

Council for the Township of  
North Gwillimbury 1892

First Meeting 18<sup>th</sup> Jan 26<sup>th</sup> Feb 28<sup>th</sup> May 5<sup>th</sup> Sept 19<sup>th</sup> Nov 15<sup>th</sup> Dec

Reeve	James Anderson	1	1	1	1	1	1
Deputy ..	John Boag	1		1	1	1	1
Councillor,	-----						
	Elemanuel Draper	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Hamilton	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Warriner	1	1	1	1	1	1

The Council Elect for the Township of North Gwillimbury for the Year 1892. met at Belhaven pursuant to Statute on the 18<sup>th</sup> of January and after taking the necessary declarations of Qualification and Office the following members took their seats. viz. James Anderson, Reeve John Boag. Deputy Reeve, and Elemanuel Draper, John Hamilton and John Warriner, Councillors.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved,  
The following communications were laid before the Council from Rev. C. R. Bell concerning road at Roach's Point also asking assistance for Mr Patchell of Jersey.

From Crown Land department re 8<sup>th</sup> Concession

" John Lowry and J. E. Pollock asking to be appointed assessor

" D. H. Mayne for the Office of Collector.

A petition was presented asking that cattle be prohibited from running at large from December the 1<sup>st</sup> until April the 1<sup>st</sup> in each year also a petition asking a grant to assist in making a crossing over the Black river on road allowance between Lots 10-9-16 boun'y, also a petition to have the given road across lots 11-12-13 in the 7<sup>th</sup> boun closed, by the owner purchasing a road-allowance and making it satisfactory to the council on the south side of lot 13

M<sup>r</sup> Drapu moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warren

That the Reeve grant his order to Mrs Smith for the sum of 5<sup>00</sup> she being in need

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

That the Treasury Bond now before the Council be accepted as satisfactory to this Council

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warren moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That the Assessor be and is hereby instructed to take a declaration from each person in accordance with Sec 4 - Cap 274 R.S.Q  
"An Act to impose a Tax on dogs and for the protection of sheep" the declarations to be returned to the Clerk with the Assessment Roll

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

That the Treasurer of this Municipality be and is hereby authorized to pay the following sums and the Reeve grant his order for the same.

Samuel Fairbairn, $\frac{1}{2}$ value of one sheep injured	3.00
David Paulton . . . . 3 sheep killed & 9 wounded	25.00
Perry Gittenden refund of dog tax	1.00
Hart & Co. Stationery	3.79
Henry Bennett, To pay Election Expenses	34.00
Sutton Herald, printing	17.50
Andrew Sedore, Culvert on Town-line East	2.00
Mary Smith, Grant for support	6.00
James Hamilton, Gravel for Driv 23	1.80
and the seal of the corporation be attached to this resolution	

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warren

That the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to have posted in each store and hotel in the Municipality notice of each Council meeting with business to be transacted ten days before the same is to be held

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Draper  
 whereas various complaints have been made, of the G. Y. Railway  
 Co., having placed obstructions on the Black River bridge Lot 20  
 Con 7, so that teams cannot pass under said bridge on the ice  
 with loads of hay or wood, as has been customary in the past

Resolved therefore: That the Clerk notify the G.Y.R. Co.  
 to remove said obstructions from the centre span, so that teams  
 can pass under with loads of Hay or wood

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Draper  
 that the petition of Frank La Chappelle and others interested,  
 requesting aid towards building a bridge on road-allowance  
 crossing the Black River between Lots 10 & 16 Con 7 be granted, and  
 that the sum of \$600 be appropriated for that purpose, and the  
 Reeve grant his order for the same, as soon as 16 piles are  
 driven for a bridge at that point and the caps and strings are  
 placed on the same, and passed by a committee of the whole  
 Council, and that Frank La Chappelle be Commissioner without  
 pay, and the seal of the Corporation be attached to this resolution

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warren  
 that the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to advertise, post  
 notices and notify all persons having possession of any  
 public Highway in the Municipality, that a By law will  
 be read a third time on Feb 26<sup>th</sup> to lease to parties having  
 possession or open the same for public travel as the Council  
 deem expedient. Also the closing of road-allowance through Lots  
 11-12-13 Con 7 to the 7<sup>th</sup> Con line, also the altering of the road-  
 allowance through the S.E. part of Lot 18 Con 7, also the extending  
 of road allowance through the centre of Lot 13 Con 7 to the 7<sup>th</sup> line  
 in accordance with By laws introduced this day and read  
 the first and second time

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Boag  
 that the Clerk be instructed to purchase a new seal and  
 Harrison's municipal manual for the use of the Municipality

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Boag  
that when this council adjourns it stands adjourned to meet  
on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of February carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warren moves second by M<sup>r</sup> Draper

That the following sums be paid in accordance with sec 14 of the  
Ditches and Watercourses Act, and the same be charged to the owners  
of said lands as contained in said section and the seal of the corporation  
be attached John Norris  $\frac{924}{1}$ , E. Norris  $\frac{1386}{1}$ , W<sup>m</sup> Thompson  $\frac{924}{1}$ , W<sup>m</sup> Linstead  $\frac{578}{1}$ , F. Prosser,  
Mrs Smith  $\frac{281}{1}$ , John Cunningham  $\frac{1155}{1}$ , Orin Sedore  $\frac{578}{1}$ , John Mahoney  $\frac{693}{1}$ , J. Peters  $\frac{281}{1}$ ,  
W<sup>m</sup> Drapell  $\frac{16}{1}$   
carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Draper

That the contract of printing of this Municipality be awarded the Sutton  
Herald, for the sum of \$52<sup>00</sup> the same to be for all printing required for  
Municipality, also all notices required in paper no extra account to  
be presented and the seal of the Corporation be attached to this resolution  
carried

The following Bylaws were passed

The third reading of Bylaw to open side-road between Lot 10 & 11 Con 7

A Bylaw appointing M<sup>r</sup> Hanning P. L. S. Engineer in place of Mr Stokes deceased

" " " John Marritt, Jas. Davidson & Thomas Scott together  
with the Reeve and Clerk as Local Board of Health  
E. Prosser Treasurer

" " " Jos. Davidson & John Sonnby Auditors, J. E. Pollock, Assessor  
& D. H. Spinaus Collector

Also a Bylaw appointing a valuator in each school section to value  
any sheep killed by dogs No 1, John Hirst, No 2, Isaac Marritt, No 3  
W<sup>m</sup> Stonehouse, No 4, Stephen Winch, No 5, George Hamilton, No 6  
R. J. Sheppard, No 7, Joel Thompson

And a Bylaw to prevent cattle running at large from Dec 1<sup>st</sup> until  
April 1<sup>st</sup> in each year

James Anderson  
Reeve

January 18<sup>th</sup>, 1892

Henry Bennett  
Clark

Bethaven February 26<sup>th</sup>

A regular meeting of the council was held at Bethaven on above date, members all present except M<sup>r</sup> Boyer.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved; The Auditor's report, a communication from the treasurer concerning lands sold by Government; a communication from Drivon & MacKlem on behalf of M<sup>r</sup> Boyer; objecting to the leasing of side-road at Roach's Point; also a petition to have said road opened were laid before the council. M<sup>r</sup> Graham appeared before the council objecting to the opening of side-road between lots 20 & 21

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved seconded by M<sup>r</sup> Warner

that the sum of \$80<sup>00</sup> be granted to finish the Black-river bridge between lots 15 & 16 con't in accordance with plans submitted to the council this day at said bridge, and the said sum only to be paid on the council passing the same. A detailed account to be kept by M<sup>r</sup> Frank La Chappelle which is to be reported to this council. and the seal of the corporation be attached to the same

CARRIED

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved seconded by M<sup>r</sup> Draper

that the bill of Hart & Co amounting to \$14<sup>27</sup> be paid, and the seal of the corporation be attached hereto

CARRIED

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved seconded by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

that the following committee (Reeve, Hamilton and Warner) be and the same are hereby empowered to negotiate with R. J. Riddle, the owner of part of lot 13 con'y, through which a road is to be opened, as to the price to be paid for such lands. and if not agreed upon by the parties concerned they shall have power to instruct the Arbitrator appointed to proceed in accordance with the Act made and provided and the seal of the corporation be attached to this resolution

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved seconded by M<sup>r</sup> Warner

that M<sup>r</sup> Draper be empowered to procure cedar posts and railings to place on 5<sup>th</sup> con opposite lots 9 & 10 to protect the wash-out of about 20 rods, also a railing on bridge on side-road between 10 and 11

con'5

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Warren  
 That the Clerk be instructed to notify Elisha Mann to remove  
 his fence off road-allowance between Lots 10 and 11 bou 3, and  
 that John Hirst be empowered to remove the same should the  
 fence be not moved within ten days from date  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
 That the Clerk be and is hereby authorized to notify all persons  
 interested that a By-law will be read a third time at the  
 next meeting of the Council to open the 8<sup>th</sup> boulevard in accordance  
 with Yarnold Survey, approved and located by the Local Government  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warren moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
 That the Auditors report and abstract Statement, be accepted as  
 satisfactory and the same be and is hereby finally Audited,  
 and the Clerk have 100 copies of the same printed  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Warren  
 That the Reeve grant his order to Washington Winch for 2<sup>00</sup>  
 being day-Tax wrongly assessed  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
 That the Reeve instruct the Township Surveyor to Survey the  
 roads ordered to be opened by the Council, also to survey the  
 Water-Lots in front of Lots 17 & 18, Lake bou, along road-allowance  
 to stop the taking of sand on the same  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Draper  
 That the timber on side-road between Lots 20 & 21 bou 2 in line  
 with side-road now open to the East of the same, be sold by  
 tender, the same to be opened at 2 P.M. on Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup>,  
 at Belhaven: The conditions on which the same shall be sold  
 are as follows: All the timber to be taken off the centre 16 feet  
 during March and April 1892 and the balance in the winter  
 of 1893. The timber on the centre 16 feet to be cut close to the ground  
 the following Committee to open tenders, John Warren  
 E. Draper and the Clerk  
Carried

The following Bylaws were passed

A Bylaw to amend Bylaw No 446, appointing Thomas B. Speight Engineer in place of Mr. Hamming,  
 also a Bylaw to alter the course of road across Lot 18 bouy  
 " " to close road-allowance through Lots 11-12-13 bouy  
 " " to open road - through Lot 13 to the 7<sup>th</sup> line  
 " " to open side-road between Lots 15 & 16 bouy 7 to river;  
 and 7<sup>th</sup> line from Lot 19 north to Base-line; also side-road  
 between Lots 20 and 21 bouy 7 west of the Newmarket road  
 to the 7<sup>th</sup> line, also side-road between Lots 20 & 21 bouy 6  
 also side-road between Lots 20 & 21 bouy 2 west of the now  
 travelled road.

Also a Bylaw appointing Overseers of Highway & Pound Reptor & Collector

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved sec'd M<sup>r</sup> Warner  
 that this Council do now adjourn to meet on Saturday  
 May 28<sup>th</sup> as bout of Revision & other business

*Carried*

JAMES ANDERSON  
*Received*

Bethany April 25<sup>th</sup> 1892

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A special meeting of the Council was held on above date,  
members all present, minutes of previous meeting read & approved.  
Moved by Mr. Boag seconded by Mr. Warren.

That whereas the owners of Lots 20-21-22-23 Con 6, have agreed and  
signed a memorandum to give 89 days labor on the road-allowance  
passing said lots, on the conditions that the Council locate  
the 7<sup>th</sup> Con line, as laid out and surveyed by T. B. Speight P.L.S.  
And whereas the owners of the lots in the 7<sup>th</sup> Con have signed  
agreement to accept said line.

Resolved therefore; that the said offer be accepted, and said line  
located in accordance with said survey Carried.

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved seconded by Mr. Draper  
that the \$9 to be expended on the 7<sup>th</sup> Con line opposite Lots 20-21  
22-23 be laid out by W<sup>m</sup> Morrison, as follows:  
The said road to be ploughed 30 feet in the centre and harrowed  
down to make a good winter road, the balance of the work  
to be used in levelling and ditching on the lowest ground  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warren moved seconded by Mr. Draper  
that as soon as the Corporation has the right to protect the  
Lake-Shore Road opposite Lots 16 & 17 Lake Con, by the forbidding  
of the taking of sand from the shore: The Clerk shall have  
printed notices distributed, and also inserted in the Sutton  
Herald during the summer-months, notifying the public; that  
those taking sand from the water-lots procured from the Government  
opposite said lots, will be prosecuted, and that the pathmaster  
of that road-division be requested to notify the Clerk of any  
offence.

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved seconded by Mr. Warren Carried  
that the 8<sup>th</sup> Con line north of the Black River and east of Lot 20  
to the side-road between Lots 20 & 21 Con 7 be deeded to John R.  
Bouchier for the land abandoned by him on the 7<sup>th</sup> Con line  
running past Lot 23 Con 7. And the Clerk advertise and give  
notice in accordance with the act, that a By-law will be  
introduced at a meeting of the Council to be held on the  
5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1892, to that effect

Carried

25<sup>th</sup> April continued

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M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warner

That this Council grant the sum of \$100<sup>00</sup> to improve the Town-line South providing East Gwillimbury grant a like amount, and that John Boag & John Hamilton be commissioners on behalf of this Township

Carried

Whereas the Council have been informed that the Dominion Government are taking into their consideration the advisability of keeping the waters of Lake Simcoe at a uniform level;

Resolved therefore that the Council press on the Government the great necessity of having this vexed question settled; by the Government assuming the work of keeping the Lake Simcoe waters at uniform level, thereby saving the farming community bordering on the lake, the loss of their crops and washing away of their lands.

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

That the whole Council be appointed a road and bridge Committee for the Year, with power to grant such sums as they think necessary to repair roads; such expenditure to be reported to the Council by said Committee and the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warner

That the sum of \$80<sup>00</sup> be granted Frank LaChappell in full for building bridge over Black River between Lots 15 & 16 Cony and the seal of the Corporation be attached to this resolution

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warner moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Draper

That the sum of fifty Dollars be paid to P. Spight for surveying the side-road between Lots 20 and 21 - bou 6 & 7 and bou 3 west of Roach's Point-road. The 7<sup>th</sup> bou opposite lots 20, 21, 22, 23 and water-lots in front of Lot 16, 17 Lake Cony, and the sum grant his order for the same, and the seal of the Corporation be attached to this resolution

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warner moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag  
 That in accordance with the Bylaw passed at the last meeting of the Council, held on Feb 26<sup>th</sup>. for the purpose of opening road-allowances as described in said Bylaw; the Reeve be and is hereby empowered to carry into effect the intention of said Bylaw, and the seal of the Corporation be attached to this resolution carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warner moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

That Alex Barrow be paid the sum of 150 for filling washout on 7<sup>th</sup> Con and the seal of the corporation be attached hereto carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That William Moulds be authorized to do one-third of the Statute-labor in his Division on side-road between Lots 5 & 6. Con 6 carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warner moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That the following Statute-labor be placed on side-road between Lots 20 & 21 Con 6, all the labor of Charles Galbraith and John Munro carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warner moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That the following roads be placed in Road-Divisions named;

Side-road between Lots 20 & 21 west of Roach's Point road in Div 43	
" 10911 Con 3 in division	2
7 <sup>th</sup> Con line opposite Lots 22 & 23	10
" 20921 " "	30
Side-road between Lots 20 & 21 Con 6	29
" " " 7 west of Newmarket road in 31	

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warner moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Draper

That the Statute-labor assessed against any lot shall be performed in the Division in which such lot is situated carried

James Anderson  
Reeve

Belhaven May 28<sup>th</sup> 1892

The Council met as Court of Revision at Belhaven on atno date,  
members all present, and subscribed to the 5<sup>th</sup> of Office,

The Assessment Roll for 1892 was laid before the Court and  
appeals against the same

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Draper  
that the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to make the  
changes as decided by this Court of Revision, and the assessment  
Roll be altered in accordance with the same and the Seal  
of the Corporation be attached to this resolution Signed

That the assessment of W<sup>m</sup> Macdonald be reduced 400<sup>00</sup>  
 - - - - - Silas Scamett - - - 400<sup>00</sup>  
 J. - - - - - John Prosser - - - 200<sup>00</sup>  
 - - - - - Richard Sheppard - - - 300<sup>00</sup>  
 Jas. Geo. Galbraith's assessment - - - 900<sup>00</sup>  
 That the Assessment of W<sup>m</sup> Ardill & Horace Horner be sustained,  
 -- Thomas Wood be assessed for Lot 5 Con 8 in place of Frank Morton  
 -- John Battle - - - Tenant 17-240 - - D. G. Wilson  
 -- James Battle - - - Dec - - 15 - 5  
 -- W<sup>m</sup> Crowder - - - " - - 16 - 4  
 -- Frank & John Leowell be changed from Owners to Tenants -  
 -- W<sup>m</sup>, Duke & Thomas Horner be changed from Sons to Owners  
 -- Edwin Phillips be assessed Dec of Lot 17 Con Lake  
 -- Charles Rose - - - - - 17 - - 6  
 -- John Merryweather - - - - - 5 - - 3  
 -- John Martin - - - - - 22 - - 3  
 -- James Stiles - - joint-owner with George Stiles  
 -- John McMaster - - Dec Lot 21 Con 7 to March  
 -- Darius Morton, R. D. Morton & John Sowerby's Assessment be added  
 -- Joseph Glover be assessed for Lot 4 Con 6 in place of Henry Glover  
 -- George Munro - - - - - 14 - - 6 - - Edward Meachan  
 -- One dog be struck off the assessment of each of the following persons  
 John Holstock, Orin Crittenden, Henry Vanderburg, Lewis Fontaine, Dr. Wesley  
 Peter Perrault, Elihu Edwards and W<sup>m</sup> Mould

The Court then adjourned

Belhaven May 28<sup>th</sup> 1892

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A regular meeting of the Council was also held on above date  
members all present, minutes of last meeting <sup>approved</sup> read and,  
The tenders for contracts of Hastings Hill and the Marsh at Roach's Point  
were laid before the Council, also a petition against selling part of the  
8<sup>th</sup> boulevard to M<sup>r</sup> Bourchier, and a petition to not open side-road between lots  
20 and 21 boulevard, also a communication from S. J. Woodcock notifying  
the Council to have the fence removed off side-road between lots 20 & 21  
boulevard 2 & 3, and a bill of 5<sup>00</sup> from Jas Sharpe Jr. damage to rig through  
defective culvert on Lake Shore road. The residents of the 7<sup>th</sup> boulevard  
passed through their solicitor, present objected to the Bylaw to open the 8<sup>th</sup> boulevard being  
the road & bridge Committee reported that they had examined the  
Road at Roach's Point and Hastings Hill on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April and  
decided to advertise for the tenders presented to the Council today.

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That the sum of nine dollars be paid Frank LaChapelle for culvert  
on 7<sup>th</sup> boulevard, Newmarket road, and the seal of the Corporation be attached  
thereto, carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warren

That the Bylaw to establish the 8<sup>th</sup> boulevard be not read this day  
but laid over until Sept 5<sup>th</sup>, on conditions those interested in  
the 8<sup>th</sup> boulevard, pay to the Treasurer by the first day of August 1892,  
the sum of \$40<sup>00</sup> <sup>such</sup> legal advice as the Council may decide  
carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warren

That the resolution passed at the last meeting relating to  
statute-labor be rescinded, and the seal of the Corporation be  
attached thereto, carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warren

That the following changes be made in Officers of Highways  
and the seal of the Corporation be attached thereto

James Peters in place of D. L. Wilson resigned

Hamilton Johnston -- -- Wm. G. Barker -- --

Henry J. Winch - - - - Henry Winch - - -

Carried

May 28<sup>th</sup> continued

M<sup>r</sup> Warrius moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Draper  
that the following persons perform their labor in the following  
Divisions,

Gulford Mann in Div 4, David Hamilton in Div 7, Wm Smith  
in John Holstoe's division, E. Nelson, John Norrie & Wm Mackie  
on Town-line-South under the supervision of E. Nelson, that Neil  
Morton be allowed to expend his statutory-labor in building  
Side-walk in front of Post-Office, That all the labor from  
John Everaugham to the Methodist Church and from The  
Hotel to John Brooks be expended in graveling Side-walk  
under the supervision of Edward Rose      carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
that the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to notify Robert  
McLeodick and Jesse Morton to remove their fences off Side-road  
between Lots 20 & 21 lots 2 and 2 with the exception of the stone fence  
carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warrius moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
that five dollars additional be granted the Assessor for extra  
work re dog-declarations, and the seal of the corporation be attached  
to this resolution      carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Warrius  
that the Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to pay to the parties  
who paid the same the money levied on the residents of the 7<sup>th</sup>  
and 8<sup>th</sup> Con to pay for the survey of the 8<sup>th</sup> Con line in the year 1881,  
And the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto      carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Draper  
 That the Lender of Wayman Bros be accepted to improve the  
 Hastings Hill for the sum of \$12<sup>00</sup>, and the Lender of Frank  
 LaChapelle for building the road by <sup>the</sup> Edgar property at Roach's Point  
 for the sum of \$47<sup>65</sup>, and the Reeve grant his order for the same  
 as soon as passed by the road & Bridge Committee, and the  
 Seal of the Corporation be attached hereto carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
 That this Council will grant the sum of \$65<sup>00</sup> on Lake-Shore  
 road on condition the sum of \$75<sup>00</sup> is subscribed by the public  
 to be laid out as the Council may decide carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
 That the Statute-labor for the Year 1892 be  
 reduced one-third as per Statuary Scale, and the  
 Seal of the Corporation be attached hereto carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
 That this Council do now adjourn to  
 meet again on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September. carried

May 28<sup>th</sup> 1892

Henry Bennett

James A. Anderson  
Reeve

Bethune September 5<sup>th</sup>, 1892

A regular meeting of the Council was held at Bethune on above date, members all present, minutes of previous meeting read & approved. A communication from Judge Morgan re 8<sup>th</sup> Con line, also from E. Graham objecting to the 7<sup>th</sup> Con as surveyed by T. B. Speight; also from David Graham objecting to having the side-road between Lots 8 20 & 21 Con 7 opened, and a petition of Jones Sedore & 28 others to have said road opened were laid before the Council; together with a statement from the Co. Clerk of amounts to be raised for Co. purposes, the applications for School moneys and till hereinafter dealt with.

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag  
that the sum of \$10<sup>00</sup> be further granted on the Town-line south opposite Lot 1 Con 4, on condition that East Gwillimbury grant a like amount, and place any equal amount of Statute-labor or its equal in money, to the satisfaction of John Boag, and the seal of the corporation be attached to this resolution  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warner moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag  
that E. Draper examine and have rebuilt the bridge on Lake-shore opposite Lot 15 and report to this Council at next meeting  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Draper  
that John Warner repair the following roads and culvert the culvert at Roach's Point known as the Connell culvert,  
- Side-road between Lots 15 and 16 Con 2 and 3 from school house to the lake, also the 4<sup>th</sup> Con opposite Lots 5, 18 & 19  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Warner  
that the sum of \$7<sup>81</sup> be granted in addition to the amount voted on April 25<sup>th</sup>, on the Townline south being an over expenditure  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Warner  
 That Messrs Hamilton and Boag examine the hill on 7<sup>th</sup> line, Lot 4  
 and repair the same as they may deem necessary Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
 That W<sup>m</sup> Stonehouse be instructed to build a culvert on the  
 base-line opposite the 7<sup>th</sup> line, as soon as the 7<sup>th</sup> is graded Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Warner  
 That Messrs Draper and Hamilton be a committee to arrange  
 to carry off the water across Lot 15 line 7, which is reported to  
 this Council as backed up on the Public Highway, said committee  
 to report at the next meeting Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
 That the following amounts be paid, and the seal of the Corporation  
 be attached to this resolution

Neil Morton, goods for Robinson by order of the Board of Health	8.35
Taylor Bros, Coffin for Mrs Smith's child	10.00
Joel Thompson, repairs to bridge over Black River	3.00
A. Burrow, building culvert railing, Nails &c	16.25
A. York, Limbs for culvert on 7 <sup>th</sup> line	5.00
Barnes, Favis, - - - - Side-road between 15 and 16	3.00
Dr Wesley, On account of attendance on Robinson family	15.00
John B. Sprague, work done on side-road between lots 20 & 21	14.75
James Pollock, right of way across farm	5.00
Toronto World advertising notice of roads to be opened	28.00

Carried

A Bylaw was passed laying rates for the Year, also to open  
 the roads as advertised and a Bylaw to convey to John R.  
 Bourne that portion of the 8<sup>th</sup> line running across lot 20.

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That this Council do now adjourn until the 19<sup>th</sup> day of  
 November next

September 5<sup>th</sup>, 1892

Henry Bennett  
Clerk

I ames Anderson  
Reeve

November 19<sup>th</sup>, 1892

A regular meeting of the Council was held at Belhaven on above date, Members all present, Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

A communication from Thos Moxing ton concerning assessment, from James Taylor, claiming damage for not having a road to his property, from Judge Morgan re 8<sup>th</sup> Con and the bills herinafter dealt with were laid before the Council

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Warner

That whereas the Township of North Gwillimbury and Mr D Graham & Sons owners of the west half of Lot 20 Con 7, agree to submit the dispute between this municipality and themselves as to the right of this municipality to open the road-allowance between Lots 20 and 21 Con 7 from the 4<sup>th</sup> Con line to the Keweenaw road running east, this Council agree and bind themselves to submit said dispute to Judge Macdougal of the City of Toronto on Thursday Nov 24<sup>th</sup> 1892, at 2 P.M., and bind themselves to agree to the decision of said Judge, each party to pay  $\frac{1}{2}$  the costs not to exceed 20<sup>00</sup> in all, and the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Warner

That this Council leave the dispute of side-road between between Lots 20 and 21 Con 7 to Messrs Anderson & Boag to settle as best they can in the interest of the Township and to appear before Judge Macdougal on Thursday Nov 24<sup>th</sup> at 2 P.M. to act in the interest of this Municipality and the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved secd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

That the Taxes charged against Thomas Wood for Lot 0 Con 8 be reduced one-half, said Lot having been divided and assessment not reduced by Assessor

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved and by M<sup>r</sup> Draper  
That the sum of 10<sup>00</sup> Ten dollars be paid James Taylor in lieu  
of a road, said sum to be accepted in full of claim from  
municipality for damage, and the seal of the corporation be attached thereto  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
That M<sup>r</sup> Warner examine the Lake-Shore road along Lots  
4 and 5 and have any necessary culverts built, and report  
to this Council at next meeting  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Brag moved seed by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton  
That M<sup>r</sup> Warren examine the water-course claimed to  
have been stopped by Levi Miller on Lot 21 Con 2, and report  
to this council at next meeting, also as to earth removed  
from side-road between Lots 20 & 21 west of Roach's Point road  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved seed by M<sup>r</sup> Warner  
That the following bills be paid, and the seal of the corporation be attached  
hence, D. Van Norman, work on 4<sup>th</sup> Con. 15<sup>50</sup>. D. W. McDonald  
Lumber for roads 14<sup>83</sup>, John Cameron building bridge on Lake-shore 12<sup>00</sup>.  
Wm Stevenson, cutting down hill on 7<sup>th</sup> Con 25<sup>00</sup>. John Cameron  
covering bridge on Lake-shore 2<sup>00</sup>. James Taylor, in lieu of  
road on the 8<sup>th</sup> Con 10<sup>00</sup>. A. Dafoe coffin for Robinson-Child  
1<sup>50</sup>. Geo Pollock, work on road Div 18. 5<sup>50</sup>. John Gilroy, cedar  
for Div 6, 4<sup>00</sup>. Walker Ryer cedar for Div 1, 15<sup>00</sup>. Wm Purdy cedar  
for Div 5 1<sup>00</sup>. Geo Lomlinson, cedar for Div 26, 2<sup>75</sup>.  
Andy Moulds use of scraper on Yorwline 5<sup>00</sup>  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Warren

That a meeting of this Council be held at Baldwin, on Monday Nov 28<sup>th</sup> at 9. a.m. for the purpose of examining the 8<sup>th</sup> Con and passing a Bylaw to locate the same, and other business the members of this council to get no remuneration for the same, That the Clerk post notices and advertise the same carried

November 19<sup>th</sup> 1892

Henry Bennett

James Anderson  
Reeve.

A regular meeting of the Council was held at Baldwin on Monday November 28<sup>th</sup> 1892. Members all present, Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

That this council petition the Commissioners of Crown Lands, asking remuneration for the loss of land sustained by the owners of lots 12.13.14.15.16 and 4 rods of 17 con 8, through an error of the placing of the stone monuments, on the south boundary of this Township, which have been altered since the municipality has expended money and Statute labor on what was considered the true line between the monuments now moved, and which gives the ~~title~~ of said road to the municipality under the provisions of Sec 349 of the Consolidated Municipal Act, or 8<sup>th</sup> Chap 42 carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That the report of John Warner re culverts on Lake shore and road matters at Roachs Point be adopted and approved carried

----- Report ----- Gentlemen, I examined the Lake-Shore road opposite lot 4 and instructed Samuel Trivett to build two culverts on the same and to also work one day in cutting brush and roots off the road.

I also examined the water-course at Roachs Point and don't find any action necessary on the part of the Township, in the matter, as to dirt being removed the same was not taken out exactly as it should be but a little labor would make the same alright in the interest of the Township John Warner

M<sup>r</sup> Boag moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

That John Cornell, he and is hereby authorized to take dirt west of where he left off on side-road between Lots 20 and 21 Con 2, the same to be taken so that the water will run west, the ditch not to be over 6 feet wide, and deep enough to take water off carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warren moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Draper

That James Taylor be given the contract for 20<sup>00</sup> to cut and clear and 4 rods wide from Lot 17 to the line of his land on Lot 18 Con 8 the same to be left fit for grading carried

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That the Clerk notify the owners of Lots 21, 22, 23 Con 6, that it will be necessary for them to clear the road-allowance between the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Con, as agreed, for a winter-road, said work to be done by Dec 15<sup>th</sup>; should the same not be done the Council will receive the By-law passed in that direction carried

M<sup>r</sup> Draper moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton

That the sum of 20<sup>00</sup> be granted Frank La Chapell to fill in the west end of the Black River Bridge between Lots 15 and 16 Con 7 and the seal of the Corporation be attached to this resolution carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warren moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That the following persons be paid one-half value of sheep killed by dogs and the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto.

Hamilton Johnston 4<sup>00</sup>, John Mainell 4<sup>00</sup>, John Hamilton 5<sup>00</sup>, E. Draper 3<sup>00</sup> carried

A By-law to establish the 8<sup>th</sup> Con line was passed also a By-law to amend By-law No 461

M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton moved sec'd by M<sup>r</sup> Boag

That this council do now adjourn to meet on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December at Belhaven carried

James Anderson  
Reeve

Belhaven December 15<sup>th</sup> 1892

The council met pursuant to Statute at Belhaven on above date, members all present, Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Moved by Mr Draper, seconded by Mr Hamilton

That the sum of fifteen dollars be paid George Pollock towards the loss of a horse, caused by a washout on side road between Lots 10 and 11 Con 3, in full of all claims against the Corporation, and the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto  
Carried

Moved by Mr Boag, seconded by Mr Warner

That the following sums be refunded, the same having been collected through an error in Assessment, and the Seal of the Corporation be attached hereto, Jas Nelson 2<sup>50</sup>, Wm McNeil 2<sup>20</sup>, G. Draper <sup>90</sup>, Hugh Sibbald <sup>100</sup>, Moses Eamer 5<sup>75</sup>  
Carried

Mr Draper moved seconded by Mr Hamilton

That the Treasurer of this Municipality be and is hereby instructed and required, upon receiving orders from the Trustee, to pay the following amounts, and the seal of the corporation be attached hereto

School Section No-one - 493.<sup>00</sup>

" " 2 - 376<sup>07</sup>

" " 3 - 450<sup>76</sup>

" " 4 - 403<sup>16</sup>

" " 4 - 472<sup>00</sup> To redeem debenture

" " 5 - 293<sup>12</sup>

" " 6 - 316<sup>42</sup>

" " 7 - 316<sup>60</sup>

Brownhill 107<sup>25</sup>

Mr Hamilton moved seconded by Mr Draper

Carried

That the time of the Collector be extended until the first day of January 1893, and the seal of the corporation be attached hereto  
Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Warren moved seed by M<sup>r</sup> Bay  
that the following amounts be paid, and the seal of  
the Corporation be attached to the same.

David Sprague, extra for collecting	5 <sup>00</sup>
Joel Sedore, 3 days work lowering ditch between Lot 15 & 16 Cou 7 -	3 <sup>00</sup>
Samuel Trivett, building culverts and cutting brush on Lake-Store road	8 <sup>00</sup>
George Pollock, work done on side-road between Lot 10 & 11 Cou 3	7 <sup>00</sup>
E. Nelson, work done on Town-line South	1 <sup>50</sup>
Wm Stonehouse, work done on base-line road	2 <sup>50</sup>
Henry Bennett, Postage and express charges from Dec 9 to date	5 <sup>95</sup>
Jas Newbern, cedar and repairing bridge Cou 3	2 <sup>75</sup>
James Morton, ditching centre of Lot 13 Cou 7	2 <sup>00</sup>
Joseph Pollock, one half value of one sheep killed	4 <sup>00</sup>
James Hamilton, "	3 <sup>00</sup>
Robert Hamilton, "	2 <sup>50</sup>
Thomas Glover, " Three "	7 <sup>50</sup>
Richard Boyd work done on road at Roach's Point	5 <sup>00</sup>
George Hamilton, reporting on sheep killed	3 <sup>00</sup>
George Moulds, repairing Townline South	3 <sup>00</sup>

### Cashed

The Treasurer submitted his statement of expenditures which was passed by the council

A By-law was passed for payment of Township Officers, also a By-law fixing the place of Nomination at Belknap, and Election if required to be held at the following places

Div No 1 Temperance Hall, Reswick, Charles Willoughby, D.R.C.	
" 2 Sturidges " , Belknap, Jesse Cornell	"
" 3 School-House Hwy ; Wm Barrows	"

Adopted

Joseph W. Abidin  
- Recy