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# MINUTES OF COUNCIL.

## FIRST MEETING.

In accordance with the Statute, 22nd Vict., cap. 54, section 130, the Councillors elect met this sixteenth day of January, 1865, at noon, at Johnston's Inn, Woburn.

The Clerk produced the Poll Books of the different Returning Officers, with their solemn declarations thereunto annexed, declaring the following named gentlemen duly elected Councillors for each ward respectively in this Municipality, for 1865, who, having made and subscribed to the declaration of qualification and of office, according to law, took their seats as follows, viz.:—

WARD No. 1..... JOHN TABOR, SEN., ESQ.  
WARD No. 2 ..... DONALD G. STEPHENSON, ESQ.  
WARD No. 3..... GEORGE CHESTER, ESQ.  
WARD No. 4..... JOHN P. WHELER, ESQ.  
WARD No. 5..... WILLIAM CLARK, SEN., ESQ.

The Clerk in the chair.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that D. G. Stephenson be elected Township Reeve for the current year. Carried.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Tabor, Chester and Stephenson.

*Nays*—Messrs. Wheler and Clark.

Mr. Stephenson having made and subscribed the declaration of office according to law, took his seat as Reeve.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that William Clark be elected Deputy Reeve for the current year. Lost.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Wheler and Clark.

*Nays*—Messrs. Tabor, Chester, and the Reeve.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that George Chester be elected Deputy Reeve for the current year. Carried.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Chester, Tabor, and the Reeve.

*Nays*—Messrs. Clark and Wheler.

Mr. Chester having made and subscribed the declaration of office according to law, the Council proceeded to business.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that James A. Thomson be and is hereby appointed one of the Auditors for the current year. Lost.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Clark and Wheler.

*Nays*—Messrs. Chester, Tabor, and the Reeve.

Communications read and laid on the table :—

From H. Seymour Hubertus, Deputy Clerk of the Peace, York and Peel, calling strict attention to the Upper Canada Jurors' Act, in preparing the Jury Lists for 1865.

From George Murray, Secretary to the McKenzie Homestead Committee, soliciting the Council to inaugurate the collection of subscriptions, so that the claim of Messrs. Taylor, for paper, may be paid, and the Homestead preserved to Mrs. McKenzie.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of the Trustees of School Section No. 6 :—

*To the Municipal Council of the Township of Scarborough :*

GENTLEMEN,—The undersigned, Trustees of School Section No. 6, respectfully petition your honorable body to renew a Debenture of four hundred dollars (\$400), now due, for two years, that your honorable body holds against said School Section.

(Signed)

ALEX. M. SECOR,  
JOSEPH HARRINGTON,  
JAMES GREEN,  
*Trustees S. S. No. 6.*

January 16th, 1865.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of John Irving, and others:—

*To the Municipal Council of the Township of Scarborough, in Council assembled:—*

The petition of the undersigned, humbly sheweth:

That whereas Charles Champaign is at present prostrated by severe sickness, and being destitute of necessary clothing to protect him during the severity of winter, we hope that your honorable body will grant a sum sufficient to purchase at least one pair of blankets, to be appropriated to his use.

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

(Signed) John Irving, Alex. H. Telfer, David Dickson, Henry Dickson, William Johnston, William H. Chamberlain, Arch'd Forfar, James Purvis, Thomas Walton, Joseph Bowden, Thos. Parker, Martin Badgerow, Joseph Secor, William Tabor, E. Talbot, Henry McIlmurray, J. Humphrey, James Morgan, A. M. Secor, and Joseph Harrington.

Scarborough, January 16th, 1865.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. George Chester, moved, that William Dixon, Esq., be and is hereby appointed one of the Auditors of Township Accounts for the current year. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that James A. Thomson be and is hereby appointed Inspector of Houses of Public Entertainment for the current year, at a salary of fifteen dollars. Lost.

Mr. J. P. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that Daniel Ferguson be and is hereby appointed Assessor for the current year, at a salary of seventy dollars. Carried.

Mr. John Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that James Ormerod be and is hereby appointed Inspector of Houses of Public Entertainment for the current year, at a salary of fifteen dollars. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the petition of John Irving and others, for the relief of Charles Champaign, be granted, and that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to John Irving, for the relief of the said Charles Champaign, the sum of eight dollars. Carried.

Mr. Wheler moved for leave to introduce a By-Law for the appointment of Auditors, Assessor, and Inspector of Houses of Public Entertainment. Leave given.

By-Law read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Wheler, the Council went into Committee of the Whole thereon.

Mr. Clark in the chair.

The committee rose, and reported the By-Law as amended. Report received and adopted. By-Law read a third time and passed.

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BY-LAW No. 164,

*For the appointment of Auditors, Assessor, and Inspector of Houses of Public Entertainment.*

1. *Be it enacted*, by the Corporation of the Township of Scarboro', that William Dickson and William Shirrefs be and are hereby appointed Auditors, at a salary of four dollars each per annum.

2. *Be it further enacted*, that Daniel Ferguson be and is hereby appointed Assessor for the current year, at a salary of seventy dollars per annum.

3. *And be it further enacted*, that James Ormerod be and is hereby appointed Inspector of Houses of Public Entertainment for the current year, at a salary of fifteen dollars per annum.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve,*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Town Clerk.*

January 16th, 1865.

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Mr. Geo. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to renew a Debenture issued by the Trustees of School Section No. 6, due on the 13th instant, for the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400), for

the term of two years from the above date, bearing eight per cent. interest per annum.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the Reeve be authorized to inform the Steward of the Toronto General Hospital that this Municipality will pay for the maintenance of Robert Hacket, at the rate of twenty-five cents per day, until he may become entitled to be placed on the free list; said Robert Hacket being in destitute circumstances, and having been placed in the Hospital by Mr. Henry Mason. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet again on the third Monday in February next, at this place. Carried.

January 16th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## SECOND MEETING.

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MONDAY, February 20th, 1865.

The second meeting of the Corporation of the Township of Scarboro', was held, pursuant to adjournment, on February 20th, at Mr. Johnston's Inn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., John P. Wheler, Esq.

Minutes of last meeting read.

The Reeve laid on the table the following communications, which were read:

MILITIA DEPARTMENT,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Quebec, 19th January, 1865.

SIR,—I beg to request that you will call the attention of the Assessors of the Municipality, in taking the Annual Assess-

ment, to the requirements of the 6th section of the Militia Act of 1863, particularly with respect to the filling up correctly the three additional columns required, with the names and residences of first and second class service-men and reservemen, respectively.

By reference to sub-section 1 of section 25, it will be seen that the Battalion Rolls of the Ballot of the Service Militia must be defective if the Municipal Rolls, from which the County Rolls are prepared, do not show in the proper columns the class to which the parties respectively belong, or if the residences are not specially designated by "lot, concession or range, &c."

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. POWELL, Lt. Colonel,

Dep. Adj't Gen'l of Militia, U.C.

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Scarborough, 25th January, 1865.

*To the Reeve and Municipal Council of the Township of Scarborough:*

GENTLEMEN,—On behalf of the Scarborough Volunteer Rifle Company, now at the frontier, I beg leave respectfully to make application to the Municipality for a grant towards supplying every member of the company with a Bible, as a token of approval of their loyalty and patriotism. The whole expense, of which the Council need only grant a part, would not exceed \$20. As Scarborough has never done anything to acknowledge their services, I think it would be both a graceful and a Christian act to vote such a trifling acknowledgment, and far better than to vote sums (as a few Municipalities have done) to give a dinner to the volunteers, or to supply them with flags and band instruments.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

WILLIAM BELT, M.A.,

Ch. of Eng. Minister, Scarboro'.

D. G. STEPHENSON, Esq., *Reeve*,

And the Municipality of Scarboro'.

Presented by the Reeve, the account of Smith Thomson, for use of house for holding election on By-Law No. 163; also an account from Thomas Stephenson, for use of house and wood used at Municipal Election for Ward No. 2.

Scarboro', January 7th, 1865.

*The Municipality of Scarboro' to Smith Thomson, Dr.*

For the use of room for holding election on the 5th, 6th,  
and 7th January, 1865, at \$2 per day.....\$6 00

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Scarboro', February 20th, 1865.

*Municipality of Scarboro' to Thomas Stephenson, Dr.*

For use of Hall for holding Municipal Election for Ward  
No. 2 ..... \$1 50  
For firewood at do..... 1 00  

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\$2 50

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Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of Elizabeth West, praying for aid.

*To the Reeve and Municipal Council of the Township of Scarboro' :*

GENTLEMEN,—The petition of Elizabeth West, a widow, respectfully sheweth :

That your petitioner is now nearly seventy-five years old, and wholly incapacitated, by reason of age and infirmity, from earning her own livelihood.

That she has been for a great many years a resident and ratepayer of the Township of Scarboro', and that nothing but necessity now compels her to make this petition.

That her children (but one) having families of their own, are unable to maintain her, and therefore she humbly prays for such assistance as the Municipality may render her.

(Signed)

ELIZABETH WEST.

Scarboro', January 25th, 1865.

The undersigned do freely recommend the above petition to the Council :—

(Signed) William Belt, M.A., Church of England Minister, A. M. Secor, John R. Torrance, Joshua Sisley, Isaac Chester, Jr., George Weir, Arch'd Muir, John H. Colgrove, John Wilson, John Torrance, Charles C. Bowen, and Thomas Wilson.

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Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition of Thomas Davidson and others :

*To the Municipal Council of the Township of Scarborough, in Council assembled :*

GENTLEMEN,—We, the undersigned, assessed Freeholders and Householders of the Township of Scarborough, would respectfully call the attention of your honorable body to the following subject, viz.: The amount hitherto necessary for the procuring of Tavern License in this Municipality, has, according to the opinion of your humble petitioners, been much too low, thereby placing the obtaining of such certificates within the reach of many unqualified persons, and also of sustaining more taverns than are actually necessary for the accommodation of the public.

Your petitioners humbly pray that you will take the matter into your serious consideration, and raise the amount necessary for the procuring of such certificates to the sum of eighty dollars.

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

(Signed) Thomas Davidson, Henry Hogarth, Joseph Walton, David Speedy, Thomas Brown, Jr., Thomas Brown, Sen., Robert Leigh, John Thompson, John Herron, Joseph Armstrong, Arch'd Taylor, Jas. Webster, Robert Webster, Sen., Wallis Walton, Thomas Brown, H. T. Auburn, George Bambridge, Sen., Arch'd Muir, Joseph Hall, John Wilson, H. M. Campbell, William Watson, Arch'd McLain, Arthur Crompton and Alex. Taylor.

The Reeve laid on the table the Report of the Inspector of Houses of Public Entertainment.

*To the Municipal Council of the Township of Scarboro', in Council assembled:*

GENTLEMEN,—Pursuant to an Act of the Legislature of Canada, 23rd Vic., chap. 53, sec. 3, and also in reference to By-Law No. 156, for regulating Taverns in the Township of Scarboro',

I, James Ormerod, License Inspector for said Township for the current year, do hereby report to your honorable body that I have inspected the Taverns in this Township, nine of which had all the accommodation required by law, viz.: Eli Shackleton, Jonathan Baird, Alex. Thompson, Ingol Burton, Samuel Mighton, Alex. Moffatt, Richard Sylvester, W. Johnston, and W. Burton. The remaining two, viz., Nelson Gates and Andrew Wharfe, had not the necessary accommodation required by the foregoing enactments.

(Signed)                    JAMES ORMEROD,  
License Inspector.

Dated this 20th February, 1865.

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Presented by Mr. Clark, the petition from William Booth and thirty-four others, praying for a certificate of Tavern License to Eli Shackleton.

*To the Corporation of the Township of Scarboro', in Council assembled:*

GENTLEMEN,—The petition of the undersigned humbly sheweth:

That Mr. Eli Shackleton is desirous of keeping an Inn or House of Public Entertainment on lot No. 10, concession 1, of the Township of Scarboro', and known as *Shackleton's Hotel*; and that he has the necessary accommodation, according to law, and is a fit person to keep the same. The undersigned

pray that your honorable body will grant to him a certificate to obtain a Tavern License from the Revenue Inspector, or proper officer, who may issue the same.

And, as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.

Presented by Mr. Clark, the petition of Daddy Haw and thirty-five others, praying that a certificate to obtain a License be granted to Richard Sylvester.

*To the Corporation of the Township of Scarboro', in Council assembled :*

The petition of Richard Sylvester humbly sheweth :

That he is desirous of a renewal of License to keep a Tavern on lot No. 35, con. D, known by the name of the *Rising Sun*.

And, as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition from David Dickson and thirty-three others, praying that a certificate to obtain a License be granted to William Johnston, to keep an Inn on lot No. 18, in the first concession of Scarboro', and known as *General Wolf's Inn*.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition from Thomas Parker and thirty-one others, praying that a certificate to obtain a Tavern License be granted to Jonathan Baird, to keep an Inn on lot No. 19, con. D, Scarboro', and known as the *Railway Inn*.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition from William Burton, Sen., and thirty-two others, praying that a certificate to obtain a Tavern License be granted to William Burton, Jr., to keep an Inn at Malvern, on lot No. 19, concession 2nd, and known as *Speed the Plough Inn*.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition from Septimus Auburn and thirty-two others, praying that a certificate to obtain a Tavern License be granted to Ingol Burton to keep an Inn on lot No. 29, concession B, and known as the *Farmers' Inn*.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition from Septimus Auburn and thirty-six others, praying that a certificate be granted to Alexander Thompson to obtain a Tavern License to keep an Inn on lot No. 27, concession B, and known as the *Halfway House*.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition from William Bell and thirty-three others, praying that a certificate be granted to Samuel Mighton, so as he may obtain a Tavern License to keep an Inn on lot No. 29, concession C, and known as the *Blue Bell Inn*.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition from Isaac Latham and thirty-four others, praying that a certificate be granted to Alexander Moffat, to obtain a Tavern License to keep an Inn on lot No. 35, concession C, and known as the *Royal Oak Inn*.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition from Lawrence Brannen and thirty others, praying that a certificate be granted to Nelson Gates, to obtain a Tavern License to keep an Inn on lot No. 20, concession C, and known as the *Scarboro' Inn*.

A verbal application was made to the Council by Messrs. J. McCowan and T. Brown, for aid to John Hay, an infirm old man in destitute circumstances; who has no fixed place of abode, but has been wandering through this and the neighbouring Townships for a number of years, and who is now sick at Malvern, at the house of Mrs. Malcom.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to Rose Ann Purdy the sum of one dollar per week for board of the foundling child placed in her keeping by the Council, said payments to commence from the 15th February inst., and that the resolution passed on the 19th January, 1863, in reference to said child, be and is hereby rescinded. Carried.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to Rose Ann Purdy the sum of fourteen shillings and eleven pence, for clothing furnished for a foundling child placed in her keeping by the Council. Carried.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to the order of Messrs. T. Brown and J. McCowan the sum of twenty dollars, to assist in paying the expenses of John Hay, a destitute old man, from this place to his native country, Scotland, he having signified his desire to return there. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the sum of six dollars be granted for the relief of Elizabeth West, and that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the same to the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that Smith Thompson's bill, amounting to six dollars, and also the bill of Thomas Stephenson, amounting to two dollars and fifty cents, be paid on order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the following persons, petitioners for certificates for Tavern Licenses, are entitled to certificates for such Licenses, and that the Treasurer of this Municipality be directed to issue said certificates on the payment of thirty-three dollars for each certificate so granted; that is to say, viz.:

Eli Shackleton, Richard Sylvester, Wm. Johnston, Jonathan Baird, Ingol Burton, Alexander Moffat, Alexander Thompson, Samuel Mighton, and William Burton. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that a committee be appointed for the purpose of examining and reporting to this Council as to the state of two Bridges, situated on the first concession, opposite lots Nos. 14 and 15 respectively, as to the amount of expenditure necessary for the building and repairs of said Bridges, and that Messrs. Wheler, Stephenson, and the mover, be a committee for said purpose. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Council do now adjourn, to meet again on the first Monday in March next. Carried.

February 20th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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### THIRD MEETING.

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MONDAY, 6th March, 1865.

Council met this 6th day of March, at Johnston's Inn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., and John P. Wheeler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read.

The Reeve read and laid on the table the following communications and accounts :

From the *Globe* office, for printing and advertising in *Globe* notice to Parliament and By-Law No. 163, and that vote will be taken thereon.

From M. C. Cameron, in reference for bill to establish F. F. Passmore's survey.

From Auditors' Report on Township Accounts for 1864, with abstracts.

From James Ormerod, Inspector, Report of Inspection of Inn at Highland Creek, known as the *Commercial Inn*.

From J. Crawford, Treasurer, bonds.

From William Clark, requesting the Council to pay the allowance he receives for support to the order of Wm. Tredway, instead of Mrs. S. A. Clark, as formerly.

From John Irving, for paper and pens supplied to James Moyle, late clerk.

Petitions presented :

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition of William Muir and thirty-five others, praying that a certificate to obtain a Tavern License be granted to William Keeler, to keep an Inn on lot No. 7, con. 1, and known as the *Commercial Inn*.

Presented by the Reeve, the petition from Jeremiah Annis and twenty-one others, praying the Council to grant aid to Frederick Ellis,

Presented by Mr. Stephenson, the petition of Jas. Humphrey and thirty-seven others, praying the Council not to memorialize the Legislature to confirm F. F. Passmore's survey.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer do issue the necessary certificate, on the payment of thirty-three dollars, to enable William Keeler to obtain a Tavern License. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to the order of Mr. Chester, twenty dollars, to be applied for the relief of John Hay, an indigent person, and that the resolution passed at the last meeting, referring to the relief of the said John Hay, be and is hereby rescinded. Carried.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the allowance of one dollar per week for the support of Wm. Clark be paid to William Tredway, on order of the Reeve, to be expended by him for the maintenance of Wm. Clark, payment to commence from the 20th February last, and that all former resolutions passed relative to said Clark's support be rescinded. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer do pay the sum of seventy cents to Mr. J. Irving, in discharge of his account, submitted to the Council this day. Carried.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer's bonds, just read, be received and adopted, and that it be deposited with the Reeve for safe keeping for the Municipality. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer do pay to Frederick Ellis, on the order of the Reeve, for the relief of the said Frederick Ellis, the sum of ten dollars. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheeler, moved, that the Treasurer be and he is authorized to purchase a city of Toronto Debenture with the uninvested clergy reserve funds now in his hands, at as low a rate as practicable. Carried.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the two bills for advertising in the *Globe* newspaper, amounting to

thirty-four dollars and ninety cents, be paid by the Treasurer. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that in consequence of many reasonable protests having been submitted to this Council by several landholders of this Municipality, relative to the survey of Mr. Passmore, affirming its incorrectness, it is just and expedient to suspend all action on the part of this Council for the present, having for its object a requisition upon the Provincial Legislature to confirm said survey. Carried.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Tabor, Chester, and the Reeve.

*Nays*—Messrs. Wheler and Clark.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer's Account for the year 1864, as now presented, together with the Auditor's Abstract and Report, be finally adopted, and that the Clerk is hereby authorized to get the same published forthwith, with the Minutes of the Council for the year 1864, at as cheap a rate as possible, and that the number be 500. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that this Council do now adjourn until the third Monday in April next. Carried.

Scarborough, 6th March, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,  
*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*



## FOURTH MEETING.

MONDAY, April 17th, 1865.

Council met this day, pursuant to adjournment, at Johnston's Inn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., and John P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of Wm. J. Fawcett and thirteen others, praying the Council to build a bridge over the Highland Creek and repair the hills in front of lots Nos. 14 and 15, in the 1st concession.

Presented by the Reeve, the account of George Bambridge, of two dollars and fifty cents (\$2 50), for cutting threads and making nuts for two iron bolts for the bridge over the Little Rouge, in the fourth concession, between lots Nos. 4 and 5, in the year 1864.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of forty dollars be appropriated out of the general funds of the Municipality of Scarborough for the purpose of repairing a culvert opposite concession D, on the town-line between York and Scarborough, with a proviso, that an equal sum be granted for such purpose by the Council of the Municipality of York, and that Mr. James McCowan and Mr. John Walton, Sen., be appointed commissioners to expend the same on behalf of this Council, and that the Clerk be requested to notify the Reeve of York of such resolution. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of forty dollars, appropriated for the repair of a culvert on the town-line between York and Scarboro', as passed by the Council this day, be paid by the Treasurer, upon the order of the Councillor of Ward No. 5. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Clerk be and is hereby authorized to give immediate notice to all parties occupying any portion of any side road-allowance, as

indicated by the survey made by Mr. Passmore, P.L.S., under the authority of Acts 24 Vic., cap. 64, and 25 Vic., cap. 38, to remove all obstructions from off the said side-road allowances within eight days from date of notice; and in case any parties refuse to comply with such notice, and obstruct the public highway so as to prevent the public from travelling thereon, that the Reeve do take legal proceedings to enforce the same. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the bill presented by Mr. Bambridge, amounting to two dollars and fifty cents (\$2 50), for cutting threads and making nuts on bolts for bridge, be paid on order of Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of ten dollars be and is hereby granted to John C. Jones, an indigent person, to be paid by the Treasurer to the wife of the said John C. Jones. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of four dollars be and is hereby granted for the relief of Chas. Masterman, and that the Clerk be authorized to pay the same, on order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to take from Messrs. Archibald and William Forfar their note for the sum of one hundred and sixty-two dollars and seven cents (\$162 07), being the amount due by the late Treasurer on account of the Clergy Reserve Fund, said note to be payable on the first day of December, 1866. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that a committee be appointed for the purpose of reporting to this Council as to the amount necessary for building or repairing a bridge over the west branch of the Highland Creek, situated on the Markham road, concession 2nd, between lots Nos. 18 and 19, and that Messrs. Wheler, Stephenson and the mover be a committee for said purpose. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of thirty-two dollars (\$32) be and is hereby granted by this Council, for the purpose of promoting the efficiency of the volunteer company of the Municipality of Scarboro', to be expended by Messrs. William Dixon, Jr., D. Milne, and John

Torrance, Jr., in such manner as the said parties may deem suitable to the end in view, as well as to express the gratitude of this Municipality for the patriotic services rendered by said volunteers in discharge of the important duty accomplished by them on the frontiers of this Province, in obedience to the call of the Provincial Government; said sum so granted as aforesaid to be paid by the Treasurer to the parties nominated to expend the same, when such sum shall have been expended. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that two dollars (\$2) be paid to Mr. Shirrefs and Mr. Dickson, respectively, in addition to the sum awarded them by By-Law No. 164, in remuneration for services rendered by them as Auditors of Township Accounts for the year 1864. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of ten dollars be paid to Peter Cavanagh for cutting ice from about the Rouge Bridge, in the 3rd concession, Scarboro', by order of the Reeve, said money to be paid on the order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that this Council do now adjourn until the first Monday in May. Carried.

Scarborough, April 17th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## FIFTH MEETING.

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MONDAY, May 1st, 1865.

Council met this day.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., and John P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Petitions presented :

Presented by Mr. Clark, the petition of Paul Sheppard and fourteen others, praying for a grant of money to improve the side-road between lots Nos. 34 and 35, in the 4th concession.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition of Noah Reesor and four others, praying for a grant of twenty dollars to build a culvert on the fifth concession, front of lot No. 4.

The Reeve laid on the table the following communications and accounts :

From F. F. Passmore, P.L.S., regarding survey of Grand Trunk Railway embankments across Mr. Bennett's property.

From Henry Rowsell, account for printing, amounting to \$63 50; also, H. Rowsell's account for stationery furnished to the Clerk, amounting to \$1 74.

From J. P. Wheler, ex-Reeve, account for expenses incurred in attending court in the case of the Queen *vs.* James Moyle, amounting to \$10.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the sum of thirty dollars be granted for repairing the side-line between lots Nos. 34 and 35, fourth concession, and that Paul Sheppard, John Wright and Thomas Glendenning be commissioners to expend the same, and that said sum of thirty dollars be paid on the order of Councillor for Ward No. 5. Carried.

Mr. Wheler moved for leave to introduce a By-Law to appoint Township Officers. Leave given. By-Law introduced, read a first, second, and third time, and passed.

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BY-LAW No. 165,

*To appoint Township Officers.*

The Corporation of the Township of Scarborough enacts as follows:

That the following named persons be and are hereby appointed Township Officers to the following offices hereinafter named, whose duties and liabilities shall commence within

twenty days after notice of their appointment, and continue for one year, viz.:—

POUND-KEEPERS.

Jobu Hockridge and James Richardson.

FENCE-VIEWERS.

William Pearson, William Westney, George Scott,	James Hamilton, William Hood, Paul Sheppard, Joseph Hough,	Jas. Palmer, Sen. Thomas Elliot, Wm. Heron, Sen.
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PATHMASTERS.

Beat No. 1. Archibald McAllister, " 2. Charles Rawson, " 3. Charles White, " 4. John Higgins, " 5. Noah Reesor, " 6. Richard Knowles, " 7. Wm. Wallace Stotts, " 8. Lewis Miltet, " 9. John M. Bear, " 10. Ezekiel Richardson, " 11. Patrick Cavanagh, " 12. Henry Peters, " 13. Thomas Elliot, " 14. King Parker, " 15. John Bennett, " 16. John Neilson, " 17. Charles Swallow, " 18. Andrew Fleming, " 19. John Sewell, " 20. Jacob Brumwell, Sr., " 21. Eli Shackleton, " 22. Charles Booth, " 23. John Fleming, " 24. Robert Rogerson, " 25. Joseph Telford, " 26. Henry Humphrey, " 27. William Humphrey, " 28. Richard Collins, " 29. John Skelton, " 30. William A. Fawcett, " 31. Joseph Powell, " 32. John Crawford, " 33. William Stonehouse, " 34. David Annis, " 35. John Little, " 36. Archibald Malcom, " 37. John Weir, " 38. George R. Secor, " 39. James Purvis,	Beat No. 40. William Purdie, " 41. James Miller, " 42. John P. Wheler, " 43. James Green, " 44. Abraham Harrington, " 45. William J. Mitchell, " 46. Henry Kennady, " 47. Robert McCowan, " 48. David A. Thomson, " 49. Francis Bell, " 50. Nicholas Phelin, " 51. Adna Pherrill, " 52. Isaac Chester, Jr., " 53. David Guy Thomson, " 54. John Milne, " 55. Isaac Ashbridge, " 56. Joseph Duff, " 57. John Ferguson, " 58. Thomas Kennady, " 59. William Dickson, " 60. John Hockridge, " 61. Andrew Young, " 62. Thomas Gibson, " 63. James Palmer, Sen., " 64. William Walton, " 65. Robert Galbraith, " 66. Simpson Rennie, " 67. John Heron, " 68. James McCowan, " 69. David Marshall, " 70. Thomas Armstrong, " 71. Francis Thompson, " 72. John Walton, Sen., " 73. Edward Smith, " 74. John Wright, " 75. Thomas Brown, Jr., " 76. John Skelton, " 77. Archibald McKeand, " 78. James Bowes.
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DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

Scarborough, May 1st, 1865.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the Township Clerk is hereby required to notify the different Township Officers of their appointment, and that they are required to take the oath of office within twenty days from date of notice. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of twenty dollars (\$20) be and is hereby granted to build a bridge and cut down the hill in front of lot No. 4, on the fifth concession road, and that Mr. Noah Reesor and Mr. Henry Peters be appointed commissioners to expend the same, said amount to be paid on the order of the Councilman for Ward No. 2. Carried.

The select committee appointed to examine the bridge over the Highland Creek, on the 1st concession, and the bridge on the Markham road, on the 2nd concession, presented their report, which was read, and, on motion of Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, the Council went into Committee of the Whole thereon.

Mr. Tabor in the chair.

Committee rose and reported the report as amended. Report received and adopted.

*To the Corporation of the Township of Scarboro', in Council assembled :*

The select committee appointed to examine the bridge over the Highland Creek, on the first concession road, in front of lot No. 14, also bridge on the same road, in front of lot No. 15, and also the bridge over the west branch of the Highland Creek, crossing the Markham road between lots Nos. 18 and 19, in the 2nd concession, beg leave to report as follows, viz.:

That they have examined the three bridges, and found them all in a very dilapidated and dangerous condition, and requiring immediate repair.

Your committee would recommend that a new bridge be built on the 1st concession road, in front of lot No. 15, to consist of two cedar bents twelve feet high and fourteen feet of space for water-way between bents, and that the sum of forty dollars be appropriated for that purpose.

Your committee would recommend that a new bridge be built over the Highland Creek, on the first concession road, in front of lot No. 14, to consist of either two stone abutments or three cedar bents, on or near the site of the old bridge, and that the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) be appropriated for that purpose.

Your committee would also recommend that the sum of forty dollars (\$40) be appropriated to build a new bridge over the west branch of the Highland Creek, crossing the Markham road, between lots Nos. 18 and 19, second concession.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE CHESTER, *Chairman.*

Scarboro', May 1st, 1865.

Adopted.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that Messrs. Chester, Wheler, Stephenson, and the mover, be a committee to inspect the condition of the bridge over the Big Rouge, on lot No. 5, in the 3rd concession, Scarborough, and report the result of their inspection of said bridge at the next meeting of this Council. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the account of Mr. Henry Rowsell, for printing, to the amount of fifty-three dollars and fifty cents, and to make the best arrangement he can with regard to the extra pages charged in his account, and also the amount of bill for stationery furnished to the Clerk, amounting to one dollar and seventy-four cents. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Clerk of this Council do immediately apply to F. F. Passmore, P. L. Surveyor, for a statement of the field notes, and such other necessary documents relative to the levels made by him of the embankments of the Grand Trunk Railway across Bennet's property, as are expressly understood, and in accordance with the terms of his account furnished to this Council. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that Joseph Harrington, James Purvis, and Richard Thomson, be appointed commissioners to superintend the erection of a bridge over the west branch of the Highland Creek, between lots Nos. 18 and

19, second concession, said amount not to exceed forty dollars, being already appropriated for that purpose, and that the Clerk do notify said parties to that effect. Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the Treasurer be instructed to pay the account of Mr. J. P. Wheeler, amounting to ten dollars, being the amount of expenses incurred by him on account of the prosecution of Mr. James Moyle, late Township Treasurer. Carried.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Council do now adjourn, to meet again on Monday, the 29th instant, and that the Clerk give the proper notice that the Court of Revision will be held on the same day, at two o'clock, P.M. Carried.

Scarboro', May 1st, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## SIXTH MEETING.

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MONDAY, May 29th, 1865.

Council met this day at Johnston's Inn, Woburn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., and John P. Wheeler, Esq.

• The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Petitions presented:

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of Margery Curry, praying the Council to grant money to open the road from her place, so as she can get to market.

Presented by the Reeve, the petition of Edward Huxtable and thirty others, praying for a grant of money to improve the side-road leading from the Kingston road to the 10th concession, Markham.

Presented by the Reeve, the petition of W. A. Milne and D. A. Milne, praying to be allowed to perform all their statute labour in front of lots Nos. 9, 10 and 11, 4th concession.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of Smith Thomson and others, praying the Council to grant aid to Mr. Dickson, near Malvern.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of James Lawrie and others, praying for a grant of money to improve the road between lots Nos. 12 and 13, in the 4th concession.

Presented by the Reeve, the petition of William Booth and others, requesting the Council to grant money to repair the road between lots Nos. 10 and 11, in the 3rd concession.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the petition of Beebe Carnaghan, praying for remission of his statute labour.

Presented by the Reeve, a communication from the Corporation of Markham, regarding a grant for the north town-line.

Presented by the Reeve, a communication from F. F. Passmore, P.L.S., in reference to his account for taking levels of embankment of Grand Trunk Railway across Bennet's property and deviation survey of certain side-roads.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Treasurer be and is authorized to pay to Mrs. Purdy the sum of twenty cents per week for the clothing of the foundling child placed in her keeping, commencing from the 15th day of February last, and continue so to do until further orders: Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of twenty dollars be granted for the improvement of the Kennedy road, fourth concession, and that Simon Miller, Hugh Clark, and Thomas Gibson, be appointed commissioners to expend said sum, payable to the order of Councillor for Ward No. 5. Carried.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of fifteen dollars be appropriated for the improvement of the side-road between lots Nos. 26 and 27, second concession, to be paid to the order of Councilman for Ward No. 4, and that John Ferguson, John Thomson, and John Walton, be commissioners to expend the same. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that Messrs. James Humphrey, Jr., William Fawcett, Jr., and Wm. Chamberlain, Sen., be appointed Commissioners to superintend the erection of two bridges, on the first concession, opposite lots Nos. 14 and 15, and that the treasurer be authorized to pay the sums heretofore granted for said purpose on order of the Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Wheeler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Treasurer is hereby authorized and required to give the notice required by sub-section 1 of section 321, chap. 54, Con. Stat. U. C., that it is the intention of the Council of the Corporation of Scarborough to pass a by-law for the stopping up and sale of that part of side-road allowance between lots Nos. 16 and 17, con. D., where the road deviates from its original course on to lot No. 17, as shown by F. F. Passmore's survey and report, said original road allowance being no longer required for public use. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Wheeler, moved, that the appropriation of the sum of forty dollars, made by this Council for the purpose of repairing a culvert opposite concession D, on the township line between York and Scarborough, with a proviso, that an equal sum be granted for such purpose by the Municipal Council of the Township of York, is, upon authentic information, found to be insufficient to effect the purpose desired, and that, in the absence of positive information as to the specific amount requisite to be expended by this Council for so laudable a purpose, Mr. Clark, in conjunction with Mr. James McCowan and John Walton, be, and is hereby appointed commissioners on the part of this Council to superintend the improvement contemplated, with full power to expend such sum or sums of money belonging to the funds of this Municipality as he and they shall deem prudent, to be paid by the Treasurer upon the order of Mr. Clark. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Clerk be authorized to apply to Mr. F. F. Passmore for a diagram dimensions of survey made of the Grand Trunk embankments in Bennet's property, in this Municipality, and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay him the sum of four dollars for the same, in addition to the seven dollars already charged. Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of five dollars be granted for the relief of Elizabeth West, and that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the same. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the further sum of one hundred and twenty dollars be granted for building the bridge over the west branch of the Highland Creek, between lots Nos. 18 and 19, in the 2nd concession, the said bridge to consist of cedar or stone abutments, and that James Purvis, Richard Thomson, and Joseph Harrington, be appointed a committee to superintend the erection of said bridge, and the Treasurer be authorized to pay this and former grant on the order of Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of sixty dollars be appropriated for the building of a bridge over the Highland Creek on the 3rd concession road, in front of lot No. 28, to be paid on the order of Councilman for Ward No. 4, and that Thomas Kennady, James Kennady, and John L. Paterson, be appointed to superintend the erection of the same. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that this Council, having considered the petition of Beebe Carnaghan, deem it consistent with justice towards him that he be and is hereby exonerated and discharged from performing any statute labour for the present year. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of five dollars be granted for the relief of Horatio Dickson, being in distressed circumstances, and that the said sum be paid into the hands of William Ferguson for the benefit of the said Horatio Dickson, and that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the same on order of Councillor of Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of thirty dollars be granted for improving the road between lots Nos. 10 and 11, in the 3rd concession of Scarboro', said sum so granted to be paid by the Treasurer on the order of Councilman of Ward No. 2; and furthermore, that James Ormerod, Charles Booth, and W. A. Milne, be commissioners to expend said money for the purpose aforesaid. Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of fifty dollars be granted to each Ward, for providing planks for bridges, &c., said sum to be paid to the order of the Councilor for each Ward. Carried.

In accordance with notice given, the Council resolved itself into a Court of Revision.

Mr. Wheler in the chair.

There being no appeals against the assessment roll, the Court finally adopted it, and rose.

Council resumed.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the assessment roll be received and adopted. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet again on the third Monday in June, 1865. Carried.

Scarboro,' May 29th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## SEVENTH MEETING.

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SCARBOROUGH, June 19th, 1865.

Council met this day at Johnston's Inn, Woburn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., and J. P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Petitions presented :

Presented by Mr. Wheler, the petition of John Ferguson and five others, praying the Council to grant money to erect a bridge on side-road between lots Nos. 26 and 27, in the second concession.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of William Chamberlain, sen., praying the Council to appoint him to the office of Township Collector for 1865.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, an account from J. Donohua, for board and attendance, and funeral expenses of one J. Mahon, who died at his place, amounting to ten dollars eighty-eight cents (\$10.88).

Presented by the Reeve, a communication from T. D. Harrington, Deputy Receiver General, informing the Council that the "Upper Canada Municipalities Fund," for the year 1864, (being the moneys arising from the Clergy Reserves), has been apportioned; and that this Municipality is entitled to receive four hundred and fifteen dollars thirty-five cents (\$415.35), payable on and after the 1st of July proximo.

Presented by Mr. Wheler, the petition of Marshal Macklin, jun., and twenty-six others, praying the Council to grant a sum of money to repair the third concession road, in front of lots Nos. 21 and 22.

Presented by Mr. Wheler, the petition from A. P. Thomson and eleven others, praying the Council to grant money to repair the side-road between lots Nos. 24 and 25, in the second concession of this township.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of William Westney and three others, praying the Council to grant a sum of money to repair the second concession road in front of lots Nos. 11, 12, and 13.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of seventy-five dollars be granted for the erection, or repair of, and raising embankment to the bridge over the Rouge, on the town-line between Markham and Scarborough, in rear of lot No. 12, in the fifth concession; and that Robert Petch, sen., Simon Dumon, and Simeon Reesor, be commissioners to expend the same, providing the corporation of Markham grant an equal amount; and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the said sum on order of Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clarke, moved, that this Council do grant to John Donohua the sum of ten dollars and eighty-seven-and-a-half cents, it being the amount of his account presented to this Council for liquidation, incurred by the care and burial of Patrick Mahon, an indigent stranger, by the aforesaid John Donohua ; said sum so granted to be paid to the order of the Councillor of Ward No. 1 ; provided that the Coroner do certify to the verity of the subject of the account submitted as aforesaid. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated to build a bridge over the Highland Creek, on the side-road allowance between lots Nos. 26 and 27 in the second concession ; and that John Ferguson, John Thompson, and John Walton, be commissioners to expend the same. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of one hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated to repair the third concession road across lots Nos. 21 and 22 ; and that Robert Johnston, Francis Bell, and Hugh Elliott, be commissioners to expend the same ; and that the amount be paid on the order of the Councilman of Ward No. 4 ; and also, that the sum of \$100, appropriated to build a bridge over the Highland Creek, between lots Nos. 26 and 27, in the second concession, be paid on the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 4. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that a further sum of twenty-four dollars be granted for the erection of approaches to the bridge over Spring Creek, first concession, opposite lot No. 15 ; said amount to be paid on order of Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of twenty dollars be and is hereby appropriated to repair the side-road allowance between lots Nos. 24 and 25, in the second concession ; and that A. P. Thomson, William Forfar, and David G. Thomson, be commissioners to expend the same : to be paid on order of the Councillor for Ward No. 4. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of ten dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the repair of a bridge on side-road between lots Nos. 24 and 25, in the third

concession ; and that John Milne and Daniel Ferguson be commissioners to expend the same : to be paid on the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 4. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that Abraham Callendar be and is hereby exempted from performing his statute labour for the current year, on the beat to which it is allotted, on the ground of the peculiar circumstances under which he is placed : having no access to any travelled public road, in consequence of the impracticability of using the road allowance in its present unimproved state (only through the indulgence of Mr. Adna Pherrill, by means of a private right of way under a private grant.) Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of twenty dollars be granted for the repair of bridges or open ditches between lots Nos. 12 and 13, in the fourth concession ; and that William McCowan, James Lawrie, and John Crawford, be appointed commissioners to expend the same ; and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the amount on the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of twenty-five dollars be and is hereby granted for the purpose of improving the road in front of lots Nos. 11, 12, and 13, in the second concession of Scarborough : said sum so granted to be expended by William Westney, sen., and John Wilson, as commissioners for that purpose ; also, that the said money be paid by the Treasurer upon the order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that Mrs. Horne, Charles Masterman, William Clark (Highland Creek), and Mr. Gallagher, be and is hereby relieved from the performance of their statute labour for the year 1865. Carried.

Mr. Tabor moved for leave to introduce a By-law to amend By-law No. 165. Leave given.

By-law read the first, second, and third time, and passed.

## BY-LAW, No. 166.

*To amend By-law No. 165.*

Be it enacted by the Corporation of the Township of Scarborough :

That By-law No. 165 be and is hereby amended, by substituting the name of Alexander Thompson, Pathmaster, instead of Isaac Ashbridge, for beat No. 55 ; also, Francis Glendenning, Pathmaster, for Robert Galbraith, for beat No. 65 ; and Guy Whanton, Pathmaster, instead of Adna Pherrill, for beat No. 51.

Passed June 19th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Town Clerk.*

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Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of twelve dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of digging a ditch across the side-road between lots Nos. 14 and 15, in concession D., and for the erection of a temporary bridge over the same : to be paid on the order of the Councilor of Ward No. 3. Carried.

The Committee appointed to examine the bridge over the Rouge, in the third concession, brought in their report.

Report received. Council went into Committee of the whole thereon.

Mr. Wheler in the chair.

The Committee rose and reported having made some progress, they asked leave to sit again.

Report received and adopted.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the Council do now adjourn, to meet again on Monday, the 26th instant. Carried.

June 19th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

## EIGHTH MEETING.

SCARBOROUGH, June 26th, 1865.

Council met this day at Johnston's Inn, Woburn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; G. Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; W. Clark, Esq., J. Tabor, Esq., and J. P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes read.

Petitions presented :

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of Thomas Adams, jr., and thirteen others, praying the Council to grant money to improve the 4th concession road, front of lot No. 3.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of twenty dollars be granted for the improvement of side-line between lots Nos. 32 and 33, in the fourth concession; and that Mr. William Hood, Thomas Armstrong, and Henry Mason be commissioners to expend the same: said sum to be paid to the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 5. Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the sum of eight dollars be granted to improve the side-line between lots Nos. 32 and 33, concession D.; and that Messrs. James McCowan and James Dickson be commissioners to expend the same: said sum to be paid to the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 5. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of fifteen dollars be granted for the purpose of cutting down the hill, and repairing crossway on the fourth concession, front of lot No. 3; and that Messrs. Jeremiah Annis, John M. Bear, and John Diller, be appointed commissioners to expend the same; and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the said sum on the order of the Reeve. Carried.

Pursuant to leave granted, the Council went into Committee of the whole on the report of the Committee appointed to examine the bridge over the River Rouge, in the third concession.

Mr. Wheler in the chair.

Committee rose, reported the report as amended

Report received and adopted, as follows :—

*To the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Scarborough :*

The Report of the Select Committee appointed to examine the condition of the bridge passing over the river Rouge, on lot No. 5, in the 3rd concession of the Township of Scarborough, and to report the result of said examination to the said Council, at its meeting to be held on the 29th May, 1865 :

1st. Your committee beg leave to report as follows: That in discharge of their duty they met at the bridge named in their commission, on Saturday afternoon, the 27th May, 1865, and on close inspection found said bridge in a state of great dilapidation, so much so as to render it exceedingly dangerous for a loaded team to pass over the same.

2nd. Your committee observed said bridge to be composed entirely of timber, put together in the form of tressels, or bents, extending over a distance of 230 feet, or thereabouts. The part of said bridge immediately spanning the river is in a tolerable state of repair, having been repaired within the last few years. Such portion covers a distance of about 50 feet. The residue of said bridge, measuring something over 180 feet, extends from the north side of the river, over a ravine or valley, together with a small creek, to the northerly bank of said ravine, thus making the entire bridge. This portion of the bridge is in a most shattered state, owing to most of the mud sills, many of the post-girts, braces, string-pieces, planks, (indeed most all of the planks) being in a completely rotten condition, so as to be entirely worthless for any purpose whatever. A great many of the braces which constitute the principal support of the structure, are not in their places. Many of the posts are now much out of perpendicular—a circumstance caused by the decay of the mud sills, posts, girts, and braces, and therefore may at any time, under any sudden impulse, entirely give way. Such a state of things must obviously necessitate immediate reparation or reconstruction.

3. Your Committee would respectfully suggest that to repair after the mode employed in the present structure, would be a waste of money, and attended by heavy expenditure to be repeated at short intervals, with no permanent effect.

Your Committee would therefore advise in the matter the following course:—First, that the portion of the present bridge, immediately spanning the river, be allowed to remain undisturbed for the present, as with a little, almost inexpensive adjustment, it may serve a useful purpose for some time to come.

4. Your Committee would also recommend that a competent person be employed by the Council to form a plan and specifications, necessary to the repair of said bridge; and that the sum of four hundred dollars be appropriated by your Council, for the purpose of repairing the same, to be expended by Messrs. John Coxworth, William Helliwell, and Stephen Closson, commissioners for that purpose.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) JOHN TABOR, *Chairman.*

Scarborough, June 26th, 1865.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of seventy-five cents be granted to beat No. 11, to be expended by the pathmaster of said beat, and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the same on order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of thirty-nine dollars be and is hereby appropriated to each Ward, for the purpose of paying for turnpike shovels, said sums to be paid to the order of the Councilman for each Ward. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of fifteen dollars be granted for the improvement of the road running between lots Nos. 26 and 27, Scarborough, situated north of the Kingston road, and extending from the Kingston road to concession C, and that William Hale and Jesse McClure, together with Alex. Thompson, be commissioners to expend said grant—grant to be paid by the Treasurer on the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 1. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the further sum of thirty dollars be granted for the purpose of repairing bridges and digging ditches between lots Nos. 12 and 13, in the fourth concession, and that Messrs. James Lawrie, John Crawford, and William McCowan, be appointed commissioners to expend the same; and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the said amount on order of the Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Wheler asked for leave to introduce a by-law to appoint a collector of taxes for 1865. Leave granted.

By-law introduced. Read a first and second time; and, on motion, the Council went into Committee of the whole thereon.

Mr. Clark in the chair.

Committee rose, reported by-law as amended.

Report received and adopted.

By-law read a third time and passed.

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BY-LAW No. 167.

*To appoint a Collector of Taxes for 1865.*

The Corporation of the Township of Scarborough enacts as follows:

That Daniel Ferguson be and is hereby appointed Collector of taxes for the current year, at a salary of eighty dollars.

Scarborough, June 26th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Town Clerk.*

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Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the head of this Council do direct the Clerk thereof to address a written communication immediately to Mr. Edward Wheler, thereby informing him that it is the desire of this Council that the mortgage made by him of the west half of lot No. twelve, in the ninth concession of the Township of Markham, securing to the Corporation of the Municipality of Scarborough the sum

of £825, and which matured on the fourth day of February, 1864, should be immediately satisfied, in accordance with the tenor of said mortgage, unless Mr. Wheler is prepared to negotiate with the Corporate Council of Scarborough for a further continuance of the loan of said mortgage money from said Council upon terms of the statute 27 Vic., chap. 17.

And furthermore, That the Clerk do request Mr. Wheler to immediately apprise this Council whether of the two alternatives indicated by this resolution he is disposed to adopt, and that the Clerk do submit, through the Reeve, to this Council, at its next meeting, all correspondence passed between him and Mr. Wheler on the subject of this resolution. Carried.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Chester, Tabor, and the Reeve.

*Nays*—Messrs. Clark and Wheler.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that this Council do now adjourn, and stand adjourned until the third Monday in July. Carried.

June 26th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## NINTH MEETING.

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SCARBOROUGH, July 17, 1865.

Council met this day at Mr. Johnston's Inn, Woburn.

**MEMBERS PRESENT.**—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; G. Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; W. Clark, Esq., J. Tabor, Esq., and J. P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last two meetings read and confirmed.

Presented by Mr. Stephenson, the petition of John A. Higgins and three others, praying the Council to grant money to repair the east town-line between Pickering and Scarborough.

Presented by the Reeve, a communication from Mr. E. Wheler regarding mortgage.

Presented by the Reeve, from B. W. Gossage, P.L.S., plan and specification of bridge to be built over the River Rouge, in the third concession.

Presented by the Reeve, account of B. W. Gossage, P.L.S., for preparing plan and specification of contemplated bridge over the River Rouge, amounting to \$16.

Presented by the Reeve, the petition of J. C. Jones, praying for aid.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of fifteen dollars be granted for the improvement of the third concession road, in front of lot No. 27; and that Mr. Thomas Kennady and Mr. William Patterson be commissioners to expend the same: said sum to be paid on the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 4. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of twenty dollars (\$20) be and is hereby granted to improve the hill on the town-line between Scarborough and Pickering, in the fourth concession; providing Pickering Council grant an equal amount; and that J. A. Higgins and Joseph Collins be appointed commissioners to expend the same, payable on the order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the Clerk is hereby authorized and required to give the notice required by sub-section 1 of section 321, chap. 54, C. S. U. C., that it is the intention of the Council of the Corporation of Scarborough to pass a By-Law for the stopping up and sale of that part of side-road between lots Nos. 4 and 5, third concession, also side-road between lots Nos. 6 and 7, from the front to the centre of said concession. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of eight dollars (\$8) be and is hereby granted for the relief of J. C. Jones, payable on order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the account of B. W. Gossage, amounting to \$16, for drawing plans and specifications of the bridge over the Big Rouge, in the third concession, be paid on order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that this Council do now adjourn, and stand adjourned until the third Monday in August. Carried.

July 17th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,  
*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## TENTH MEETING.

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SCARBOROUGH, August 21, 1865.

Council met this day at Johnston's Inn, Woburn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., and John P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved,

Petitions presented :

Presented by Mr. Chester, the requisition of the Trustees of School Section No. 3, requesting the Council to raise, levy, and collect from said section the sum of (\$140) one hundred and forty dollars, exclusive of the percentage for collecting.

(Signed) JOHN CRAWFORD,  
WILLIAM STONEHOUSE,  
THOMAS ORMEROD,  
*Trustees, No. 3.*

August 18, 1865.

Presented by the Reeve, the requisition of the Trustees of School Section No. 4, requesting the Council to collect from said section the sum of (\$140) one hundred and forty dollars, exclusive of cost for collecting

(Signed) JOHN PEARSE,  
JOHN SEWELL,  
*Trustees, No. 4.*

Scarborough, August 17, 1865.

Presented by Mr. Clark, the requisition of the Trustees of School Section No. 5, requesting the Council to collect from the said section the sum of (\$200) two hundred dollars, exclusive of cost for collection.

(Signed) THOMAS WHITESIDE,  
FRANCIS ARMSTRONG,  
ADAM BELL,

*Trustees, No. 5.*

August 21, 1865.

Presented by the Reeve, the requisition of Trustees of School Section No. 7, requesting the Council to collect from said section the sum of (\$200) two hundred dollars, exclusive of cost for collection.

(Signed) WILLIAM TREDWAY,  
WILLIAM HERON,  
JAMES ORMEROD,

*Trustees S. S. No. 7.*

Scarborough, August 19th, 1865.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the requisition of Trustees of School Section No. 8, requesting the Council to collect from said section the sum of (\$500) five hundred dollars, exclusive of cost for collection.

(Signed) JAMES McCOWAN,  
HENRY HOUGH,  
WILLIAM W. WALTON,

*Trustees S. S. No. 8.*

Scarborough, August 10th, 1865.

Presented by Mr. Tabor, the requisition of Trustees of School Section No. 10, requesting the Council to collect the sum of (\$200) two hundred dollars from said section, exclusive of cost for collecting.

(Signed) ADNA PHERRILL,  
IRA BATES,  
THOMAS BROWN,

*Trustees S. S. No. 10.*

Scarborough, July 20th, 1865.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of five dollars be granted for the relief of Mrs. West, and that the Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of ten dollars be granted to James Young, for extra work performed in completing the embankment in connection with the bridge over the Highland Creek, opposite lot No. 14, first concession; and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the same on the order of the Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of five dollars be granted for the relief of Horatio Dixon; and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the same into the hands of Mr. William Ferguson for said purpose. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Reeve be authorized to grant an order to Jane Key, for her admittance into the Toronto General Hospital, at the expense of this Municipality, until she can be admitted on the free list. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the Clerk be instructed to obtain, by the next meeting of this Council, a diagram and bearings of the side-road between lots Nos. 16 and 17, from the first concession to concession D., shewing the deviation of said road, and quantity of land taken from the lots on each side of said road; and also shewing the quantity of land between the present established road and the adjoining lots which may be disposed of by the Council. Carried.

Pursuant to notice given, as required by statute, Mr. Chester asked for leave to introduce a By-Law for the closing up and sale of a certain portion of the original allowance for road between lots Nos. 16 and 17, concession D. Leave given.

By-Law introduced and read a first time.

Pursuant to notice given, as required by statute, Mr. Wheler asked for leave to introduce a By-Law for the closing up and sale of the south halves of side-road allowances between lots Nos. 4 and 5 and Nos. 6 and 7, in the 3rd concession. Leave given.

By-Law introduced and read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheeler, James C. Small, Esq., owner of south-east quarter of lot No. 7, in the 3rd concession, was heard before the bar of the Council in reference to the passing of a By-Law for the closing up of the south half of the side-road between lots Nos. 6 and 7, in the 3rd concession. He stated that his land lay alongside of the road contemplated to be closed up, and that if said road was closed up he would be put to a good deal of expense and inconvenience, and would have to make a road on his own property at his own expense, in order to get to the north part of his property, and concluded by urging the Council not to close up said road, as it would be a serious damage to his property.

Mr. Wheeler asked for leave to introduce a By-Law for collecting school moneys. Leave given.

By-Law introduced, read a first, second, and third time, and passed.

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BY-LAW No. 168.

*To authorize the collecting of School Moneys.*

The Corporation of the Township of Scarborough enacts as follows :—

That the following named sums be levied and collected from the ratable property of the following named School Sections, viz.:

School Section, No. 3, the sum of \$140.

“	“	4,	“	140.
“	“	5,	“	200.
“	“	7,	“	200.
“	“	8,	“	500.
“	“	10,	“	200.

Said sums to be collected over and above all other rates and assessments for the current year, together with five per cent. for preparing the several rolls and collecting the same : to be divided as follows :—two-and-one-half per cent. for preparing the rolls, and two-and-one-half per cent. for collecting.

Scarborough, August 21st, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Town Clerk.*

Mr. Wheler moved for leave to introduce a By-law for levying a tax for Township purposes. Leave given.

By-law introduced. Read a first and second time.

On motion, the Council went into Committee of the whole thereon.

Mr. Chester in the chair.

Committee rose and reported the By-Law as amended.

Report received and adopted.

By-Law read a third time and passed, and signed by the Reeve.

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BY-LAW No. 169,

*For levying a Tax for Township Purposes.*

The Corporation of the Township of Scarborough enacts as follows:—

That there be raised, levied and collected from the ratable property of the Township, the sum of two mills in the dollar, in addition to all other rates and assessments for the current year, such tax to be applied in the payment of the general expenses of the Municipality.

Scarborough, August 21st, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

On motion, Mr. Wheler asked for leave to bring in a By-Law to authorize sundry appropriations in different Wards in this Municipality, for the improvement of roads and bridges. Leave given.

By-Law introduced, read a first, second, and third time, and passed and signed.

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BY-LAW No. 170,

*To authorize sundry Appropriations in the different Wards in this Municipality.*

The Corporation of the Township of Scarborough enacts as follows:—

That the several appropriations, as hereinafter named, be made to the different Wards of the Municipality for the purpose of making repairs to roads and bridges therein, that is to say:—

For Ward No. 1, the sum of	\$104	00
“ 2, “	612	25
“ 3, “	560	00
“ 4, “	409	00
“ 5, “	300	00

Such several and respective appropriations to be expended as before named, in such manner as the Councillors of the different wards may deem most conducive for the benefit of the public.

Passed August 21.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Town Clerk.*

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Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that this Council do now adjourn, and stand adjourned until the first Monday in November. Carried.

August 21st, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## ELEVENTH MEETING.

SCARBOROUGH, November 6th, 1865.

Council met this day at Johnston's Inn, Woburn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., and John P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The Reeve read and laid on the table the following communications, viz.:

From the Receiver General's Office, notifying the Municipality that the amount due from the ex-Municipalities Fund, 1864, is \$295 36, instead of the amount formerly notified, the difference in the two amounts is caused by the change in the financial year.

From George Brown, Esq., *Globe* office, an account for advertising of Court of Revision in *Weekly Globe* amounting to \$5 40.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of William Shirrefs and sixteen others, praying the Council to grant assistance to Charles Masterman.

Presented by the Reeve, the petition of Elizabeth Kirkland praying for aid. Signed by seven ratepayers.

Presented by Mr. Chester, the petition of Grata Gates, praying the Council to grant her aid. Signed by four ratepayers.

Presented by the Reeve, the petition of John C. Jones, praying the Council to grant him aid to meet the urgent claims of his landlord, and assist to remove him to the Township of Brock, where he has made arrangements with his relatives to secure a future home.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of five dollars (\$5) be and is hereby granted to William Clark, subject to the disposal of Mr. William Tredway, for the purchase of clothing for the said William Tredway: said sum so granted to be paid to the said William Tredway upon order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the sum of five dollars (\$5) be granted in accordance with the petition of sundry rate-payers, addressed to this Council, for the relief of Charles Masterman, said sum so granted to be paid to the said Charles Masterman upon the order of the Councillor of Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of five dollars (\$5) be granted for the relief of Horatio Dixon; and that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the same into the hands of Mr. William Ferguson for said purpose. Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the sum of five dollars (\$5) be and is hereby granted to Mrs. Elizabeth Kirkland, in answer to her petition for relief under indigent circumstances; said sum so granted to be paid to Mr. William Tredway on behalf of said Elizabeth Kirkland. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheeler, moved, that the sum of five dollars (\$5) be granted for the relief of Grata Gates, being in destitute circumstances, and that the Treasurer be and is authorized to pay the same on order of Councillor for Ward No. 3. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of eight dollars (\$8) be and is hereby granted for the relief of John C. Jones, said sum so granted to be paid to the said John Jones upon the order of the Reeve. Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of five dollars (\$5) be granted for the relief of Mrs. Elizabeth West, an indigent person, and that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the same. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Reeve do immediately, on behalf of this Council, consult legal counsel as to what may be deemed legal instructions for the direction of the commissioners appointed for the repair of the Rouge Bridge, and in the name and on the behalf of this Council impart to said commissioners the proper course of duty in relation to the duties of their commission. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Reeve, together with Mr. Chester, be and are hereby authorized and appointed by this Council to consult counsel learned in the law with reference to the validity of a certain mortgage held by the Municipality of Scarborough against the west half of lot No. 12, in the ninth concession of Markham, with especial regard to the following points;—1st. As legality of said mortgage, as involving the action and duty of the corporation therein in a legal point of view. 2nd. As regards the extent of the indemnity afforded the municipality by the statute of 1863; and furthermore, that after consultation had, the said parties, as above commissioned, do and shall report to this Council as early as possible the result of their consultation. Carried.

Mr. Wheler asked for leave to bring in a By-law to appoint Returning Officers for 1866, and places for holding the municipal elections. Leave given.

By-law introduced, and read the first and second time ; and the Council went into Committee of the whole thereon.

Mr. Wheler in the chair.

The Committee rose, reported the by-law as amended.

Report received and adopted.

The by-law was then read the third time, and passed.

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BY-LAW No. 171.

*To authorize the appointing of Returning Officers, and places for holding the Municipal Elections for 1866.*

The Corporation of the Township of Scarborough enacts as follows :—

That the following named persons be and are hereby appointed as Returning Officers for the different wards, viz.:—

For Ward No 1. Mr. Henry Hogarth, Returning Officer.

“ 2. Mr. Stephen Closson, “

“ 3. Mr. John Crawford, “

“ 4. Mr. Daniel Ferguson, “

‘ 5. Mr. William Clark, Jr. “

*And be it further enacted,* That the following named places be and are hereby appointed as fit and proper places at which to hold said elections, viz.:—

For Ward No. 1—At School House, Section No. 10.

For Ward No. 2—At School House, Section No. 7.

For Ward No. 3—At Johnston’s Hall, lot No. 19, con. 1st.

For Ward No. 4—At Temperance Hall, Mount Meldrum, lot No. 24, con. 3rd.

For Ward No. 5—At School House, section No. 5, lot No. 30, con. 2nd.

*And further,* That the Reeve is hereby authorized to issue warrants accordingly.

November 6th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Tabor, moved, that the sum of six dollars (\$6) be paid Patrick Cavanagh for repairs done to the Rouge Bridge, near Mr. Gorrie's place, third concession; and that the Councillor for Ward No. 2 grant an order on the Treasurer for said amount. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clarke, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay Mr. James Humphrey, the sum of four dollars and seventy-one cents (\$4.71), being the cost for placing a culvert across the first concession, opposite lot No. 15. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet again on the first Monday in December ensuing. Carried.

Nov. 6, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

J. CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## TWELFTH MEETING.

(SPECIAL.)

MONDAY, November 23rd, 1865.

Pursuant to call of the Reeve, the Council met at Mr. William Johnston's Inn, Woburn, this 23rd day of November.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., John P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

The Reeve read and laid on the table the following communications, viz.:

From Messrs. Paterson, Harrison & Paterson, legal opinions regarding a road through Mr. Gorrie's place, lot No. 5, con. 3, Scarboro', and also an opinion on a mortgage held by this Corporation against Edward Wheler, of the west half of lot No. 12, in the ninth concession of Markham. They read as follows.

ONTARIO HALL,  
TORONTO, November 10th, 1865.

D. G. STEPHENSON, Esq.,  
Reeve of Scarborough,  
Highland Creek P. O.

DEAR SIR,

In reference to the question submitted to us, under your direction, by Mr. Closson, one of the commissioners appointed by the township council for expending certain moneys in repair of roads, &c., we have examined the deed of Messrs Eaton & Peters to the township and accompanying plan. When Mr. Closson spoke to us on the subject, we were under the impression that Mr. Gorrie, the present possessor of lot No. 5, in the 3rd concession, had acquired his title from Mr. Eaton *subsequently* to the deed from Mr. Eaton to the corporation; and Mr. Closson was also under that impression. We have since made a search at the Registry Office, and find that the mortgage from Eaton to Gorrie, and under which partially his title is derived, bears date a few weeks *prior* to the deed from Eaton to the township, and was duly registered, and that neither it nor the deed of release of the equity of redemption afterwards obtained by Mr. Gorrie from Eaton's assigns, makes any reservation or mention of the road. Under these circumstances, we fear that the deed to the municipal corporation would not be held a good grant as against Gorrie's title, but that the character of the road as a highway would have to be established by facts independently of the grant. The Municipal Act (C.S.U.C. ch. 54, sec. 313,) defines what shall be deemed a public highway. It is there provided, amongst other things, that all roads whereon the public money has been expended for opening the same, or whereon the statute labour has been usually performed, shall be deemed common and public highways. We understand that public money was expended, and statute labour usually performed, on this road. We think, therefore, that it must be deemed a highway to the extent and width actually travelled and used as a road; but as it is in parts not enclosed by any fence, and in other parts fenced in only to the width of about twenty feet, we are inclined to the opinion that the right of a public highway could

only be successfully asserted as against Gorrie, to the extent actually enclosed or travelled as a road, and not to the full width contemplated by the grant. The consequence is that, in our opinion, the Municipal Corporation and the contractors for repair of the Rouge bridge on the road would, in strict law, be wrong-doers in taking sand or gravel outside of the fence or the actual line of travelled road where not fenced.

As, however, it seems a matter of great urgency, and even of necessity for the public interests, that the gravel for filling in at the ends of the bridge should be obtained at once, and as it can only be (in accordance with the contract entered into) outside of the limits described in the grant, and as, at the worst, any damages Mr. Gorrie could recover would probably be very trifling, we think it would be well, perhaps, should the Municipal Council think proper, under the circumstances, to proceed with the work as if the grant of the road were in all respects valid, even at the risk of being subjected to a small measure of damages. And we would advise the Council without delay to take the necessary steps under the Municipal Act, to have the road, as described in the grant, established by By-Law as a public highway, and so remove any question on the subject in future.

Yours truly,

(Signed) PATERSON, HARRISON & PATERSON.

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ONTARIO HALL,  
TORONTO, November 18th, 1865.

D. G. STEPHENSON, Esq.,  
Reeve of Scarborough,  
Highland Creek Post Office.

DEAR SIR,

We have examined the mortgage from Edward Wheler and wife to the Corporation of the Township of Scarborough, dated 4th February, 1857, securing the sum of £825, loaned to Mr. Wheler by the Township out of moneys derived from "The Upper Canada Municipalities Fund." We understand that no By-Law was passed by the Township relative to these moneys, but that they have been all along set apart and appro-

apropriated for educational purposes by the Township Council according to the Clergy Reserve Act (C.S.C. ch. 25, sec. 11), we think a by-law should have been passed defining the purpose for which these moneys and the proceeds from investments should be applied, and then the investments should have been made in the purchase of debentures mentioned in the act, and not by mortgage on real estate. And we are inclined to think that, for these reasons, the members of the council who authorized this loan would be liable to the corporation for any loss that might arise from insufficiency of the security. But we are not prepared to say that the mortgage would have been held, even under the act of the Consolidated Statutes, invalid; on the contrary, we think that, at all events, the covenant for the payment of the money could have been enforced by action against Wheler, and possibly the security on the land also, though considerable doubt may exist on this latter point. However that may be, we are strongly of opinion that the mortgage is made valid by the Act of 1863, ch. 17, s. 2. This act seems to contemplate that when mortgages mature, the money should be invested in other like securities. As the mortgage in question is now past due, and as Mr. Wheler seems unable or unwilling to pay, and as the sum is large to be outstanding on the security of one hundred acres of land, we would advise the Council to take steps without delay to have the amount realized, by a bill in Chancery for a sale of the lands.

The Act of 1863 requires that the moneys for the Upper Canada Municipalities Fund should be set apart by by-law. As this has not been done by your corporation (though we understand that it has been set apart and appropriated by *resolution* of the council). We would also advise that a by-law be at once passed reciting the purpose for which these moneys have been set apart, and defining the purposes for which the moneys and their proceeds are to be continued to be held and appropriated in accordance with the act.

Your most obedient servants,

(Signed) PATERSON, HARRISON & PATERSON.

P. S.—Since writing the above, we have been informed by a member of the Council that a By-Law has been passed.

P., H. & P.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that in consequence of various sources of embarrassment presenting themselves to this Council, as regards the improvement of what is commonly called the Markham and Port Union road, in the Township of Scarborough, it is expedient and feasible, under the circumstances, that another line of road be adopted, more especially harmonizing with the interests of this Municipality, and that, in pursuance of this object, Messrs. Wheler, Stephenson, and Chester, be a committee to report to this Council, at its next meeting, the results of their investigation of this subject, and they are hereby authorized to make such exploration as to them may seem necessary to effect so desirable an end.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved in amendment, that, whereas a portion of the side road allowance between lots Nos. 4 and 5, third concession, is considered impracticable as a public highway, and it is deemed necessary for the public good to open up a new road in lieu thereof,

*Be it therefore Resolved*, That the Reeve be, and is hereby authorized to employ a competent provincial land surveyor to examine the ground, and select the best and most convenient location for a new line of road, with a view of having the same established in accordance with the Municipal Act of U. C. Carried.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Clark, Wheler, and the Reeve,

*Nays*—Mr. Tabor.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the head of this Council be and is hereby instructed, authorized and empowered, to take such steps (immediately) as may be deemed strictly requisite, to recover and collect all moneys due to this Municipality, under and by virtue of a certain indenture of mortgage held by this Municipality against the westerly half of lot number twelve, in the ninth concession of Markham. And furthermore, to report to this Council at its next meeting all such proceedings, and the results thereof, as shall have been taken and arrived at in prosecution of the duties enjoined by this resolution.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved in amendment, that the Clerk be instructed to intimate to Mr. E. Wheler that he will be required to pay the mortgage that this Municipality holds on his property on or before the 4th of February, 1866. Lost.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Clark and Wheler.

*Nays*—Messrs. Chester, Tabor, and the Reeve.

The original motion was then put and carried.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Chester, Tabor, and the Reeve.

*Nays*—Messrs. Clark and Wheeler.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that this Council do now adjourn. Carried.

November 23rd, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## THIRTEENTH MEETING.

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SCARBOROUGH, December 4, 1865.

Council met this day at Johnston's Inn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., John Tabor, Esq., and John P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last two meetings read and signed by the Reeve.

The Reeve read and laid on the table the following communication :—

From the Trustees of the Toronto General Hospital, with account amounting to \$22.30.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to the Trustees of the Toronto General Hospital the sum of twenty-two dollars and thirty cents (\$22.30) the amount of account rendered. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that this Council do now accept of the proposition of Mr. Gorrie, as regards the improvement of the road passing over lot No. 5, in the third concession of Scarborough, the terms of which proposition are as follows : that is to say, Mr. Gorrie to convey by full assurance to this Council a right of way, as it now courses over lot No. 5, as aforesaid, thirty feet in width ; also to convey and assign to Mr. Tabor two separate rights of way over said lot No. 5, as well as over the allowance for road adjoining the same from the public road passing over lot No. 5, to lot No. 4, the property of Mr. Tabor, one of said rights of way to be as near as possible to the north side of the Rouge bridge, and the other at or about the centre of said lot No. 4 : said ways to be each 20 feet in width. Mr. Tabor to make one-half of the fences to enclose said roads. In consideration of which this Council to convey to Mr. Gorrie the allowance for road passing between lots Nos. 4 and 5, to the centre of said lots, excepting such part of said allowance as now forms a part of Port Union Road ; also pay to said Gorrie thirty dollars (\$30) when the above arrangements shall have been completed in due form of law. Carried.

*Yeas*—Messrs. Clark, Chester, and Tabor.

*Nay*—Mr. Wheler.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay to the proprietor of the *Globe* newspaper the sum of five dollars and forty cents (\$5.40), the amount due for advertising for the Court of Revision. Carried.

Mr. Tabor, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet again on Friday, the 29th instant. Carried.

December 4th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

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## FOURTEENTH MEETING.

SCARBOROUGH, December 29th, 1865.

Council met this day at Johnston's Inn, Woburn.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—Donald G. Stephenson, Esq., *Reeve*; George Chester, Esq., *Deputy Reeve*; William Clark, Esq., and John P. Wheler, Esq.

The Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read.

The Reeve read and laid on the table the following communications, viz.—

An account from W. C. Chewett & Co., amounting to \$10.04, for stationery furnished to the corporation during 1865.

Also, an account from H. Rowsell, for printing, and blank forms, amounting to \$7, for the corporation, during 1865.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay Henry Rowsell the sum of seven dollars, the amount of bill rendered for printing, stationery, &c. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay W. C. Chewett & Co., the sum of ten dollars and four cents, the amount of bill rendered for stationery, &c. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay Mr. Daniel Ferguson the sum of ten dollars, for taking the vote on prohibitory by-law, &c., notifying occupants and owners of non-resident lands in 1865. Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to John P. Wheler the sum of six dollars, for three days' attendance taking vote on prohibitory liquor law. Carried.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to give the Collector credit for the sum of five dollars and fifty-six cents, the amount of taxes due by parties removed from the Municipality. Amount for 1864, \$1.95; for 1865, \$3.61; total, \$5.56. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the sum of five dollars be granted for the relief of Charles Masterman, being in destitute circumstances, and that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the same into the hands of Mr. John Irving for said purpose. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, for leave to bring in a By-Law for licensing temperance houses and houses of public entertainment. Leave given.

By-Law read the first and second time.

On motion, the Council went into Committee of the Whole thereon.

Mr. Wheler in the chair.

Committee rose, and reported having made some progress : asked leave to sit again.

Report received and adopted.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer's account for postage, amounting to eight dollars and fifty-nine cents, be allowed.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that the sum of sixty dollars be granted to John Crawford, for travelling expenses and extra services for the year 1865.

Mr. Wheler, seconded by Mr. Clark, moved, that the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to the Reeve the sum of one dollar, expense incurred in sending a destitute coloured man to Toronto, and keeping him over night. Carried.

Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Chester, moved, that the sum of five dollars be and is hereby granted for the relief of Mrs. Dougherty, and that the Treasurer pay the same into the hands of the Reeve, to be expended by him. Carried.

Mr. Chester, seconded by Mr. Wheler, moved, that this Council do now adjourn *sine die*.

December 29th, 1865.

DONALD G. STEPHENSON,

*Town Reeve.*

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Clerk.*

### ABSTRACT STATEMENT

*Of Amount of Collector's Roll for the year 1865, and Amount collected, on 30th December ; also, Amount of Non-resident Taxes returned to County Treasurer for Collection, 1865.*

Dec. 30. To amount collected .....	\$6220 03	
Less parties removed .....	3 61	
		<u>\$6223 64</u>
"    " amount Non-resident Taxes returned to County Treasurer for Collection .....	167 70	
"    " amount due by Collector .....	107 59	
		<u><u>\$6498 98</u></u>

#### RESIDENT ROLL.

By County Taxes .....	\$2425 97	
" Township Taxes .....	2375 40	
" Dox Tax .....	84 75	
" Statute Labour .....	16 88	
" Local Tax, School Section, No. 3.....	\$142 94	
"    "    "    "    No. 4.....	143 21	
"    "    "    "    No. 5.....	212 45	
"    "    "    "    No. 7.....	202 13	
"    "    "    "    No. 8.....	530 77	
"    "    "    "    No. 10.....	196 73	
		<u>1428 23</u>
		<u><u>\$6331 23</u></u>

#### NON-RESIDENT ROLL.

By County and Township Taxes .....	\$123 55	
" Local Tax, School Section, No. 3.....	\$5 71	
"    "    "    "    No. 4.....	7 06	
"    "    "    "    No. 7.....	8 91	
"    "    "    "    No. 9.....	6 14	
"    "    "    "    No. 10.....	16 33	
		<u>44 15</u>
		<u>167 70</u>
		<u><u>\$6498 98</u></u>

JOHN CRAWFORD,  
*Treasurer.*

**ACCOUNTS OF SCARBORO' MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.**

JOHN CRAWFORD, *Treasurer, in account with the Municipality  
of Scarborough for the year ending 31st Dec., 1865.*

**RECEIPTS.**

DR.

1865.  
Jan. 2nd. To balance from 31st December, 1864 ..... \$678 54

LICENSE CERTIFICATES.

Feb'y	20.	To	cash	from	Alexander	Thompson	.....	\$33	00
"	"	"	"	"	Alexander	Moffat	.....	33	00
"	"	"	"	"	Richard	Sylvester	.....	33	00
"	"	"	"	"	Samuel	Mighton	.....	33	00
	23.	"	"	"	Eli	Shackleton	.....	33	00
"	"	"	"	"	Jonathan	Baird	.....	33	00
	27.	"	"	"	Ingol	Burton	.....	33	00
March	2.	"	"	"	William	Burton	.....	33	00
"	6.	"	"	"	William	Johnston	.....	33	00
"	"	"	"	"	William	Keeler	.....	33	00
								330	00

NON-RESIDENT TAXES.

March	15.	To	cash	from	J. S. Howard,	taxes,	1864	.....	\$70	13
"	"	"	"	"	J. S. Howard,	warrant,	1863	.....	309	41
								\$379	54	
					Less charged by Sheriff,	unpaid tax	.....	\$0	95	
					Aid redemption Grand Trunk lot,	wrong-				
					fully sold	.....	7	12		
								8	07	
								371	47	

TAXES OF 1864.

April	17.	To	cash	from	D. Ferguson,	Collector	.....	\$100	00		
July	"	"	"	"	"	"	.....	144	00		
"	18.	"	"	"	"	"	.....	21	31		
Dec.	30.	"	"	"	"	"	.....				
								Balance of Taxes, 1864.....	\$52	25	
								Less parties removed.....	\$1	95	
								Wm. Heller's taxes, nothing to			
								distrain	.....	9	33
								11	28		
								40	97		
								306	28		

## FOR TAXES OF 1865.

1865.		Dr.		
Oct.	9.	To cash from D. Ferguson, Collector	.....	\$590 00
"	23.	" " " "	.....	442 00
Nov.	7.	" " " "	.....	869 00
Dec.	5.	" " " "	.....	1945 21
"	12.	" " " "	.....	1086 92
"	28.	" " " "	.....	944 51
"	30.	" " " "	.....	
		On account of taxes.....		\$346 00
		Less parties removed .....		3 61
				<u>342 39</u>
				6220 03
Dec.	4.	To Cash from A. & W. Forfar, securities of the late Treasurer, James Moyle.....		285 76
FINES FROM MAGISTRATES.				
Dec.	4.	To cash from William Helliwell, J. P., fines imposed on the following parties:—		
		Mrs. Ranney.....		\$4 00
		Nelson Gates.....		5 00
		John Warff.....		5 00
		S. Mamlin .....		2 00
				<u>16 00</u>
				<u>\$8208 08</u>

## DISBURSEMENTS.

1865.		Cr.		
Jan.	7	By Cash paid Henry Pettit, Constable, attendance at Temperance Election, 3 days...		\$3 00
"	7	" A. Armstrong, Constable, attendance at Temperance Election, 3 days.....		3 00
"	17	" George Desbarats, for publishing Notice of Application to Parliament for a Bill to confirm Survey.....		5 00
"	21	" John Helliwell, Solicitor, for opinions and services rendered in 1861 .....		12 50.
Feb.	20	" Thomas Stephenson, for use of Hall, and wood, at Municipal Election, Ward No. 2		2 50
"	25	" Smith Thompson, for use of Hall, and wood, at Temperance Election .....		6 00

1865.	CR.	
March 6	By cash paid John Irving, for Paper and Ink, furnished to Council in the year 1864 ...	\$0 70
" 15	" George Brown, for publishing Notices of Temperance Election on By-law .....	1 00
" 15	" George Brown, for advertising Notice to Parliament of a Bill regarding Survey ...	33 90
May 1	" William Johnston, for Dinner, on return of the Volunteers .....	32 00
" 9	" Henry Rowsell, for Stationery .....	1 74
" 9	" " Printing 500 copies of Minutes of Council, and 100 Blank Notices .....	60 00
June 19	" J. P. Wheler, expenses attending Court, case of <i>The Queen v. James Moyle</i> .....	10 00
" 26	" F. F. Passmore, P.L.S., extra services regarding Survey.....	16 20
Dec. 6	" George Brown for Advertising Notice of Court of Revision.....	5 40
" 6	" F. F. Passmore, P.L.S., for levelling Grand Trunk Railway Embankment, and drawing Plan of same across Lots Nos. 6, 7, and 8, Concession D.....	11 00
" 29	" J. P. Wheler, for attendance at Temperance Election, 3 days .....	6 00
" 29	" John Crawford, Clerk and Treasurer, Postage, and sundry expenses connected with said offices.....	8 59
" 30	" Henry Rowsell, for printing 100 sheets Blank Statute Labour Lists .....	7 00
" 30	" Wm. C. Chewett & Co., for Minute Book and Stationery, as per account .....	10 04
" 30	" B. W. Gossage, P.L.S., for preparing Plan and Specification of Job at Rouge Bridge, over Lot No. 5, concession 3rd .....	16 00
" 30	" D. Ferguson, for attendance at Temperance Election three days, and notifying non-residents.....	10 00
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## COUNTY TAXES.

Jan. 4	" J. S. Howard, Co. Treasurer, Taxes, 1864,	\$450 19
" 17	" Do. do. do.	4 34
Dec. 6	" Do. do. do. 1865,	2425 89
		----- 2880 42

## CHARITY ACCOUNT.

1865.	Cr.	
Jan. 16	By cash paid Mrs. Clark, for relief of Wm. Clark	\$6 00
Feb. 20	“ William Tredway, do. do. ....	7 00
April 17	“ Do. do. do. ....	8 00
June 19	“ Do. do. do. ....	6 00
July 17	“ Do. do. do. ....	7 00
Aug. 21	“ Do. do. do. ....	5 00
Nov. 6	“ Do. do. do. ....	11 00
Dec. 4	“ Do. do. do. ....	5 00
“ 4	“ Do. do. do. ....	4 00
“ 29	“ Do. do. do. ....	4 00
Jan. 17	“ John Irving, for relief of C. Champaigne ...	8 00
Feb. 20	“ Rose Ann Purdy, for keep and clothing of founding child.....	16 00
“ 20	“ Do. do. do. ....	2 98
May 29	“ Do. do. do. ....	15 00
“ 29	“ Do. do. do. ....	3 00
Nov. 6	“ Do. do. do. ....	27 60
Dec. 29	“ Do. do. do. ....	8 40
Feb. 20	“ Elizabeth West, for relief.....	6 00
May 29	“ do. do. ....	5 00
June 21	“ do. do. ....	5 00
Nov. 6	“ do. do. ....	5 00
March 6	“ Frederick Ellis, for relief .....	10 00
April 17	“ John C. Jones, for relief .....	10 00
July 17	“ Do. do. ....	8 00
Nov. 6	“ Do. do. ....	8 00
April 17	“ C. Masterman, for relief .....	4 00
Nov. 6	“ Do. do. ....	5 00
Dec. 29	“ John Irving, for C. Masterman.....	5 00
March 8	“ Mrs. Malcom, for relief of John Hays.....	5 00
May 1	“ George Chester, do. do. ....	15 00
June 26	“ John O. Donohue, for care and funeral ex- penses of Patrick Mahon, who died at his place.....	10 88
“ 26	“ William Ferguson, for relief of Horatio Dickson .....	5 00
Aug. 29	“ Do. do. do. ....	5 00
Nov. 7	“ Do. do. do. ....	5 00
“ 6	“ W. Tredway, for relief of Elizabeth Kirk- land .....	5 00
“ 25	“ Grata Gates, for relief .....	5 00
Dec. 29	“ D. Stephenson, expenses incurred on a pauper .....	1 00
“ 29	“ D. Stephenson, for relief of Mrs. Dougherty,	5 00

1865.		CR.	
Dec.	30	By cash paid Toronto General Hospital—	
		For John Dyer.....	\$2 25
		For Robert Hackett.....	7 80
		For Peter Kennady ... ..	5 25
		For Jane Yellowbee.....	7 00
			22 30
			----- \$299 16

## WARD No. 1.

June	26	“ John O. Donohua, for timber for a culvert in John Herron’s beat .....	\$2 50
July	17	“ George Walton, for timber for a culvert on beat No. 51 .....	2 50
“	17	“ J. P. Wheler, for 2669 ft. plank, at \$6.50 per M., for roads.....	17 34
Oct.	8	“ John FitzGibbon, for cutting down hill and building a bridge on con. D, near School No. 8 .....	60 00
Nov.	6	“ James Stephens, for work done on road between lots Nos. 26 and 27, con. B.....	15 00
Dec.	4	“ James Palmer, Sen., for 350 ft. of plank, and drawing the same .....	3 28
“	9	“ Richard Thomson, for 656 feet of plank, for beat No. 56.....	4 60
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			105 22

## WARD No. 2.

Feb.	20	“ King Parker, for plank and work done on road between Lots Nos. 6 and 7, con. 4... ..	\$4 63
Mar.	23	“ Peter Cavanagh, for clearing ice at Rouge Bridge, Lot No. 5, con. 3rd.....	10 00
April	17	“ George Bambridge, for repairing two bolts for Rouge Bridge, between Lots Nos. 4 and 5, con. 4.....	2 50
June	12	“ William Camps, for digging stumps on road between Lots Nos. 10 and 11, con. 3rd... ..	2 45
“	19	“ Thomas Stephenson, for plank for beats Nos. 6, 16, 17 and 20 .....	14 99
“	20	“ Henry Peters, for building Bridge and cutting down hill, front of Lot No. 4, concession 4th.....	20 00
“	21	“ Joseph Booth, for work done on the road between Lots Nos. 10 and 11, con. 3rd... ..	26 00
“	22	“ Joseph Lee, for gravelling 1st con. road, front of Lot No. 2 .....	2 00

1865.		Cr.	
June	22	By cash paid William Booth, for taking out two stumps on road between Lots Nos. 10 and 11, con. 3rd .....	\$1 55
"	23	" T. & G. Morgan, for Turpike Shovels for beats Nos. 6, 14 and 23 .....	21 00
"	26	" Patrick Cavanagh, for work done on beat No. 11 .....	0 75
July	19	" Thomas Stephenson, for plank.....	4 55
Nov.	6	" Patrick Cavanagh, for repairing Bridge on Lot No. 5, con. 3rd .....	6 00
"	6	" William Tredway, for nails for culvert for road, front of Lots Nos. 8 and 9, con. 1st .....	0 50
"	6	" Thos. Stephenson, for 400 feet plank for E. Richardson's beat.....	2 60
"	6	" William Westney, for taking out two stones on the Danforth Road .....	1 50
"	15	" Thomas Brown, advance made for work in progress at the Rouge Bridge, Lot No. 5, con. 3rd.....	200 00
"	18	" Charles Rawson, for work done on the 1st concession road, front of Lot No. 2 .....	6 00
Dec.	1	" T. & G. Morgan, for a Turnpike Shovel for beat No. 12 .....	7 00
"	4	" Robert Carter, for repairing culvert and grading hill on the 4th concession road, front Lot No. 3 .....	15 00
"	4	" E. Richardson, for building culverts on road between Lots Nos. 4 and 5, con. 2..	5 00
"	5	" Simeon Reesor, for plank and repairing Bridge on the 4th concession, front of Lot No. 3 .....	0 80
"	9	" James Carter, for work done on the Town Line between Pickering and Scarboro', concession 4th .....	20 00
"	9	" William A. Milne, for turnpiking done on the 4th concession road, front Lots Nos. 9 and 10.. .....	6 00
"	23	" Thomas Brown, on account for building abutment, culvert and earthwork at end of Bridge over Lot No. 5, con. 3rd.....	200 00
"	26	" D. A. Milne, for gravelling road between Lots Nos. 10 and 11, con. 3rd .....	5 00
"	29	" John Wilson, for bridging and causewaying on the 2nd con. front of Lots Nos. 11 and 12 .....	25 00
			<hr/> 610 95

## WARD No. 3.

1865.		CR.	
Jan.	18	By cash paid Andrew Walls, for work done on the 4th con. road, front of Lots Nos. 13 and 14 .....	\$9 75
Mar.	10	" Robt. McEnery, for putting a culvert on road between Lots Nos. 14 and 15, con. 3rd...	4 50
June	19	" Thomas Stephenson, for plank for Joseph Telford's beat .....	2 41
	27	" James Law, for work done on the 4th con. road, front of Lots Nos. 13 and 14 .....	8 50
July	12	" James Purvis and Joseph Harrington, grant for Bridge on Markham Road, concession 2nd.....	160 00
	17	" J. P. Wheler, for plank for roads .....	3 58
	24	" David A. Thomson, on account, for building a Bridge, 1st con. road, front Lot No. 15.....	40 00
	26	" J. R. Thomson, for plank for roads in beats Nos. 36 and 39 .....	8 54
Aug.	2	" William Young, for building Bridge on the first con. road, front of Lot No. 14.....	86 50
	10	" James Lawrie, for plank .....	6 40
	21	" D. A. Thomson, balance for Bridge on 1st con. road, front of Lot No. 15.....	6 00
	26	" James Young, for work done at the end of Bridge on 1st con. front of Lot No. 14...	39 88
Sept.	9	" Edward Donnelly, for work at Bridge on 1st con. front of Lot No. 15 .....	21 75
Oct.	16	" Joseph Bowden, for two Turnpike Shovels...	13 00
Nov.	6	" James Humphrey, for a culvert on the 1st con. road, front of Lot No. 15.....	4 71
	23	" William Young, for plank for the 1st con. road, front of Lot No. 13.....	2 69
Dec.	4	" Joseph Hall, for drawing plans and specifications of Bridges on the first con. front of Lots Nos. 14 and 15.....	2 00
	8	" George Cook, for embankment done at the Rouge Bridge, rear of Lot No. 12, north Town Line... ..	75 00
	9	" William McCowan, for ditching and turnpiking road between Lots Nos. 12 and 13, con. 4th .....	50 00
	11	" William A. Milne, for 1770 feet plank for Bridges and Culverts ....	12 39
	29	" Joseph Bowden, for a Turnpike Shovel.....	6 50

1865.		CR.	
Dec.	29	By cash paid John Richardson, for cutting and building a Bridge on road between Lots Nos. 14 and 15, con. D.....	\$12 00
"	30	" Robert Crow, for a Turnpike Shovel.....	6 50
			———— \$582 60

## WARD No. 4.

Feb.	20	" Thomas Richardson, for work done on the 3rd con. road, front Lot No. 23.....	1 00
May	1	" Alexander Greenlee, for putting in a Culvert on road between Lots Nos. 20 and 21, con. 1st .....	3 50
June	22	" John W. Thomson, for work done on road between Lots Nos. 26 and 27, con. 2nd,	15 00
July	4	" John Milne, for plank .....	11 74
"	4	" John Milne, for timber for a Bridge between Lots Nos. 24 and 25, con. 3rd.....	10 00
"	8	" John W. Thomson, for work done on road between Lots Nos. 24 and 25, con. 2nd...	25 00
"	17	" John P. Wheler, for plank .....	4 75
"	17	" Joseph Bowden, for four Turnpike Shovels,	26 00
"	19	" James Brown, for work done on the 3rd con. front of Lot No. 26.....	8 63
Sept.	26	" John Thomson, for work done on road between Lots Nos. 22 and 23, con. 2nd.....	36 25
"	30	" George Dennis, for work done on the 3rd con. road, front of Lots Nos. 21 and 22...	75 44
Oct.	12	" John Chapman, for building a Bridge on the 3rd con. front of Lot No. 28 .....	57 00
Nov.	6	" Thomas Kennady, for work done at Bridge on 3rd con. road, front of Lot No. 28.....	3 00
"	6	" John P. Wheler, for repairing Bridge on road between Lot Nos. 20 and 21, con. D,	2 00
"	7	" William Forfar, for timber for Bridge on road between Lots Nos. 26 and 27, con. 2nd .....	50 00
"	13	" Thomas Harding, for a Turnpike Shovel for beat No. 5 .....	6 50
"	20	" John L. Paterson, for work done on the 3rd con. road, front of Lot No. 27.....	20 00
"	28	" John Walton, for building Bridge and cutting hill on road between Lots Nos. 26 and 27, con. 2nd .....	45 00
Dec.	2	" Stephenson Cook, for work done on the 1st con. front of Lots Nos. 25 and 26.....	40 00

		CR.	
1865.	Dec.	8 By cash paid Richard Thomson, for repairing Bridges on the 2nd con. front of Lots Nos. 25 and 26 .....	\$1 50
	"	12 " John Thomson, for work done on the road between Lots No. 26 and 27, con. 2nd...	5 00
	"	29 " Joseph Bowden, for a Turnpike Shovel.....	6 50
	"	29 " Stephenson Cook, for work done on the 1st con. front of Lots Nos. 27 and 28.....	12 00
			----- \$465 81

WARD No. 5.

June	26	" William Davieson, for digging and burning stumps on the Kennady road, 3rd and 4th con. ....	41 00
July	4	" John Milne, for 2709 feet plank .....	16 61
Aug.	25	" Henry Nelson, for building Culvert on Town Line between York and Scarborough, opposite con. D.....	93 00
Sept.	4	" John Chapman, for 1743 feet plank .....	10 45
Oct.	16	" Edward Armstrong, for turnpiking on road between Lots Nos. 32 and 33, con. D ...	12 00
	"	16 " William Davieson, for turnpiking on road between Lots Nos. 28 and 29, con. 4th...	20 00
Nov.	15	" John Wright, for turnpiking on road be- tween Lots Nos. 34 and 35, con. 4.....	30 00
	"	30 " John Chapman, for plank .....	1 18
			----- 224 24
			\$5429 97

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS' SALARIES.

Feb.	21	" James Ormerod, Inspector .....	\$15 00
April	17	" John Muir, Returning Officer .....	4 00
May	1	" George A. Palmer, Returning Officer.....	4 00
	"	29 " William Shirrefs, Auditor.....	6 00
July	17	" Daniel Ferguson, Assessor .....	70 00
	"	17 " Do. Returning Officer.....	4 00
Nov.	6	" Do. Selector Jurors.....	6 00
	"	6 " George Chester, Selector Jurors.....	6 00
	"	6 " John Crawford, Selector Jurors.....	6 00
Dec.	29	" Do. Clerk and Treasurer .....	240 00
	"	29 " Do. Extra services .....	60 00
	"	29 " William Dickson, Auditor .....	6 00
	"	29 " William A. Milne, Returning Officer .....	4 00
	"	30 " William Clark, Returning Officer .....	4 00
	"	30 " Daniel Ferguson, Collector .....	80 00
			----- 515 00

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MEMBERS' WAGES.

1865.		Cr.	
Dec.	29	By cash paid D. G. Stephenson, Councillor...	\$21 00
"	29	" William Clark, do. ....	21 00
"	29	" John P. Wheler, do. ....	21 00
"	29	" George Chester, do. ....	21 00
"	29	" John Tabor, do. ....	19 50
			<hr/> \$108 50
			<hr/> \$6048 47

LOCAL SCHOOL TAXES.

Nov.	18	" James McCowan, S. S. No. 8 .....	504 24
Dec.	19	" John Pearce, S. S. No. 4 ... ..	\$136 05
		Non-resident.....	7 06
			<hr/> 143 11
"	23	" William Tredway, S. S. No. 11 ...	\$187 63
		Non-resident .....	8 91
			<hr/> 196 54
"	26	" Thomas Whiteside, S. S. No. 5 .....	201 83
"	29	" Thomas Brown, S. S. No. 10 .....	\$186 89
		Non-resident.....	16 33
			<hr/> 203 22
"	30	" John Crawford, S. S. No. 3.....	\$135 79
		Non-resident.....	5 71
			<hr/> 141 50
"	30	" John Crawford, for preparing School Rolls.	35 48
"	30	" Daniel Ferguson, Collecting .....	35 70
"	30	" Jacob Brumwell, error, School Roll No. 7...	4 62
			<hr/> 1466 24
			<hr/> \$7514 71
"	30	" Balance in hand.....	693 37
			<hr/> \$8208 08
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JOHN CRAWFORD,

*Treasurer.*

Examined and found correct.

WILLIAM DICKSON,  
SIMON MILLER,

*Auditors.*

February 7, 1866.

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## ABSTRACT OF THE DETAILED STATEMENT

*Of Receipts and Disbursements of the Corporation of Scarborough,  
for the year ending December 31, 1865.*

### RECEIPTS.

To Cash balance, 31st December, 1864 .....	\$678 54
“ License Certificates .....	330 00
“ Non-resident Tax.....	371 47
“ Balance Taxes, 1864 .....	306 28
“ Taxes, 1865 .....	6220 03
“ Sureties of late Treasurer .....	285 76
“ Magistrates' Fines .....	16 00
	\$8208 08

### DISBURSEMENTS.

By Cash paid General Expenditure .....	\$261 57
“ County Taxes, balance, 1864.....	454 53
“ County Taxes, 1865.....	2425 89
“ Charity .....	299 16
“ Ward No. 1 .....	\$105 22
“ Ward No. 2 .....	610 95
“ Ward No. 3 .....	582 60
“ Ward No. 4 .....	465 81
“ Ward No. 5 .....	224 24
	1988 82
“ Township Officers .....	515 00
“ Local School Taxes .....	1466 24
“ Members' Wages .....	103 50
Balance on hand .....	693 37
	\$8208 08

JOHN CRAWFORD,

*Treasurer.*

Dec. 31, 1865.

## ABSTRACT OF THE FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

*Of Scarborough Corporation, on the 31st December, 1865.*

### ASSETS.

Cash in hand, 31st December, 1865 .....	\$693 37
Amount due from William Hiller and John Henderson, Taxes on Lot No. 35, Concession B., 1864 .....	9 33
Amount due by Collector .....	107 59
	\$810 29
	\$810 29

### LIABILITIES.

Amount due to Ward No. 1.....	\$105 08
“ “ 2.....	11 93
“ “ 3.....	21 89
“ “ 4.....	86 60
“ “ 5.....	85 49
“ School Section No. 9, Non-resident Tax .....	6 14
	\$317 13
Balance Assets in excess of Liabilities.....	493 16
	\$810 29

JOHN CRAWFORD,

*Treasurer.*

Examined and found correct.

WILLIAM DICKSON,

SIMON MILLER,

*Auditors.*

Feb. 7, 1866.

**MUNICIPALITIES' FUND ACCOUNT,**

*Invested for Common School Purposes for the year ending 31st  
December, 1865.*

1865.		CASH.	DR.
Jan.	2	To balance from last account, December 31st, 1864.....	\$333 56
"	9	By cash G. Chester, Treas., S.S. No. 9, Debenture pd. up,	200 00
"	16	" A. M. Secor, do. S.S. No. 6, do.	400 00
Oct.	11	" A. M. Secor, do. S.S. No. 6, do.	400 00
Dec.	30	" From Receiver General.....	295 36
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			\$1628 92
1865.		CONTRA.	CR.
Jan.	16	By cash paid A. M. Secor, Treasurer S. S. No. 6, for a Debenture .....	\$400 00
Dec.	30	" Balance on hand uninvested.....	1228 92
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			\$1628 92

**AMOUNT OF MUNICIPALITIES' FUND, INVESTED AND  
UNINVESTED,**

*On the 30th December, 1865, the Interest of which is set apart for  
Common School purposes.*

1865.		DR.	
Dec.	30	To amount on Mortgage.....	\$3300 00
"	30	" Do. City of Toronto Debentures.....	3800 00
"	30	" Do. S. S. No. 6 do. . . . .	400 00
"	30	" Do. S. S. No. 9 do. . . . .	400 00
"	30	" Do. Uninvested .....	1228 92
"	30	" Do. Due from Securities of late Treasurer...	162 07
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			\$9290 99
1865.		CR.	
Dec.	30	By balance, per contra .....	\$9290 99
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JOHN CRAWFORD,  
*Treasurer.*

We have examined the foregoing, and find Cash and Securities to be \$9128 92 (nine thousand one hundred and twenty-eight dollars and ninety-two cents), the difference or balance, \$162.07 (one hundred and sixty-two dollars and seven cents) remains against the late Treasurer.

WILLIAM DICKSON,  
SIMON MILLER,  
*Auditors.*

Feb. 7, 1866.

## INTEREST ACCOUNT.

1865.		DR.	
Jan.	2	To cash balance, December 31st, 1864, due School Sections Nos. 2, 7, 8, 10 and 11.....	\$92 54
"	9	" From George Chester, Treasurer S. S. No. 9, one year's interest on 3 Debentures of \$200 each, at 8 per cent., to Jan. 13th, 1865 .....	\$48 00
"	16	" A. M. Secor, Treasurer S. S. No. 6, one year's interest on Debenture of \$400, to date, at 8 per cent. ....	32 00
"	16	" Through Bank of Upper Canada, half year's interest on \$3800 Debentures, City Toronto, at 6 per cent., to Jan. 1st, 1865...	114 00
Feb.	20	" E. Wheler, half year's interest on Mortgage to Feb. 4th, 1865.....	132 00
July	11	" Through Bank of Upper Canada, half year's interest on Debentures to July 1st, 1865,	114 00
Aug.	16	" Interest on Bank deposit for 6 months on \$533, at 4 per cent.....	10 66
Oct.	11	" From A. M. Secor, Treasurer S. S. No. 6, interest on \$400 for 1 year, at 8 per cent.	32 00
Nov.	6	" E. Wheler, half year's interest on Mortgage, to August 4th .....	132 00
			<hr/> 614 66
			<hr/> <hr/> \$707 20

1865.		CR.	
Jan.	23	" By cash paid M. Macklin, Jr., Treas. S. S. No. 2.....	\$28 46
Feb.	4	" Do. A. Annis, do. do. 11.....	21 40
"	4	" Do. Thomas Brown, do. do. 10.....	14 56
"	23	" Do. Wm. Tredway, do. do. 7.....	14 56
"	25	" Do. Jas. McCowan, do. do. 8.....	13 56
July	13	" Do. M. Macklin, Jr., do. do. 2.....	30 00
"	17	" Do. Wm. Tredway, do. do. 7.....	30 00
"	17	" Do. Thomas Brown, do. do. 10.....	30 00
"	17	" Do. Geo. Chester, do. do. 9.....	30 00
"	20	" Do. A. M. Secor, do. do. 6.....	30 00
"	21	" Do. Jas. McCowan, do. do. 8.....	30 00
Aug.	2	" Do. Simon Miller, do. do. 1.....	30 00
"	26	" Do. John Pearse, do. do. 4.....	30 00
Oct.	4	" Do. John Stevens, do. do. 11.....	15 00

1865.

Cr.

Dec. 26	By cash paid	Thos. Whiteside, Treas.	S. S. No. 5.....	\$30 00
" 27	" Do.	John Pearse, do.	do. 4.....	28 52
" 29	" Do.	Thomas Brown, do.	do. 10.....	28 52
" 30	" Do.	John Crawford, do.	do. 3.....	58 52
" 30	" Do.	M. Macklin, Jr., do.	do. 2.....	28 52
" 30	" Do.	Geo. Chester, do.	do. 9.....	28 52

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 \$550 14

Dec. 30	By cash balance due	S. S. No. 1.....	\$28 52
" 30	" Do. do. do.	5.....	28 52
" 30	" Do. do. do.	6.....	28 52
" 30	" Do. do. do.	7.....	28 52
" 30	" Do. do. do.	8.....	28 52
" 30	" Do. do. do.	11.....	14 46

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JOHN CRAWFORD,

*Treasurer.*

Examined and found correct.

WILLIAM DICKSON,  
SIMON MILLER,*Auditors.*

Feb. 7, 1866.

## AUDITORS' REPORT.

*To the Town Reeve and Municipal Council of the Township of  
Scarborough.*

We have examined the Township Accounts for the year 1865, and report as follows :—

### ABSTRACT STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND CASH.

1865.	CASH.	Dr.
Jan. 2	To Cash, Balance, 31st December, 1864.....	\$678 54
	“ License Certificate Account .....	330 00
March 15	“ Non-resident Account .....	371 47
	“ Balance Taxes, 1864, Account ..	306 28
Dec. 30	“ Taxes for 1865 Account .....	6220 03
4	“ From Securities of late Treasurer, Account...	285 76
	“ Magistrates' Fines Account.....	16 00
		\$8208 08

### THE GENERAL EXPENDITURE FOR TOWNSHIP PURPOSES.

1865.	Cr.
By Cash, General Expenditure Account .....	\$261 57
“ Balance County Tax, 1864 .....	454 53
“ County Tax Account, 1865.....	2425 89
“ Charity Account .....	299 16
“ To Wards 1 to 5 .....	1988 82
“ Township Officers' Account .....	515 00
“ Local School Tax Account .....	1466 24
“ Members' Wages Account .....	103 50
“ Balance on hand, December, 30, 1865.....	693 37
	\$8208 08

**CLERGY RESERVE FUND.**

1865.	CASH.	DR.
Jan. 2	To Balance from 1864 .....	\$333 56
	“ Debentures paid up.....	1000 00
Dec. 30	“ Cash from Municipalities' Fund .....	295 36
		<u>\$1628 92</u>
1865.	CONTRA.	CR.
Jan. 16	By Cash paid for Debenture .....	\$400 00
	“ Balance on hand uninvested ..	1228 92
		<u>\$1628 92</u>

**CLERGY RESERVE FUND INTEREST ACCOUNT.**

1864. Dec. 30	To Balance .....	\$92 54
	“ Total Interest on Securities .....	614 66
		<u>\$707 20</u>
	Cash paid to School Sections .....	\$550 14
	Balance due School Sections .....	157 06
		<u>\$707 20</u>

**THE SECURITIES.**

1865. Dec. 30	On Mortgage in Mr. Harrison's hands.....	\$3300 00
	City of Toronto Debentures .....	3800 00
	School Section No. 6, Debenture .....	400 00
	“ 9, “ .....	400 00
	Amount uninvested .....	1228 92
	Amount due from Securities of the late Treasurer .....	162 07
		<u>\$9290 99</u>

**ASSETS.**

Cash in hand, December 30, 1865, as per account.....	\$693 37
Due from William Hiller and John Henderson, Taxes, 1864 .....	9 33
Amount due from Collector of Taxes, 1865.....	167 59
	<u>\$810 29</u>

**LIABILITIES.**

Amount due Ward No. 1, as per account.....	\$105 08
“ “ 2, “ .....	11 93
“ “ 3, “ .....	21 89
“ “ 4, “ .....	86 60
“ “ 5, “ .....	85 49
Non-resident Tax due School Section No. 9.....	6 14
	<u>\$317 13</u>
Balance, Assets in excess of Liabilities.....	493 16
	<u>\$810 29</u>

WILLIAM DICKSON,  
SIMON MILLER,

Feb. 7, 1866.

*Auditors.*

