

tion from taxation, be referred to a committee composed of the following gentlemen, viz., Messrs. Cruickshank, McCleary, Emmett, Griffith, Ellsworth and the mover and seconder.—Carried.

The hour for adjournment having arrived, the Warden left the chair.

At 2 o'clock p. m., the council resumed.

Moved by Mr. Cruickshank, seconded by Mr. Sisler,

**Municipal In-
debtedness.**

That the Warden do cause a statement to be laid before this council during the present session, showing the amount yet due this county from the different municipalities; and also the amount of indebtedness of the county, and the amount of cash on hand, and the probable amount which it will be necessary to raise by a temporary loan to carry on the business of the county during the present year.—Carried.

**Mortgages
Marsh Lands.**

Moved by Mr. Orchard, seconded by Mr. Emmett,
That the Clerk furnish this council a statement of the mortgages on the Marsh Lands, shewing

- 1st—The amount of the mortgages given,
- 2nd—The amount of instalments paid during the year 1884,
- 3rd—The number of defaulters, if any,
- 4th—If notices have been given to the defaulters.—Carried.

**Standing
Committees**

By permission the Special Committee to strike the Standing Committees for the current year, were allowed to retire.

The Special Committee returned and presented report of committee.

Moved by Mr. Ramsden, seconded by Mr. Shrimpton,

That the report of Special Committee appointed to strike the Standing Committees for the year 1885 be received and read.

Report read.

Moved by Mr. Ramsden, seconded by Mr. Shrimpton,

That the report just read be adopted, and

Moved by Mr. Cruickshank, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, in amendment,

**Report of
Committees**

That the report of the committee appointed to strike the Standing Committees be not adopted, but that the same be referred back to

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