

## Members of Council for the Year 1901

		Jan 14	Mar 4 <sup>th</sup>	May 27 <sup>th</sup>	Aug 26 <sup>th</sup>	Nov 11 <sup>th</sup>	Dec 6 <sup>th</sup>
John Hamilton.	Reeve.	/	/	/	/	/	/
William Barker.	Councillor	/	/	/	/	/	/
Isaac Fenton.	"	/	/	/	/	/	/
Ira Morton.	"	/	/	/	/	/	/
Jones Sedore.	"	/	/	/	/	/	/

The Council elect for the Year 1901, met at Belknap Jan 14<sup>th</sup> and subscribed to the necessary declarations of Qualification and Office. John Hamilton, Reeve. W<sup>m</sup> Barker, Isaac Fenton, Ira Morton and Jones Sedore. Councillors.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed, several applications for the offices of Treasurer, collector and assessor were laid before the Council, also applications from Ira & Express Offices for Township printing, and from Hospital for Sick children asking donation.

M<sup>r</sup> Fenton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Sedore

That J. D. McKay receive the printing for the Year 1901, for 29<sup>70</sup>.

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Barker moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Fenton

That the ex Treasurer M<sup>r</sup> Prosser, be and is hereby authorized and required upon the completion of the duties of the Auditors, to hand over all Books, papers and cash in his hands to the present Treasurer Joseph D. Davidson who will give proper receipt for the same, and the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Fenton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Sedore

That the following amounts be paid, W. Leesonwell use of Hall for nomination \$4<sup>00</sup>, W<sup>m</sup> Marrett, Deputy Returning Officer Div 1, \$10<sup>00</sup>, Sidney Bennett, Div 2, \$10<sup>00</sup>, W<sup>m</sup> Burrows Div 3, \$10<sup>00</sup>. Hospital for sick children \$5<sup>00</sup>, Hart & Riddell, Election stationery \$5<sup>80</sup>. Estate of Joshua Wiloughby one days meeting in Council 1900, \$2<sup>00</sup>

Carried

M<sup>r</sup> Morton moved second by M<sup>r</sup> Barker

That the whole Council constitute the road & bridge committee, for 1901, with power to make such expenditures as they deem necessary

Carried

A Bylaw was passed appointing John B. Sprague and John Hamilton Jr auditor, Charles Willoughby, assessor, D. H. Sprague, collector, Joseph W. Davidow, treasurer and Jesse Coumell member of The Board of Health.

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Sedore

That this Council do now adjourn to meet March the 4<sup>th</sup> 1901

Carried

Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 1901

Henry Bennett  
clerk

~~at the Court of Sessions and the Court~~

John Hamilton  
Recd

Belhaven March 4<sup>th</sup> 1901

A regular meeting of Council was held on above date, members all present, minutes of previous meeting read & confirmed

The auditor's report of Township accounts, and bills hereinafter dealt with, were laid before the Council. also a petition to Ontario Government, asking that no legislation be enacted to lessen the control of Township Councils over our Highways

Mr Fulton moved second by Mr Sedore

That the following amounts be paid

R. Strutidge. 1/2 Share of Court House in Sutton	\$ 7.00
Municipal. World. Assessment & Collectors rolls	6.50
Peter Perrault. half value of sheep killed by dogs	5.00
Dr Greenwood, attendance and medicine for Roy Thompson	10.00
	Carried

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Barker

That the Reeve and clerk be instructed to sign the petition asking that no law be enacted that will lessen the powers of Township Councils as to control of Highways

Carried

Mr Fulton moved second by Mr Sedore

That the Auditor's report of Township accounts be accepted as satisfactory, and the clerk be instructed to have 100 copies printed of the same for distribution

Carried

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Sedore

That the clerk be authorized to subscribe for seven copies of the Municipal World, for Township officers use

Carried

Mr Fulton moved second by Mr Barker

That the clerk give Wellington Morton, credit for four days road-work done in Division No 22.

Carried

A Bylaw was passed appointing Overseers of Highways, Pound-Keepers and Fence Viewers, also a Bylaw to change the <sup>Railway</sup> crossing at Lot 10 in the 8<sup>th</sup> con.

Mr Barker moved second by Mr Morton

That this Council do now adjourn to meet again on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May, as court of Revision and other business

Carried

Belhaven Mar 4<sup>th</sup> 1901

Henry Bennett clerk

John Hamilton

Reeve

Bellevue May 27<sup>th</sup> 1901

The Council met as Court of Revision on above date,  
Members all present, and subscribed to the necessary Oath.

John Hamilton. Rec. Chairman

The Assessment Roll was laid before the Court,  
Mr Barker moved second by Mr Fenton

That the Assessment Roll do now pass as finally revised  
Carried

The Court then adjourned and general business was  
taken up by the Council.

Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Barker

That Samuel Cuthbertson be and is hereby instructed  
to look after the Gravel pit near David Crahan, and  
Keep the road in a passable condition  
Carried

Mr Barker moved second by Mr Fenton

That the Statute-labor as assessed upon the Roll be  
reduced one-third and the seal of the Corporation be attached  
hereto

Carried

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Sedore

That road-Division 41 be extended west to the Church,  
That Thomas Huddle be appointed overseer in place of  
William Stonehouse, William Purdy appointed Pound-keeper  
in place of Levi Miller, and the seal of the Corporation be  
attached hereto.

Carried

Mr Barker moved second by Mr Fenton

That the following changes be made in road-work  
That Thomas Latis and Frank La Chapelle do their work  
in Val Bryderman's Div. Friend Morton and Jesse Morton  
3 days each in Div 17. Wayman Prosser, 6 days in  
Div 39. John McNeil, on Tolon-line south, John Marritt  
3 days in Div 39.

Carried

May 27<sup>th</sup> meeting continued

Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Sedore  
That the Bonds of the Treasurer as presented  
to the Council be accepted as satisfactory  
Carried

Mr. Fenton moved second by Mr. Barker  
That the following bills be paid

William Smith, provisions for Thompsons furnished during the case of Diphtheria	2.50
Charles Willoughby, equalizing Union School Section postage and stationery	3.75
David Draper, repairing Culvert and bridge	3.00
Arthur Cryderman, filling washout on side-road between Lots 10 and 11 Con 6	2.00
Alfred Morton, building Culvert-Lots 20 + 21 Con 3	5.00
Harry Smallwood, building Culvert near Railway	1.50
" " filling holes in Thompson bridge	1.50
" " Use of scraper one-day	.25
J. M. Gilpin, provisions for Thompson family during the case of Diphtheria	3.85

Carried

Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Sedore  
That the Clerk be instructed to notify  
the County-Treas, to strike off the Non-resident  
Roll the taxes charged against J. H. Sheppard  
and John Coumell, and the seal of the  
Corporation be attached hereto  
Carried

Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Sedore  
That the Reeve, Hamilton, and J. D. Davidson, Treas.  
be and are hereby appointed to represent this  
Council at the meeting held in the Court House  
Toronto, on June 4<sup>th</sup> to discuss the good road  
question  
Carried

Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Sedore  
That this Council do now adjourn to meet  
again on Monday August the 26<sup>th</sup>  
Carried

May 27<sup>th</sup> 1901

Henry Bennett  
Clerk

John Hamilton  
Reeve

Belhaven August 26<sup>th</sup> 1901

A regular meeting of the council was held at Belhaven on above date, members all present, minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

The statement from Leo Clerk of amounts required for county purposes; applications for school moneys, and several claims for damage to sheep by dogs were presented, also a communication from Robert McBordick regarding ditch at Roachs Point.

Mr Fenton moved seconded by Mr Barker

that the following amounts be paid,

Walter Newbern,	half value of sheep killed by dogs	\$5.00
Edward Martin,	" "	6.00
Simpson Horner	" "	6.50
Henry Smallwood,	according to Magistrate's decision in an action for damage to sheep by dogs - re <u>Cryderman</u> and <u>Ausman</u> , distress having been returned <u>Nulla Bona</u>	29.70
Robert Hamilton,	cedar for culverts Div 40.	5.50
Henry Glover,	" "	1.50
Wm Rose,	Care of manure burying ground	2.00
John Smith,	half cost of building culvert on Lowline South	2.50
Sutton Herald,	advertising Court of Revision	.75
John Hamilton,	expenses to Toronto attending good roads convention	5.00
J. D Davidson,	" " "	5.00

Carried

Mr Barker moved second by Mr Sedore

that our ditch be struck off the assessment of John Batt, application having been made previous to the Court of Revision

Carried

A Bylaw was passed to lay the rates for the year, the rate being  $4\frac{3}{4}$  mills on the \$ for all purposes except Trustee Rates.

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Sedore

that this council do now adjourn to meet again on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November

Carried

August 26<sup>th</sup> 1901 } John Hamilton  
 Henry Smith }  
 clerk } Reve

Belhaven November 11<sup>th</sup> 1901

A regular meeting of the Council was held at Belhaven on above date, members all present, minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. The ~~tax~~ collector's Bond was presented also bills hereinafter dealt with. Mr. Boyer and Mr. McCordick were heard regarding fence and ditch at R. Point. Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Fenton.

That the Bonds of the collector as presented be and are hereby accepted as satisfactory Carried

Mr. Fenton moved second by Mr. Sedore

That the following amounts be paid

John. A. Sheppard	Cedar for Culvert	Div. 26	-	\$1.50
Josiah Sedore,	building Culvert and work on Lake shore		-	5.00
Fred VanNorman,	building two Culverts on 4 <sup>th</sup> Con		-	8.00
Samuel Pegg,	repairing Culvert between Lots 15 and 16. Con 5		-	2.50
John Gilroy,	Cedar for Culvert	Div 6	-	1.80
Richard Smallwood,	Filling washout at bridge Lots 15 & 16 Con 7		-	.75
John. S. Sheppard,	refund of dog tax wrongly assessed		-	1.00
Thomas Galis,	Statute labor performed after list returned		-	4.00
James Hazard,	" " " "		-	1.33
John Hamilton,	To pay Selectors of jurors		-	6.00
Gra Morton,	Cedar for Div 6		-	1.00
J. W. McKay,	part payment on printing Contract		-	15.00
				Carried

Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Sedore

That this Council do now adjourn to meet again Monday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December

John Hamilton Carried



Belhaven Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1901

A regular meeting of the Council was held at Belhaven on above date, members all present, minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Sedore that the Treasurer be instructed to pay to the Trustees of the several school sections the following amounts School section no 1- 497.72 - no 2- 390.10 - no 3- 394.80 - no 4, 421<sup>00</sup>, No 5- 384.00, No 6- 406.00 - No 7- 304.80, Brownhill 69.10, and the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto  
Carried

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Barker that Henry Smallwood be paid \$31<sup>88</sup> Thirty one dollars and eighty-eight cents according to Magistrates decision in the case of Brydeman and Ausman for damage to Ship by dogs, execution having been returned Nulla Bona; and resolution passed Aug 26<sup>th</sup> in this matter be and is hereby rescinded  
Carried

Report of Road & Bridge Committee

We your committee by leave to report the following expenditures

A Contract to Charles Martin filling washout on Lake shore road	\$50.00
Washington Sedore, filling Washout on side-road Lot 15 & 16 Con 7	4.00
Joseph Taylor, Grading and building Culvert & use of scraper on side-road between 5 & 6 Lake Con	14.35
Walter Thompson, Grading and building Culverts opposite Lots 5 and 6 Lake Shore road	37.00
John Boag, Grading on side-road Lot 5 & 6 Con 5	10.00
Wm Stevenson, Graveling on Town-line South	52.85
Oliver Wilder, " " "	8.60
George Moulds, " " "	13.25
Benjamin Linstead, repairing bridge Lot 5 & 6 Con 4	5.00
Chris Leopard, building culvert on road near R. Point	4.50
Emanuel Nelson, work on Townline South	2.85

Mr Barker moved second by Mr Faulon that the report of the road and bridge committee be adopted  
Carried

John Hamilton  
Recd



Dec 16<sup>th</sup> meeting continued

Mr Fenton moved read by Mr Barker

That the following amounts be paid

E. Y. Nye, fixing culvert on Town-line south	2.00
John Smith, fixing railing on Jersey bridge	.50
Thomas Scott, half value of sheep killed by dogs	6.00
George Norris, " " "	1.50
Henry Smith " " & wounded "	7.50
E. Draper " " " "	3.50
S. Winch " sheep wounded "	2.00
W <sup>m</sup> Stonehouse " " Killed "	5.00
George <del>Spencer</del> <sup>Spencer</sup> , Cedar for culvert Div 32	2.20
D. Van Norman, " " on Lake shore	3.60
Robt. H. Lillie, Cedar for culvert near Mr McBordick's	4.00
Thos Huntley, use of scraper 4 1/2 days	1.12
Richard Pollock, repairing culvert and work on 5 <sup>th</sup> Con	7.00
Robt. H. Lillie, building culvert on Base-line	2.00
D. Graham, gravel for Divs 29 and 38	2.00
Oliver Wilder, refund of road-work	1.33
James Merchant, work on Town-line south	2.50
Municipal World Office, Copies of world and other Stationery	8.68
James Stiles, use of scraper Three days Div 23	.75
Thos. Glover, " " " "	.75
Richard Pollock " one-day " "	.25
Henry Bennett, postage & express paid for Township from Dec 1900	5.15
Frank Clary, grant to expenses of child at Hospital	10.00
J. W. McKay, Balance on printing contract	14.70
Carried	

Mr Fenton moved read by Mr Barker

That the collectors time be extended untill Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1902

Carried

A Bylaw was passed for payment of Township Officers, also a Bylaw to hold nomination at Belhaven, and election as follows,

Div 1. Imprance Hall. Kewick.	Wayman Prosser	Pres.
" 2. Lebowells " Belhaven.	Sidney Bennett	"
" 3. School House No 7	Thos Glover	"

Council - then adjourned

Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 1901

Henry Bennett  
clerk

John Hamilton  
Reeve