

Lake Simcoe, is one of its principal feeders. There are several other streams of considerable size, all affording more or less water power, but of no importance in other respects.

The County of Simcoe consists of Townships of Adjala, Cardwell, Essa, Flos, Humphrey, Innisfil, Matchedash, Medonte, Medora, Monck, Morrison, Muskoka, Nottawasaga, Oro, Orillia, Sunnidale, Tay, Tecumseth, Tiny, Tossorontio, Vespra, Watt, West Gwillimbury and Wood, the Towns of Barrie, Collingwood, Oillia and Penetanguishene, the incorporated villages of Alliston, Beeton, Bradford, Gravenhurst, Midland, Stayner and Tottenham. Population about 75,000.

In 1850, Mr. Capreol set a scheme on foot for the construction of a railroad from Toronto to Lake Huron, *via* Lake Simcoe, which, after much opposition and considerable modification, was successfully carried into effect, and work finally completed in the year 1854. To forward the undertaking, the County of Simcoe took stock to the amount of £50,000.

COUNTY OFFICIALS, COUNTY OF SIMCOE.

Address, "*Barrie.*"

High Sheriff, T. D. McConkey; Deputy Sheriff, F. M. Smith; Clerk of the Peace, Crown Attorney and Master in Chancery, J. R. Cotter; County Clerk, R. T. Banting; Clerk of Arraigns, A. Lloyd; Deputy Clerk of the Crown and Clerk of Co. and Surrogate Courts, J. McL. Stevenson; County Treasurer, S. M. Sanford; Deputy Treasurer, James Sanford; Registrar of Deeds, Samuel Lount; High Constable, Joseph Rogers; Governor of Gaol, Alex. Lang.

Address "*Collingwood.*"

Deputy Registrar Maritime Court, A. D. Knight; Deputy Marshall Maritime Court, Patrick Doherty.