

Moved by Mr McLann seconded by Mr Jeffery that a vote be taken on the question of prohibiting the mowing at large of cattle on the public highways of the Township to be taken at the Municipal election in January 1902. Carried

On Motion of Mr Curry seconded by Mr Bennett Council adjourned sine die.

H. P. Kirk  
Clerk

W. Jas Childers  
Reeve.

Town Hall, Cobden,  
13th Jan'y 1902

The members elect of the Township of Ross viz: - W. Jas. Childers Reeve; Joseph Bennett, Wm Black, Geo. Dalry and John Jeffery Councillors met at 11 o'clock this forenoon. After subscribing and taking their declaration of office and qualification they proceeded with business, the Reeve in the Chair.

Minutes of previous meeting were read, approved and signed by the Reeve.

Moved by Mr Jeffery seconded by Mr Black that this Council do now adjourn till 10 o'clock Carried

Pursuant to adjournment Council again resumed present as before.

#### Applications

For the office of Treasurer: Jas Wallace salary asked \$45<sup>00</sup>

For the office of Collector: - H. McEwen do do \$45<sup>00</sup>

David Cook salary asked \$40<sup>00</sup>

For the office of Road Com. J. J. McKim salary asked

\$40<sup>00</sup>, Thos. Appleby salary asked \$25<sup>00</sup>

H. Cook salary asked \$35<sup>00</sup>

Notices of their intention at present meeting of council to pass bylaws were given as follows.

1st. For the appointment of Township Officers by Mr Bennett

2<sup>nd</sup> To provide for the payment of moneys by Mr Black.

Moved by Mr Bennett seconded by Mr Black that Bylaw No 198 for the appointment of Township officers be now introduced and read a first time.

The Bylaw was read a first time Carried  
Moved by Mr Black seconded by Mr Bennett that Bylaw No 199 for the payment of certain moneys mentioned therein be now introduced and read a first time.

The Bylaw was read a first time.

Moved by Mr Bennett seconded by Mr Jeffery that the Clerk subscribe for 6 copies of the Municipal World. Carried

Moved by Mr Hally seconded by Mr Jeffery that Bylaw No 198 have the blanks filled in with the names of H. R. Kirk Clerk. at \$40<sup>00</sup>, Robt Allen, Treasurer at \$50<sup>00</sup>, Jas Mc Ginn Assessor at \$45<sup>00</sup>, David Cook Collector at \$40<sup>00</sup>, J. R. McDonald Caretaker at \$20<sup>00</sup>, W. H. Collins Auditor at \$4<sup>00</sup>, P. R. Ponder Auditor at \$4<sup>00</sup>, Geo P. Sigurdson Sr. Sanitary Inspector @ \$10<sup>00</sup>

Thos. Appleby do do 10<sup>00</sup>

and then brought up and read a second and third time short and passed.

Carried

The blanks were filled in accordingly and then brought up and read a second and third time short and passed.

Moved by Mr Haly seconded by Mr Jeffery that the clerk certify as follows:

- 1st All municipal officers to take and subscribe the declaration of office
- 2 Pastmasters of road between Crosswicks Falls and Cobden to keep same in a passable condition and also pastmasters of road leading from Haly's to Portage Wis. Fork
- 3 The sum of Cobden to return to their proper places the Road scrapers in his possession belonging to the Township of Ross

Carried

Moved by Mr Bennett seconded by Mr Black that the appointments of Road Machine Operator Road Commissioner, pastmasters, fence viewers and pound keepers be left over till next meeting of council.

Carried

The following are the names of the Board of Health:

W. J. Childhouse, W. R. Kirk, John Jeffery  
John Mc Larn and Geo. Pettigrew Jr.  
The Main Medical Health Officer.

Moved by Mr Bennett seconded by Mr Black that the following bills and accounts be paid and orders drawn on the Treasurer for same.

Clerk Election expenses	\$ 24.45
D. B. Elliot Ballots	2.00
Mime World for Blounts	5.19
S. C. Mitchell do	4.50
Roll-Downard drain across road near bridge	2.00
W. J. Childhouse Legal advice	1.25
W. R. Kirk cont. to Mime World	5.00

Carried

Moved by Mr Bennett sec. by Mr Jeffery that Mr Elliott's time for collecting taxes be extended till the 1st March

Carried

Moved by Mr Dalry seconded by Mr Bennett  
that By Law No 199 be filed in as per res-  
olution of Council and then brought up  
and had a second and third time  
short and passed.

Carried

The Bylaw was filed in accordingly and  
then had a second and third time  
short and passed.

Moved by Mr Jeffery seconded by Mr  
Dalry that Mr B. Elliotts offer re. sprinkling  
be accepted

Carried

On motion of Mr Jeffery seconded by  
Mr Black Council now adjourned to  
meet again on the first Saturday  
in March at 10 O'Clock A.M.

W. R. Kirk  
Clerk

W. Jas. Childers  
Pres

Town Hall Cobden

1st March 1902

The Municipal Council of the  
Municipality of Ross assembled at ten  
O'Clock this forenoon for the trans-  
action of the general business  
of the Township.

All the members present  
except Mr Black; the Reverend  
in the Chair.

Minutes of former meeting were  
accepted as read, confirmed and  
signed by the same.

Applications <sup>from Mr Jeffery</sup> at <sup>the</sup> <sup>office</sup> of Assessor  
at <sup>the</sup> <sup>office</sup> of Assessor.

For the office of Road Commissioner  
R. Brown salary asked \$30 <sup>and</sup>  
for the office of Assessor  
W. McCarty salary asked \$35 <sup>and</sup>