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Moved by Councillor Balcom, sec. by Coun. Reid that the representatives of the County be recommended to have the stipendiary magistrates appointed with the few changes as made in list of Police Magistrates. Dr. Percy Woodworth was appointed health officer for the County salary \$100.

Report of alteration road in Berwick through lands Rev. G. J. C. White read. No claims for damages. Report received and road to be established.

Councillor Bishop stated that a new road machine had been obtained and on motion it was resolved that the bill for same be paid out of contingent fund.

Councillor Cook spoke of bill for \$30 for Architect Firm. Resolved that money be drawn from Treasurer of Poor for Cornwallis for same.

On motion resolved that application Geo. H. Fielding for pent road be disallowed.

ROAD PETITIONS

Petition read from Bishop Brook, Aylesford for alteration. Damages \$56, J. S. Woodworth commissioner. Proceedings were continued and road established.

Petition for road at Harborville. Committee reported against laying it out. Proceedings were disallowed.

Petition from Kingston for change in road, McMaster mill to Ward road. Submitted to committee on Roads and Bridges.

Report was read of proposed alteration in road around Porter Hill, Billtown, stating it was not necessary. Proceedings disallowed.

Report was read of proposed road across new dyke from Canning to Clarke Lane, Canard. It would take 2 3-10 acres of dyke, damages \$580. J. A. Northup commissioner. Referred to roads and bridge.

Petition read from White Rock for new road through land of Albert Forsythe. Referred to committee of roads and bridges.

Petition read from Canning for C. R. Dickie to place new hay scales in front of Post Office, not to interfere with public street. Councillors for Ward 1 were heard and also Mr. Dickie. Resolved that Mr. Dickie put up scales, the councillors of ward to look after construction and position continued on Tuesday

CURRENT NOTES

Why did Anthony Hope? Because Mrs. Campbell Praed.
When does Albert Trott? When Gibson Bowles.
What gave Barry Pain? To see Flora Steel.
Why was Rider Haggard? Because he had to Marie Coroll.
—London Globe.

LIVED IN THREE CENTURIES

Following is the names of some of the people who have lived in three Centuries, Miss Rebecca Ramsdell of New Hampshire, was born in Acton, Mass., March 4th 1799, is living yet. A Mrs. Wier residing at Grafton, Queens Co. is now in her 102nd year.

Wm. Prout of Tamworth, Ontario, is 104 years old, he last year planted an acre of corn, tilled it, cut it, and put it in the barn without assistance.

Mrs. Jane Sheppard died on the 4th inst aged 102 years, she lived at Musquash.

James Ross of St. Martins, N. B. 111 years old, was born in Scotland, was a bluejacket in the British navy when Waterloo was fought.

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