozer, chairman County accounts committee, presented following report:—

JANUARY SESSION, 1885.

Your committee to whom was referred the County accounts, beg to report that we find them all satisfactory except one from D. M. Savoy, constable, where the account was not sufficiently clear. The jail accounts were very well kept and gave your committee little trouble. Respectfully submitted.

Jared Tozer, A. Adams.
Roger Flanagan, Daniel Baldwin,
John Campbell.

Report adopted.

Coun. Tozer moved Council proceed to passing accounts. Carried. Accounts were then passed as follows:—

Jail accounts,	$94 64
Public Wharf committee,	35 55
Clerk of Peace,	15 00
Public Wharf Fund, Chatham	14 00
David Savoy's acct. $15.15, passed by auditor; committee recommended to be reduced to $12.00. charges being exobitant, passed	12 00
Romain Savoy, Coroner,	26 00

Coun. Stewart rose for information. He said this was a charge for an inquest held on a man who had died in Gloucester County, and was brought into Northumberland for burial. Mr. Savoy impannels a jury and holds inquest. He (Stewart) thought Savoy had no jurisdiction. Thought inquest should be held in County where accident occurred. He might be wrong, if so he wanted to be set right. He thought it was enough for us to have to pay the bills we were justly entitled to pay.

In answer to a question by Coun. Freeze, Sec.-Treas. said if the man died in Gloucester county, inquest should have been held in Gloucester.

Coun. Cameron raised the question as to whether inquest had been necessary. Was the man alive when found and able to describe how the accident occurred.

Coun. Stewart said the man was alive when found, and was able to state that he had received his injuries on a landing. From these injuries the man died in Gloucester County and was afterwards brought into Northumberland County.

Coun. Adams said he was afraid Coun Stewart was making assertions he could not prove. He (Adams) happened to know something about it. He had met the parties bringing out the body and had recommended his burial without an inquest, but the chief magistrate of that parish had ordered a constable to take the body, and directed Savoy to hold an inquest. Savoy did so, and under the circumstances had a right to be paid.

Coun. Stewart said the facts given had been communicated to him by Mr, James Robinson in whose employ the man had been killed. It was his duty as Councillor to oppose all illegal bills, and he would do so in this case.

Account passed as recommended for $26,20, Coun. Stewart alone voting nay.

S. Thomson, Sec.-Treas.	$263,85
Coal for County buildings $27.00. Committee recommend acct. be paid in full for 21.00, Passed, as amended,	21,00
John Ward, horse hire,	12,50
John Shireff, Sheriff,	372,95
M. Russell, ferriages,	7,24
R. S. Maltby,	25.00
G. A. Blair, acct. 26.50 Committee recommended be paid less 2.50 an amt. charged in account last year and thrown out. Passed as recommended	24.00
John Cassidy, constable, taking lunatic to asylum,	$20 00
Dr. J. S. Benson, coronor, $31.67, Committee recommend be paid less $4.00, charge for attending prisoners, Chatham lock-up. Passed as amended, for	27 67
Coun. Morrissey asked if a doctor had no been paid for attending prisoners in New castle lock-up. If that was right, this amount ought also to be paid.	
Coun. Tozer said yes, but that two wrongs did not make a right.	
J. L. Stewart, printing,	25 20
G. B. Fraser, Registrar of Wills,	5 50
John Cassidy,	2 75
Dr. Jos. B. Benson, lunacy certificate,	4 67
J. & A. McMillan,	23 00
Dr. J. B. Freeman, Coroner, $17.50. As account is $1 under amount allowed by law, committee recommend be paid $1.00 more. Passed for	18 50
Dr. H. A. Fish, coroner, $44.00, Committee recommend be reduced $5.00. Passed for	39 00

Coun Morrissey said the law allows the Sheriff $20 for summoning juries, and he did not see why a coroner should be expected to do so, for $15.

Coun Adams said the Sheriff's income consisted of these and other fees, and it was not any too large either, while it was different with the coroner. The committee did justice to all parties. When a coroner was so modest that he charged too little, they gave him the $15. and when he charged too much they reduced the amount. This was fair to all parties. The law allows any amount from $8 to $20. The amount fixed by the Council for such service is $15.

Coun. Morrissey moved acct be paid in full. Lost.

Dr A C Smith, Health Officer,	$15 00
Dr H A Fish, medical attendance,	6 25
W. & J. Anslow, printing,	11 42
D. G. Smith, do.	28 60
Dr A C Smith, lunacy certificate,	4 68
Romain Savoy, coroner,	20 90
F. O. Pedolin, coroner, $14.35. Committee recommend $3 be added. Council comply. Passed for	17 35
Dr. A. C. Smith, coroner,	17 80
E. P. Williston, auditor,	37 50
County Alms House in account with Sec. Treas. Balance on hand,	1,353 10
County School Fund in account with Sec. Treas., balance on hand,	2,800 26

Committee state have not total amount from Chatham, one Collector having yet to be heard from.

John Cassidy, Board of prisoners, Public Wharf and Land Committee, Newcastle, in account with Sec. Treas, balance on hand,	184 40
	$611 60

On motion of Coun. Tozer, Mr. E. P. Williston is re-appointed auditor.

In answer to Coun. Whelan, Sec. Treas. said it was competent for council to appoint Valuators.

A great difference of opinion was expressed as to how the Valuators should be appointed.

Coun. Adams proposed the ballot. This was opposed several councillors.

Coun, Baldwin proposed Council adopt similar course to that pursued in the election of President of United States. (Laughter.)

Coun. Flanagan moved that Councillor Loggie be a Valuator.

Coun. Campbell moved a committee be appointed of one Councillor from each parish, with whom the selection shall be left.

Coun. Whelan said he thought this would be the best way to choose the valuators.

Coun. Flanagan said he thought his nominee had been elected. Cries of 'ho!' 'ho!'

Coun. Freeze said he thought the best way would be to choose the Valuators in committee of the whole.

It was thereupon decided to take nominations and proceed to the election, the candidates having a majority of votes to be elected.

Couns. Peter Loggie, John Campbell, Anthony Adams, Mr. R. Swim, Couns. Michael Whelan, John Morrissey, Michael Grattan, Mr. James O. Fish, Mr. Ralph Fayle and Coun. Hugh Cameron were nominated.

Coun. Loggie was elected unanimously. Coun. Adams was similarly elected. The other candidates received votes as follows—J. Campbell 7, R. Swim 6, M. Whelan 3, J. Morrissey 7, M. Grattan 9, J. O. Fish 5, R. Fayle 2, H Cameron 11.

Coun. Morrissey questioned the right of the Warden to declare the councillors Loggie and Adams elected.

The Warden said they had received a unanimous vote, and were elected.

On the second vote Coun. Campbell received 5 votes, R. Swim 6, Councillors Whalen 7, Morrissey 16, Grattan 10 Mr. Jas. O. Fish, 6, Mr. Fayle *nil*, Coun. Cameron 8.

Coun. Cameron said he thought he had been fairly elected on the first ballot, having received the largest number of votes cast.

The Warden said he did not get a majority of the votes of the Council and was therefore, not elected.

Coun. Woods asked if the Councillors could vote for all the candidates, as he had seen some present doing so. (Laughter.)

The Warden declared Councillors Loggie, Adams and Morrissey elected.

Coun. Flanagan moved following:

Whereas it is the opinion of the Council that the different rates charged by the ferrymen in the parishes of Chatham and Newcastle are too high

Coun. Stewart said the resolution was not correct—the report was read as follows.

Newcastle, Jany., 1885.

To the Municipal Council of the County of Northumberland.

The firewards of the town of Newcastle beg leave to submit the following Report.

During the past year the Firewards have made a payment of $681.25 to the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co., of New York, which leaves a balance of $600, bearing interest at 6 per cent, since November last.

The steam engine and department have been under the charge of Mr. Robert Beckwith, who is engaged for another year at the same salary.

At the last January Session of the Council the Firewards asked for an assessment of $1000.00 which the Council reduced to $800. This somewhat interfered with the estimate of the Board, and in consequence the expenditure overruns the income by $213.79, which amount is due the Treasurer, who has paid all bills.

In the month of November last tenders were asked for the erection of a new Fire Engine House. A number of tenders were put in, the lowest being that of Geo. Brown for $2700. At a subsequent meeting of the Board a contract was entered into with Mr. Brown, who furnished good sureties, and agreed to have the building finished by the first October next. The foundation is now ready, and the contractor has completed his arrangements for the lumber, &c., and will shortly commence the erection of the building.

During the past year a good and substantial tank has been built near the residence of T. W. Crocker, at Willow Brook. This tank will supply a long felt want and will give greater protection for the people in that vicinity.

The loss to property by fire during the past year has not been very great, Two houses have been burnt in the district viz, W. S. Brown's, 27th May, and Angus McLean's, 23rd July. In addition to the above there have been several alarms of fire, but fortunately no serious damage was done.

At the last meeting of the board it was decided to request the Council to assess $1200 for the ensuing year, as it will require nearly that amount to pay off present balance, and run the department without making any payment on acct. of hose.

Annexed hereto is a detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures during the past year, which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. PARK, Secy. R. R. CALL, Chairman

Newcastle Firewards in acct with Wm A. Park, Treasurer.

1884.	
Jan 16 To paid freight	$0 35
" " Drummond, hauling coal,	3 00
Feb. 8—" " Express, charges on parcel,	50
Apl 17—Men's wages,	2 00
May 12—To paid R. Beckwith,	
June 12—R Beckwith, qrs salary	40 00
quarter's salary,	40 00
To paid J McIntee, ladders,	20 00
28—To paid R Fairman, repairs,	5 50
Aug 11—To paid John Rae, repairs	8 00
July 23—Men's work at fire,	1 50
Aug 14—Freight,	35
Oct 13—John Wheeler, work at tank,	1 50
14—Isaac Preston, work at tank,	53 00
18—To paid John Buckley, iron work,	12 33
20—To paid David Duncan, work at tank,	39 20
To paid R L Maltby, work at Douglastown fire,	5 50
To paid A A Davidson, insurance	20 00
31—To paid Isaac Preston, work,	3 00
Nov. 1—To paid John Williamson, work,	17 63
To paid Oliver Thibedo, work,	6 75
12—To paid Geo Brown,	2 50
18—J McElroy, on acct hose, $681.25, draft 85cts,	682 10
28—To paid R R Call, coal	51 97
Dec. 3, " " Jas. Hickey, work,	26 62
12, " " R. Beckwith, balance of salary,	80 00
T McAvity & Sons, valves, etc.	38 81
E Lee Street, Alcohol,	5 35
W & J Anslow, advertising,	1 50
Estate of T J McEwen, sundries,	1 98
John Morrissey for teams,	9 00
J H. Phinney, stoqe pipe. etc..	2 75
Wm Park, sundries,	1 82
D & J Ritchie & Co lumber, etc..	139 02
John Murray, work at tank,	46 00
James Murray, grate bars	7 00
McDonald & Green, masonry,	73 00
J T C McKeen, architect	50 00
John Ferguson, sundries,	51 44
W A Park,	30 00
J L Stewart, printing,	2 00
R R Call, gas	16 50
	1,600 39

1884	Cr.	
Jany—By bal on hand,	$512 05	
Oct—By cash from R A & J Stewart, expenses at Hutchinson's fire	14 55	
By cash from Collector of rates,	800 00	
Dec—By Rent from R. Beckwith,	20 00	
By rent from Police Com.	40 00	
		1,386 60
Balance due Treasurer		213 79

WM A PARK, Treasurer

Coun Morrissey objected to so large an assessment as $1,200 and moved to reduce it to $1,000, Carried

Parish accounts, continued—

A. Pond, By Road Commissioner, Ludlow, correct. Passed.

N P Wilson, Col Rates, do do do do do do
John Murphy, Com Roads, do do
John McNamee, do do do
Timothy McCarthy, Road Commissioner, Blackville, no returns from 2 surveyors—otherwise correct. Ordered that he pay over balance in hand $29.53 to successor in office, and that Surveyor Whelan pay $2 43in like manner

Matthew Kehoe, Col Rates, Blackville' correct

Morgan Hayes, By road Commissioner, do

Jas P Morehouse, Col Rates, do, Committee recommend he be paid $1,10 bal due him

Michael Hayes, collecting justice, do correct

Thomas Vickers, Bye Road Com, do do
Morgan Hayes Com. Roads do. do,
Jas. J. Smith, Col. rates do. $2.05 to be paid to him.
Wm. T. Underhill, com. highways, do. correct.
Wm. T. Underhill, Col. Justice, report of defaulters, Blackville to lie over until July.
Elijah Donald, By-road Com., Blackville, ordered to make returns to July session.
Francis Parks, col. rates, Derby correct.
Thos. C. Newman, Col. Justice, Derby, referred back to auditor for report in July.
Thos. Vye, Com. By-roads Derby, correct.
Levi Gerrish, Road Com., do. do.
J. J. Miller, Com. Highways, do. do., ordered bal. in hand, $2, be paid to successor.
Patk. Clancy, do. do. do., ordered that $1.00 in hand be paid successor.
Sam'l Holt, By-road do., correct.
Hugh Parker, Com. By-roads, Derby do
Wm. Dickens, By-road Com., Glenelg, correct.
Duncan McNaughton; Com. Highways, do. correct.
do, do. Com. By-roads, do.
Bernard Cook, col. rates, do. do.
Donald McBeath. collecting justice, acct. to lie over till July. as it came in late.
Wm. Dickens, Com. Highways, do. correct.
Alex. Dick, Col. Rates, do. do,
Geo. Mersereau, Col. Rates, Blissfield, correct.
Geo. Sutherland, Com. By-Roads do. do.
Michael Hanna, do. do. do. do.
Wm. Swim, Com. Highways, do. do.
Sam'l Betts, Com. By-roads, do. do.
John Maroney, Com. Highways, do. do
David Gogan, Com. Highways, Rogersville, correct.
John L. Bourke, By-Road Com., no acct., vouchers only submitted, correct.
Philip Arseneau. do. do. correct.
Jas. Harnett, Com. of Highways—to lie ever until July Session.
Reuben Burk, Col. Rates, $2.84 due him to be paid over by Successor.
Sylvania Le Blanc, Com. Highways, do. correct.
Peter Casey, Com. By-Roads, do. do.
Patk. Hurley, Col. rates, Northesk, correct.
John O'Shea, Com. By-roads do. do.
James Urquhart, Com. Roads, no voucher from one surveyor—to make returns at July Session.
John O'Shea, Com. Highways, do. do.
Peter Russell, do. do, do. do.
Patk. Shaughnessy, By-road Com. do.
James Urquhart, do. do.
Wm. Jones, Col. Justice, do. do.
Patk. Hogan, Col. rates, do. do.
David Dennett, do. do. do. do.
Bernard Russell, District clerk, Alnwick, correct.
John Doyle, By-road Com. do. do.
Angus Morrison, Com. Highways, up-dist.—one surveyor makes no returns—otherwise correct.
Prudent Robichaud, Com. Highways, correct.
Jas. Mahoney, Col. Rates do. ordered to pay Secy.-Treas. bal of $22.65.
Augustus Allain, Col. Rates,—ordered to be paid $1.27 by Successor.
John Stymiest, J. P., return of Summary convictions—correct.
Do. do. Collecting Justice, do. do.
Lazarus Muzzerol, By-road Com., do.
John Robertson, Com. Roads, do. do.
Isaiah Legere, Col. Rates, do. do.
John Robinson, By-road Com. do. do.
*John L. Robichaud, Com. By-roads do. do.
Louis P. Robichaud, Col. Justice—to stand over till July.
Anthony Grattan, Col. Rates do.—to pay bal. of $10.45 to Secy.-Treas.
Saml. Breaux, rent of building for polling place $2, correct.
Romain Savoy, do. do. do. $2 correct.
Jas. McLean, Com. By-Roads, Hardwick, correct.
Michael Bransfield, do. do. do. do.
Jas. B. Williston, do. do. do. do.
Surveyor Robert Noble's acct. not according to law.
Jas. McLean, Com. Highways do., correct.
Alex. McDonald, Col. Rates do. do.
Joseph Williston, Com. Highways, do. do.
R. M. Johnston, By-Road Com. Southesk—no vouchers for over-expenditure, correct.
C. Shaesgreen, Dist.-clerk, do. correct.
Joseph White, Col.-Justice, do. correct.
Stephen Peabody, Bye-road Commissioner, do. correct.
Robt. Tweedie, Collector Rates, do. do.
R. M. Johnston, Com. Highways, do. do.
Jas. Lawlor, Col. Rates, do. do.
Stephen Peabody, Com. By-Roads, bal. to be paid over to successor.
Thos. Lynch, By-road Commissioner, Nelson, correct.
Geo. A. Flett, acct. for election meeting, $4, do.
John S. O'Neill, expenses in connection with election, $2, do.
E. P. Williston, acct. services in re S. W. Boom Co., Taxes $7.00, do.
Chas. Vye, Col. Rates, do. do.
Thos. McDonald, Bye-Road Com. do. do.
Thos. Flett, Highway Com., do. to lie over till July.
A. A. M. Saunders, By-road Com., do. correct.
A. A. Cowden, Col. Rates—$6.32 due Treas., ordered to be paid over to him.

County accounts were passed upon as follows:—

J. C. Brown, $2.50 for teaming Committee on visit to Alms-House. County contingent acct. $882.71, bal. in hands of Secretary, passed.

No return, from James McMurray, Collector, Lower district, Chatham.

J. R. Lawlor, for work done on County buildings, $12.03, passed.
John Morrissey, $3.
John Clark, $2.50.
Dr. McDonald, coroner, $15.00, passed.
do., do., Health Officer, $15.00, do.
Revisors of Votes, $236.00, passed.
J. S. Benson, coroner $17.20, do.
J. B. Freeman, do., $16.00, as payment in full.

Coun. Campbell submitted List of Parish and County Officers for Ludlow, which was adopted.

Coun. Freeze submitted like list for Blissfield, which was adopted.

Coun. Whelan, like list for Blackville, adopted.

Coun. Baldwin submitted By-Law relating to Barnaby River Boom which was adopted. It provides that unmarked logs be sold and proceeds divided *pro rata* among those having logs in the Boom.

Adjourned till 4.30 for Committee work.

Warden resumed chair at 4.30.

Account of Angus Russell, Bye Road Com. Glenelg was submitted as correct by Com. Cameron, passed.

Coun. Stewart from the committee to visit the Alms House reported having performed that duty and found it well kept and orderly and in every way creditable to person in charge and they recommend that a fire escape be provided. Adopted.

Coun. Morrissey from the committee on the Chatham Curling Club petition recommended that they be allowed to have the land required from the Public Square for an aute-room of their Rink at an annual rental of $5. Adopted.

Coun. Reinsborrow submitted list of parish and County officers, Glenelg, which was adopted.

Coun. Bransfield moved for a Committee of three to prepare a by-law for division of Hardwick for Municipal election purposes, adopted and Couns. Bransfield, Williston and Loggie were appointed.

Coun. Morrissey submitted list of Parish and county officers for Newcastle.

Coun. Woods objected to some of the names thereon.

Coun. Adams suggested that a list of the men upon whom both could agree be passed and then for each to nominate his man for the position in dispute and let the Council decide.

Coun Woods said he had offered to let Coun. Morrissey select all the officers of the upper district if he would give him the same privilege in the middle district, and to nominate man and man about with him in the lower district.

The Council having voted to receive the list, Coun. Woods said he had heard a good many complaints against certain officers, instancing, Wm. Lyons, By-road Commisioner of whom it was said that he did not call for tenders for work on the roads.

Coun. Morrissey said there were complaints on the one side and defence on the other. He had made enquiries, personally, and believed Lyons to be a good officer, while he found the roads even better in the lower district then in any other. At all events Mr. Lyons' accounts were always found to be correct.

Couns. Adams, Bamford, Campbell Whelan, Freeze, Stewart and others discussed the matter and the list being moved for adoption by Coun. Morrissey, Coun. Woods moved that the name of Alex. Innis be substituted for that of Wm. Lyons as commissioner of roads. Carried.

Coun. Woods also moved to substitute Thomas Wallace for John Lyons as By-Road Commissioner.

Coun. Morrissey defended Mr. Lyons, though he said Mr. Innis was also a good man.

The motion was lost.

On motion of Coun. Woods Cornelius Connolly was made By-Road Commissioner in place of Archibald Campbell.

On motion of Coun. Stewart, from special Committee, a by-law fixing a penalty of not less than $20, nor more than $40, on district clerks violating the By-Law already in force relating to their duties, was adopted.

Coun. Loggie from the Committee appointed on Alms House accounts, reported having examined them and found them correct. They also recommended that the Commissioners be more careful in the matter of giving out door relief. Report adopted.

Council adjourned till 10 a. m. Friday.

FRIDAY FORENOON.

Council met at 10. Minutes of yesterday read and approved.

Coun. Bransfield moved a resolution, that valuators be paid $3.00 per day.

Coun. Flanagan moved in amendment that they be paid as before.

Coun. Ryan said he thought bye-law was brought in 3 years ago to fix pay of valuators.

Sec.-Treas. said he thought the Councillor was correct in his statement.

Coun. Tozer seconded by Coun. Jardine, moved to refer to a committee of three to report this afternoon.

Councillors appointed Tozer, Freeze, Flanagan, said committee.

Councillor Loggie moved following relating to amalgamation of fire and road departments, Chatham, which was adopted.

Whereas it is the opinion of this Council that if the Fire and Roads Departments of Chatham were amalgamated it would contribute to the more effective working of said Departments, therefore

Resolved that the Local Legislature be requested to pass an Act at its next session authorizing and providing for said amalgamation

Coun. Morrissey seconded by Coun. Whalen moved that $5000 be appropriated from the County Lands Fund for the purpose of erecting a new jail.

Coun. Flanagan asked if gaol committee had not reported the gaol in good order.

Coun. Ryan moved matter lie over until jail committee report.

Carried.

Coun. Morrissey moved the committee now report.

Carried.

Coun. Reinsborrow reported from gaol committee that they find gaol clean and in good order with exception of floors and windows, which need repairing.

Report adopted.

Coun. Arseneau moved for committee to frame bye-road to prevent hogs running at large in parish of Rogersville, and to report this p. m.

Councillors Adams, Arseneau, Thibedeau appointed committee.

Coun. Adams referring to resolution for new gaol, said the matter had been up several times before, but the way had not seemed clear to build it. The County had a large amount of money on hand a portion of which was drawing interest at 4 per cent. The County had no very creditable buildings, and without taxing the people one dollar, we could build a gaol which would be a credit to the County. He would recommend appointment of a committee to investigate matter, ascertain cost, and report in July, penping which Councillors could consult constituents and be better prepared to deal with the matter at next session. He did not think it was creditable to have tumble-down buildings, and keep a large amount of money on hand.

Coun. Morrissey thought an amount should be appropriated for purpose of obtaining plans, which would give the committee, if appointed, an opportunity to report more satisfactorily in July.

Coun. Cameron thought it better not to be in a hurry in this important matter, and therefore approved of the appointment of a committee to obtain plans etc., and report in July.

Coun. Morrissy read following having reference to the condition of jail.

To John Shireff, John Morrissey and Chas. Fish, Esqrs., Jail Committee, Newcastle, N. B.

Gentlemen—As guardians of the public health we beg to call your attention to the disgraceful condition in which we find the common jail of this County. Within, and as a portion of each compartment of the jail, an offensive water-closet is placed the door of which opens directly into the room so that each prisoner is forced to sleep, eat and spend his time within an atmosphere of a most disgusting, depressing and dangerous nature. We feel safe in saying that in no other civilized community would such a state of affairs be permitted.

We find no blame attaching to the Jailer—the fault is to be found in the outrageous manner in which the jail is constructed

In our official capacity we respectfully call upon you to give this very important matter your early attention.

Your obedient servants
JOHN R. NICHOLSON,
A. C. SMITH, M.D.
ROBERT RITCHIE,
B. A. FISH, M. D.
} Members of Board of Health, Newcastle.

Coun. Morrissy said this was the report of a body of gentlemen appointed to look after the sanitary condition of the town and a report which should have weight with this Council in dealing with the matter. He could substantiate all the statements