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## COUNTY COUNCIL

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bers of this Council, in session for the first time since the event, have learned with sincere regret of the recent death of John Bradford of the Town of Dunnville.

The deceased represented the Township of Dunn in the County Council during the years 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920 and 1921.

The deceased was a fine type of man, quiet and unassuming, but having definite opinions backed by sound judgment and rendered effective service to his constituents both in this body and in the Township Council, and in the Town Council of Dunnville.

He was faithful in the discharge of his duties and was universally liked by his fellow members.

Resolved, that the resolution be embodied in the minutes of Council and that a copy hereof be forwarded by the Clerk to the widow of the deceased with the assurance of our sincere sympathy.

French-Kern—That the members of the County Council of the County of Haldimand in session assembled were deeply grieved to learn of the sudden death of Mr. Robert Aldridge of California, who was, during the year 1915, Reeve of Caledonia and a member of this Council.

Universally liked for his genial temperament, keen sense of humor and devotion to duty, he held a strong place in the regard of his fellow councillors and residents of the west end of the County where he was born and raised and where he spent the greater part of his life carrying on a general mercantile business.

Resolved, that this resolution be embodied in the minutes and that a copy thereof be sent to his wife and to his parents with the assurance of our warmest sympathy.

Miller-McDonald—That we do now adjourn to allow the different committees to meet. Carried.

Glenny-Wingfield—That we resume business with Mr. McQuillen in the chair. Carried.

McDonald-Miller—That this Council do now adjourn to allow the different committees to meet. Carried.

### SECOND DAY

Cayuga, Friday, Dec. 11, 1925.

All the members present, except Mr. George L. Miller Reeve of Jarvis the Warden in the chair.

Kriter-Kern—That we resume business with the Warden in the chair. Carried.

Kern-French—That the report of the Committee on Communications be received and read. Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMUNICATIONS

To the Warden and Members of the County Council:

We, your Committee on Communications, have met and beg leave to report as follows:

1. Letter from the Department of Highways, re passing of by-law amending County roads, filed with the Clerk.

No. 2, 3, 4, 5, letters from Department of Highways, re the system of uniform book-keeping and annual statement, to be filed with the Clerk.

6. Department of Highways, re statement of repairs to the Caledonia bridge and contribution of 40%; to be referred to Whole Committee.

7. Department of Highways, re a by-law to govern loads on Caledonia bridge; to be filed with the Clerk.

8. Letter from Dr. Jamieson, re examination of Mrs. Zimmerman; to be filed with the Clerk.

9. Letter from Dunham Co., re inspection of heating system of County buildings; to be referred to the Building Committee.

10. Letter from Mother's Allowance Commission, re grant to beneficiaries; to be filed with the Clerk.

11. Communication from Bain & Co., re issue of County of Haldimand Bonds; to be filed with the Clerk.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. J. SAUNDERS, Chm.

Sherk-Lockie—That the report of Committee on Communications be adopted as read. Carried.

Scott-French—That the report of the Home Committee be received and read. Carried.

REPORT OF HOME COMMITTEE

To the Warden and Members of the County Council:

Gentlemen: Your Committee met at the Home on Tuesday, the 8th inst., and beg leave to report as follows:

Since the last report there has been one death that of Mr. Harvey Burns of Dunnville, and our committee, that of Mr. John Kirk of Hagersville, by Chas. S. Brown, Miss S. Emerson of Caledonia, by E. E. French, Jesse J. Allan of Canboro, by Daniel Glenny, Mr. McDermitt of Dunnville, by T. Caneford, and John Foster of Hagersville was committed to the Home one year ago, but has been away for the summer and has not returned. This makes a total of 35 inmates, 16 females and 22 males, and we are pleased to report that the health of same is excellent.

We wish to take this opportunity of thanking the several lodges and organizations who have from time to time, put on entertainments for the old folks at the Home. This has been greatly appreciated by the inmates and management.

We have examined the accounts of the Home and Children's Aid Society as presented, and would recommend them to the Finance Committee for payment.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOS. CAMELFORD, Chm.

McDonald-Lyons—That the report of the Home Committee be adopted as read. Carried.

Sherk-Lockie—That the report of the Road and Bridge Committee be received and read. Carried.

REPORT OF ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE

To the Warden and Members of the County Council:

Gentlemen: Your Road and Bridge Committee have met and beg leave to report as follows:

1. We recommend the payment of the following accounts:

Walker, Cayuga, team gravel at Gallagher bridge \$22.50

B. E. French, telephone account \$4.20, cartage bills \$2.50 6.70

Fred Avery, Caledonia, installing lights and fittings on Caledonia bridge 19.25

P. Hucker, Caledonia painting signs 12.55

W. F. Grinyer, hauling lumber and iron from river 13.00

Mrs. J. W. Vickers, Caledonia, damage to railing from blasting at bridge 5.00

Received from sale of a piece of lumber \$1.50

We would recommend that the Department of Highways allow Traffic Officer Riley to act at the Caledonia bridge, whenever in that vicinity.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. J. SAUNDERS, Chm.

Lyons-McDonald—That the report of the Road and Bridge Committee be accepted as read. Carried.

Glenny-Wingfield—That a by-law be introduced and read a first time appropriating an additional \$42,000 for construction and \$8,000 for maintenance of County Highways during the year 1925, making a total appropriation of \$173,000 for construction and \$22,000 for maintenance for the year 1925. Carried.

Lockie-Sherk—That the by-law appropriating an additional \$50,000 for construction and maintenance of the County roads during the year 1925, be read a second time. Carried.

McDonald-Cameford—That the by-law, making an additional appropriation of \$50,000 for construction and maintenance of County Highways during the year 1925, be read a third time, signed, sealed and numbered, and entitled a by-law as in the original motion. Carried.

Wingfield-Cameford—That we do now adjourn to allow the different committees to meet. Carried.

Sanders-Lockie—That we resume business with the Warden in the chair. Carried.

McDonald-Cameford—That the sum of Fifty Dollars be paid to the chairman of the Finance Committee for extra services during the year. Carried.

Scott-Kern—That a statement of

receipts and expenditures of the County for the year 1925 be printed in the annual report of the County for the year 1925, and also a statement of the same as last year. Carried.

Glenny-Lyons—That this Council resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole with the Warden in the chair. Carried.

McQuillen-D. Lyons—That we desire to congratulate Mr. C. C. Main and to place on record our appreciation of the splendid work he has done in the County during the past year, 1925. Carried.

McQuillen-Brown—That we, the members of the County Council of the County of Haldimand, wish to convey our kind appreciation of the able work done by our superintendent, Mr. D. W. McBurey, for the year 1925. Carried.

Cameford-Lyons—That the report of Building Committee be received and read. Carried.

REPORT OF BUILDING COMMITTEE

To the Warden and Members of the County Council:

Gentlemen: Your Building Committee has met and beg leave to report as follows:

1. That Baird Bros. account of \$115 for covering steam pipes and sundries be paid.

That a valve be put on the steam main and that the caretaker be instructed to have the same installed. All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. G. CLARK, Chm.

Wingfield-Glenny—That the report of the Building Committee be adopted as read. Carried.

Glenny-Wingfield—That this Council do ask the Provincial Government to assume the Road from the Provincial Highway at Canboro in the County of Haldimand to the Lincoln County line as a Provincial Highway instead of a County road, as it is one of the most important connecting links in Southern Ontario and will be used almost entirely for trade as soon as it is built. Carried.

Wingfield-Glenny—That the report of the Committee of the Whole be received and read. Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

To the Warden and Members of the County Council:

Gentlemen: Your Committee of the Whole has met and beg leave to report as follows:

1. That the report of the Committee on Communications be received and read. Carried.

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County Council:

Gentlemen: We, your Committee of the Whole, beg leave to report as follows:

1. Letter from Department dated Nov. 20, 1925, re Caledonia bridge expenditure; that this be filed with the Clerk.

2. Letter from Department dated Nov. 21, 1925, re uniform system of book-keeping in connection with the Highway; that this be filed with the Clerk.

3. Re application of Mr. McBurey for an allowance of \$500 for extra book-keeping; that no action be taken.

4. Re Bainsford Road in Walpole; Application for assistance on account of this road having been taken over by the County; no action be taken.

The Committee of the Whole then adjourned.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. S. COLTER, Chm.

Cameford-Lyons—That the report of the Committee of the Whole be adopted as read. Carried.

Kern-French—That this Council at this time join heartily in extending to our worthy Warden on account of the able services rendered this Council in the discharge of his duties as its chairman during 1925. We wish him the compliments of the Season and a long, prosperous and happy life. Carried.

Scott-French—That the report of the Good Roads Committee be received and read. Carried.

REPORT OF GOOD ROADS COMMITTEE

To the Warden and Members of the County Council:

Gentlemen: Your Good Roads Committee beg leave to report as follows:

1. The pay lists and accounts up to December 1st, 1925, have been carefully checked over and recommend them for payment.

2. Would recommend that the Treasurer be authorized to pay all outstanding accounts against the County which have been, or will be, contracted up to December 31st, 1925, providing they are ordered paid by the Warden and certified by the Superintendent.

3. A statement was submitted by Superintendent showing the expenditure on the County Highway System during the period January 1st, 1925,

to December 1st, 1925, amounting to \$187,526.29, against income of \$187,526.29.

4. The annual report showing in detail the expenditure on the County Highway System during the period January 1st, 1925, to December 31st, 1925, will be prepared by Superintendent and submitted at the first meeting of the Council of 1926.

5. That the Treasurer be authorized to return to Mr. W. H. Lishman a cheque amounting to \$250 held as a bond re Bridge and Culvert contract.

6. A statement showing the expenditure in each municipality during the period of January 1st, 1925, to Dec. 1st, 1925, is attached to this report.

7. Also a statement showing the expenditure (in each municipality) on roads which were reverted to the municipality in which they are situated find attached herewith.

8. That the Superintendent be authorized (if conditions are favorable) to complete Road No. 7 and Road No. 7 and an necessary maintenance which requires to be done, before Dec. 31st, 1925.

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