

not to exceed thirty dollars. Carried.

Moved by Mr. McCastille seconded by Mr. Hill  
that orders be drawn on the Treasurer for the  
following amounts: viz

George Black	Reve	Ten Sittings	at \$1.50	\$15.00
Robert Murdock's	Councillor	"	"	15.00
John Gruff	"	"	"	15.00
Thomas Hill	"	"	"	15.00
George McCastille	"	"	"	15.00
				\$75.00
				Carried.

Council then adjourned this day

Robert Hill  
Clerk

George Black Reve

Cobden Town Hall January 20<sup>th</sup> 1877

Pursuant to the Statute the Municipal Council  
of the Township of Ross met in the Town Hall Cobden  
on the aforesaid date. George Black Esq. Reeve  
and by resolution declared the following  
The Councillors Elect were Messrs  
George McCastille John Gruff Robert Murdock  
David Cook.

The aforesaid all having taken the  
oath of office and Qualification of Councillors.  
after which the aforesaid formed themselves  
into a Council for the transaction of general Township  
business. The same presiding

Minutes of former Meeting were read approved  
of and signed by the Reeve and Clerk.

A petition from the ratepayers of the village  
of Cobden praying for a Separation from School Section  
No one and to form a new School out of the aforesaid  
Section to be called S.S. No. 10.

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Moved by Mr. Craft seconded by Mr. McConkie that Robert Allen be appointed to the office of Township Treasurer for the year 1879. Carried.

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 A. S. Coleman and } auditors  
 John Delaney } appointed by the Reeve  
 Pathmasters

Thomas Matheson Christopher Crozier Duncan McEwen  
 Robert Allan Henry Childers George Haly Daniel Campbell  
 Richard Edmonds William Tuffley Mrs. Sonor Mrs. Gair  
 John Gick (son) Wm. McCulloch Peter Ferguson James Little  
 Henry Hill son of <sup>the late</sup> James Hill Thomas Hill Thomas  
 Blackwell Thomas Mike Reynolds McMillan Alex. Bell  
 Mrs. Appleby Donald McLean Francis Bryson Francis Nair  
 Charles Hyde Alex. McLarn <sup>Patnauld</sup> <sup>Rockford</sup> Robert Bulmer  
 Edward Bulmer Leonard Brown James Johnston Thomas  
 Brown Matthew Freeman Mrs. Rose Robert Johnston John  
 McLellan Samuel Rankin Thomas Wallace Samuel  
 Peckers Wm. Mitchell and John McEwen.

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 Peter Ferguson Michael Gorman Henry Thibault  
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Moved by Mr. M. Castile seconded by  
Mr. Coole that George Church get an order  
on the Treasurer for the sum of \$10.<sup>00</sup> for work done  
on the fifth Concession Line. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Murdock seconded by Mr. M. Castile  
that Bylaw No 1 for the purpose of appointing Township  
Officers for the year 1879 be brought up and read  
the first time. Carried.

The Bylaw was read a first time accordingly.

Moved by Mr. M. Castile seconded by Mr. Graft  
that John Wilson receive an order on the Treasurer  
for the sum of \$4.<sup>00</sup> for wood for Town Hall and  
cleaning stove pipes. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Murdock seconded by Mr. M. Castile  
that Bylaw No 1 for the purpose of appointing Township  
Officers be brought up and read the second and  
third time short & passed. Carried.

The Bylaw was read a second and third time short  
and passed accordingly.

Moved by Mr. Graft seconded by Mr. Murdock  
that the petition of the Ratepayers of Golden be laid  
over until the next meeting of Council. Carried.

Moved by Mr. M. Castile seconded by Mr. Graft  
that the Clerk receive an order on the Treasurer for  
the sum of \$2.<sup>00</sup> dollars being for election purposes. Carried.

Moved by Mr. M. Castile seconded by Mr. Graft  
that Edward Sully receive an order on the Treasurer  
for the sum eight dollars and seventy five cents for  
the blasting of Roeman Sully's Well. Carried.

Moved by Mr. M. Castile seconded by Mr. Graft  
that the time for the Collector to return his roll  
be extended until the last Saturday of  
February 1879. Carried.

Moved by Mr Murdock seconded by Mr Cook  
that this Council do now adjourn to meet  
again at Foursters Falls on the Last Saturday  
in February 1879. Carried

Edward Tuffy

George Woods Pres

Wm pro town Foursters Falls School House  
Feb 27 1879

Pursuant to adjournment the Municipal  
Council of the Township of Ross met  
in the School House Foursters Falls on the  
aforesaid date. (The Pres presiding)

1<sup>st</sup> Moved by John Graff seconded by  
Robert Murdoch that Edward Tuffy  
be appointed Chrd. pro tem, in absence  
of the Town Chrd. "Carried"

2<sup>nd</sup> Moved by Mr Murdock seconded by Mr M<sup>rd</sup> Cook  
that the prayer of the Petition Daniel Lacey and  
others be granted with regard to separation of  
School Section 2101. Carried

3<sup>rd</sup> Moved by Mr Murdock seconded by Mr Cook  
that Thomas Smith be exempt from tax for  
the year 1878. Carried

4<sup>th</sup> Moved by Mr Cook seconded by Mr Murdock  
that the Clerk be instructed to give notice to the  
parties concerned with the blank line between the  
fifth and sixth concessions be notified personally  
to move all obstructions of the Road, allowance  
that is commencing at the Town line between  
Aborton and Ross and leaving off at the Proving  
line between lots 20 and 21 all to be moved  
on or before the first day of May next