

1904

Members of Council for 1904

	Jan 11 th	Mar 7 th	May 30	Aug 21 st	Oct 21 st	Dec 15 th
Reeve	John Hamilton	/	/	/	/	/
Councillors	Wm. G. Barker	/	/	/	/	/
	Gra Morton	/	/	/	/	/
	James Stiles	/	/	/	/	/
	Charles Willoughby	/	/	/	/	/

The Council elect met at Belhaven Jan 11th and subscribed to the necessary declarations of Qualification and office. members all present. minutes of last meeting read and confirmed

M^r Stiles moved second by M^r Willoughby that the Treasurers Bond as presented be accepted as satisfactory
Carried

M^r Willoughby moved second by M^r Stiles that J. D. McKay do the Township printing at last years tender
Carried

M^r Morton moved second by M^r Barker that the following amounts be paid

Treas Sutton Village, 1/2 share of Hall for Court House	\$7.00
Robert Pollock, use of Hall for Nomination	4.00
D ^r Noble, anti-Loxine used and attendance on Link family re Diphtheria	30.00
Nelson Higgs, assistance re Diphtheria	5.00
Hospital for sick children. donation	5.00
Reeve. clk. E. Draper and Jesse Couell, Board of Health meeting \$1.50 each	6.00

Carried.

A Bylaw was passed appointing John B. Sprague and John Hamilton, p. auditors, Mayman Prosser, assessor, D. H. Sprague, Collector, and Jesse Couell, Member of B of Health.

M^r Morton moved second by M^r Barker that this Council do now adjourn to meet again March 7th
Carried.

Jan 11th 1904 } Henry Summitt clerk

John Hamilton
Reeve

Belhaven March 7th 1904

A regular meeting of Council was held on above date - members all present, minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The Auditors report of Township Accounts was presented.

Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Barker that the Auditors report of Township accounts be accepted as satisfactory, and the Clerk have 100 copies printed for distribution
Carried

Mr. Willoughby moved second by Mr. Morton that the Clerk be instructed to notify all persons interested to remove their fences and gates off the Highway on side-road between Lots 20 and 21 in the 6th and 7th Concessions
Carried

Moved by Mr. Stiles second by Mr. Willoughby that the municipal world be paid the sum of \$14¹⁵ fourteen dollars and fifteen cents for Assessment and Collectors Rolls &c and subscriptions to municipal world
Carried

Mr. Stiles moved second by Mr. Willoughby that Stephen Winch be allowed the usual reduction on statute-labor for sixty rods of wire fence
Carried

Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Barker that the Treasurer be instructed to pay the Deputy-Returning Officers, in the three Polling-Divisions the sum of \$10⁰⁰ ten dollars each re election for good roads bylaw, said money having been paid him by County Treasurer
Carried

A Bylaw was passed appointing Overseers of Highways Pound-Keeper and Fence-Viewers, also a Bylaw to encourage the building of wire-fences on Highways, by payment of 15 cents per rod on such roads as Council may approve.

Mr. Morton moved second by Mr. Barker that this Council do now adjourn to meet again on the 30th day of May as Court of Revision & other business

March 7th 1904

Henry Semethent

John Hamilton

Revd.

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Belhaven May 30th 1904

The Council met as Court of Revision on above date, members all present, Mr Hamilton chairman, after subscribing to the necessary oaths, the appeals before the Court were taken up.

Mr Stiles moved second by Mr Willoughby that the following changes be made in the Assessment Roll, and that the Roll do then pass as finally revised

The Assessment of J. H. Lloyd	be reduced	\$ 100 ⁰⁰
" " Duncan King	"	300 ⁰⁰

The Court then adjourned and Council took up General business, minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Mr Stiles moved second by Mr Barker that the clerk be instructed to notify parties previously notified, to remove fences of Road-allowance on 7th Con from north half of Lot 13 to Lot 15 inclusive
Carried

Mr Willoughby moved second by Mr Morton that the clerk be instructed to notify parties interested on side-road Lot 20 and 21 Con 6, to angling road, that action will be taken against them unless fences and gates are removed off the highway, they having been notified to remove same
Carried

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Barker that James Pelus be appointed overseer of Div 47 in place of Joseph Pollock, removed.
George Thompson for Div 19 in place of John Mahoney resigned and John McNeil " " " John McMillan "
and the seal of the corporation be attached hereto
Carried

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Stiles that the Statute-labor as assessed upon the Roll be reduced one-third for the present year
Carried

May 30th meeting continued

Mr Willoughby moved second by Mr Stiles

That the following bills be paid

Henry Vandenberg, wood for Mrs Dorothy	1.60
Thos Everingham, Cedar for Div ^l	2.70
Patrick Hodfins, " "	1.05
Wayman Prosser, Postage, Stationery and attending equalization of Union School section Brownhill	9.00
Robert Pollock, use of Hall for Council meetings	6.00
	Carried

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Barku
That the whole Council be appointed a road
and bridge Committee for the Year

Carried

Mr Barku moved second by Mr Morton
That this Council do now adjourn to meet
again at Belhaven on the Twenty-second day
of August 1904

Carried

John Hamilton
Rever

May 30th 1904

Henry Bennett
Clk.

Belhaven August 22nd 1904

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

A statement of amounts required for County purposes, and applications for school moneys was presented,

M^r Barker moved second by M^r Willoughby that the Clerk be instructed to notify Neil Morton to remove subway built by him on Lake shore road contrary to the Council's wishes. if not removed by the first day of September, he will be dealt with as the Law directs.

Carried

M^r Barker moved second by M^r Willoughby that the following bills be paid.

Bert Hamilton lumber for bridge at Reswick	\$20.40
John Sheppard, work on road Div 22.	3.00
Walter Thompson, Drawing lumber	2.40
R. Cattell, cleaning grave-yard	6.00
James Taylor, filling washout at Chapells bridge	3.00
J. D. McKay, part payment on printing contract	15.00

Carried

A Bylaw was passed levying a rate of 4 mills on the \$ for all purposes except Trustee school rates

M^r Morton moved second by M^r Barker.

That this Council do now adjourn to meet again on the 31st day of October

Carried

John Hamilton

Belhaven Oct 31st 1904

Regular Meeting held at Belhaven on above date. members all present. minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

The trustees of school section No 1. applied to raise by debentures \$2500⁰⁰ Two thousand five hundred Dollars for payment of new school-house.

A petition of Isaac Marriott and one hundred and fifty-eight others was presented asking that a Bylaw in favor of local option be submitted to the Electors. also a Bylaw Petition asking to have all roads or streets not occupied by the corporation sold & leased.

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Stiles
That a Bylaw in favor of local option be submitted to the ratepayers of North Guillemburg at the earliest possible date
carried

Mr Stiles moved second by Morton
That the clerk be instructed to have the Bylaw to prohibit the sale of Intoxicating ^{liquors} published in the Express-Herald as the Law directs.
carried

Mr Morton moved second by Mr Barker
That William Mann be paid the sum of \$12⁰⁰ Twelve dollars Bonus on 80 rods of wire-fence along highway. also Thomas Glover \$6⁰⁰ Six dollars for forty rods of wire-fence on centre-road
Carried

Mr Willoughby moved second by Mr Stiles
That the following bills be paid
John Hamilton, To pay selection of jurors \$6⁰⁰
E. Keaton, Use of scraper in 1903-4 1⁰⁰

A Bylaw was passed empowering the Trustees of school section No 1. to borrow \$2500⁰⁰ Two thousand five hundred Dollars for payment of new school-house also a Bylaw in favour of local option was read a first and second time

Mr Stiles moved second by Mr Morton
that this council do now adjourn to meet again on Thursday Dec 15th

Oct 31st 1904

Henry Bennett *clerk*

carried

John Hamilton

Bellevue December 15th 1904

The council met pursuant to Statute on above date, members all present, minutes of previous meeting confirmed. A Petition of R. A. Hamilton and others was presented, asking that the proceedings in regard to local option passed at last meeting be rescinded, the bills hereinafter dealt with were presented.

Moved by Mr. Barker second by Mr. Willoughby that the Postmaster General be respectfully requested to enforce the contract made between the Government and the mail-carrier from Newmarket to Sutton and Grand Trunk Railway, from Toronto to Sutton as at present, and for a long time, the mail has frequently not been delivered until one or two hours after the proper time.

Carried

Moved by Mr. Stiles second by Mr. Willoughby that the Treasurer be instructed to pay to the Trustees of the several school sections upon receiving proper orders for the same the following amounts, S. S. No. 1. \$375⁶⁷/₁₀₀, No. 2. \$719²⁵/₁₀₀, No. 3, \$454⁴²/₁₀₀, No. 4, \$553²⁰/₁₀₀, No. 5, \$468⁶⁰/₁₀₀, No. 6, \$415⁶²/₁₀₀, No. 7. \$291⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Union \$94²⁰/₁₀₀ and the seal of the Corporation be attached hereto.

Report of Road & Bridge Committee

Carried

Gentlemen, We your committee beg leave to report the following expenditures, Josiah Sedore rep bridge on Lakeshore \$6.00
 James Sedore, work on Lake-shore road 40.00
 Henry Barker, rep culvert on 6th Con 2.90
 John Sheppard, graveling on Town-line south. 30.00
 Wm Stevenson, rep bridge lot 10 x 11 Con 8 4.00
 Geo. Cydman, culvert on 8th Con and gravel 5.75
 Isaac Kitch, work on Lake shore road 9.75
 Archie Vauderby, work on Town-line East 16.80
 James Sweet, rep culvert on Townline South 5.00
 Henry Vauderby, grading and graveling on 7th Con 27.55
 Walter Thompson, building bridge at Mud-creek 50.00
 Wm Stevenson, work on Lake shore road 28.25
 Thomas Smith, work on Town-line East 4.50
 Frank Greenwood, work on South Townline 56.25
 Walter Thompson, building bridge near Keswick 20.00

Mr. Stiles moved second by Mr. Willoughby that the report of road and bridge committee be adopted.

Carried

Sgd John Hamilton
Chairman

Mr Morton moved seed by Mr Willoughby

That the following bills be paid

Edward Woods. Culvert opposite Lot 22 Con 3	\$4.00
Wm Main, work in Div 4 and drawing timber for bridge	5.50
John Varium, Bonus on wire fence Lot 15 Con 2, 27 ^{rods}	4.00
Jesse Coumell, " " " 14 Con 3, 60	9.00
Darius York, " " " Sixth Con .80	12.00
Henry Sennett, " " " Base-line .40	6.00
John Murrell, " " " Sixth Con .40	6.00
Charles Martin, rep culvert on Lake shore road	1.00
Milis Sedore, half-value of sheep killed by dog	3.00
Wm Stonehouse, " " "	2.50
John Boay, Bonus on wire-fence Lot 6 Con 5-20 ^{rods}	3.00
Jas Breckon, Culvert on 4 th Con Lot 9 Joel Thompson	4.00
Henry Smallwood, Timber and work on Bridge at	17.00
James Sedore, work on Lake shore	11.00
Wm King, Fence-towers Fees & Stiles & Sedore	1.00
David Draper, road across farm	5.00
W. Willoughby, use of scraper Div 13	1.00
Henry Stonehouse ^{Ray} , culvert on 8 th Con	2.00
Neil Morton, Bonus on wire-fence Con 3 & 4-11 ^{rods}	17.25
Thomas Hantley, use of scraper 7 days	1.75
John Anderson, use of scraper 2 "	.50
Wellington Sheppard, Wm Stevenson, Wm Haffie, Tho Ardill Ezra King, Robt McBordick & Robt Lillett were refunded 1 ⁰⁰ each dog-tax wrongly assessed	

Carried

Mr Willoughby moved seed by Mr Morton

That D. H. Gnaque be paid 5⁰⁰ for postage and stationery

Carried

Mr Barku moved seed by Mr Morton

That Jos. D. Davidson be paid 5⁰⁰ for postage & stationery
a Bylaw was passed fixing the place of nomination and election
and appointing D. R. C. also a Bylaw to pay Township Officers

Carried

Mr Stiles moved seed by Mr Willoughby

That the time for the collector to return
his Roll be extended until the tenth day
January 1905; and the seal of the Corporation
be attached hereto

Carried

Dec 15th 1904

Henry Sennett
Clerk

Ira Morton

Recd