

Town hall Cobden January 18th 1886  
 The Reeve and Councilors for the township of Ross Met  
 in the townhall Cobden on the above mentioned day  
 after taking the Messary oath of office and signing  
 the declaration of the same each Member took his seat  
 Minutes of former Meeting were read approved of and  
 signed by the Reeve and Clerk.  
 Mr Jamison gives Notice that he will at this present  
 sitting of Council introduce a bylaw for the purpose  
 of appointing township officers for the present year  
 Moved by Mr Humphries and second by Mr Jamison  
 that bylaw No 14 for the purpose of appointing township  
 officers for the present year be brought up and read  
 first time Carried

Bylaw No 14 was brought up and read a first time  
 Moved by Mr Delehay and second by Mr Jamison that  
 Bylaw No 14 for the of appointing township officers  
 for the present year be brought up and read a second  
 time and that the blanks be filled in with the  
 different names as follows John Reynolds Clerk salary  
 \$ 75 Robert Allen treasurer salary \$ 60 John Mc Ginn  
 Assessor salary \$ 45 John Howie Collector salary \$ 50  
 Pathmaster George Baits Christopher Crozier Duncan Mc  
 Ewen Robert Allen James Jessup Nathaniel Olmstead  
 John Campbell Gilbert Edmons Wm Tuffey Wm Fonia  
 Wm Gould Robert Lee Peter McCullough Adam Smith  
 John Gardine Wm Lynch Daniel Woods James Eady  
 Tho Hill James Clever Dawson Elliott James Hill  
 Wm J Mc Neil Robert Mc Linn John Broom Alex Mc  
 Linn Hugh Gilmore Wm Mc Laughlin James Jack  
 James Bingham James Titzius Robert Ridley  
 Tho Broom James Blackie Robert Hukothorn  
 John Fraser Samuel Rankin Samuel Mc Fectors  
 Francis Crozier John Mc Dermott George Ross John  
 Howie Wm J Ginn Edward Bealmer Tho Mc Kay  
 Michael Vivill Robert Hailly Abraham Tucker

John Hill and Joseph Merchant  
 Pound Keepers Wm. Tomu  
 Hugh Gilmore John R M Donald, Adniam Smith  
 Thomas Blackwell Robert Pully John Florice Henry  
 Royce Hiney Childhouse and John M. Donnelly  
 Fence Viewers James Grant Jt  
 Edward Bulmer Alexander M. Lorn Nathaniel Elmstead  
 David Cook Wm Gould, Peter M. Cullough James  
 Jessup and John R M Donald  
 Sanitary Committee George M. Caskill John  
 Reynolds Dr. Patten Deloma Dawson Elliott  
 Auditors W. S. Coleman and

Edward Tupper, Joseph Thacker to furnish wood and  
 take care of town hall for the present year and receive  
 \$5 for same

Moved by Mr. Humphreys and second by Mr. M. Alistair that  
 Bayland cloth be bought up and red at their time short and  
 passed

Bayland cloth was brought up and red at their time  
 Moved by Mr. Delahay and second by Mr. Humphreys that the  
 collectors time for returning the roll be extended untill  
 the first of March

Moved by Mr. Delahay and second by Mr. M. Alistair that an order be  
 drawn on the treasurer in favour of James Melanor for  
 the sum of five dollars for work on highway

Moved by Mr. Delahay and second by Richard Humphreys  
 that an order be drawn on the treasurer in favour of B. G.  
 Miller for the sum of \$13 for printing minutes of Council

Moved by Mr. Delahay and second by Mr. M. Alistair that an order be  
 drawn on the treasurer in favour of Joseph Thacker for the sum  
 of \$7 for wood and taking care of hall

Moved by Mr. Humphreys and second by Mr. M. Alistair that the petition of Mr. H. H. H.  
 and others be left over till next meeting  
 Moved by Mr. Humphreys  
 and second by Mr. M. Alistair that this council do meet again to  
 meet on the third saturday in February

John [Signature]