

Council Chambers, Forster's Falls,
December 2, 1905.

The Municipal Council of the Township of Ross assembled this forenoon at eleven o'clock for the transaction of general business with all the members except Mr Hoffman present, the Revue in the chair. Minutes of last meeting of Council were read, and on motion of Mr Ross seconded by Mr Daley confirmed and signed by the Revue.

The Road commissioner reported on the condition of Roads and Bridges throughout the township.

Messrs Ross and Appleby tendered a report regarding Bridge at Pluncon Mc Larons. Mr Appleby had given the contract for the building of this bridge to Mr Robert Peur. Said contract to be completed by February 1906 if possible.

Mr John Blackwell informed the council that he had put in a certain amount in his road division and requested pay for same. On motion of Mr Ross seconded by Mr Black Council adjourned for one hour.

Council again resumed present as before.

Mr Black gives notice that he will at this present meeting of council introduce a by law for the purpose of appointing Deputy Returning Officers for the three polling sub-divisions of the Township of Ross.

Mr Samuel Drew, Warden of the County of Renfrew appeared before and addressed the council in the interests of Good Roads. He had been appointed by the county

Council at a special meeting held at Ringwood usually to designate and set apart certain roads in this part of the county to be taken over and maintained by the county. This council was more familiar with the main thoroughfares in the township of Ross than was the case therefore came to them for advice. It was his intention he said that Ross should receive his share in the cost of the scheme being approved of. The Clerk was instructed to prepare a map of the Township showing the roads decided upon by the Council, to forward the same to Mr Drew, who would present it to the County Council at its next session.

Communications from J. L. Morris and S. E. Mitchell were read.

Messrs Childhouse and Ross tendered a report re. their attending the meeting of the County Council on the 22nd ultimo re. Good Roads Scheme.

Messrs Black and Ross, who were appointed at last meeting to interview Mr Robt Bulmer re. road through his Lot reported that they were unable to effect a settlement.

Rev. D. L. Gordon - solicited aid towards the public library in Fountains Falls. On motion of Mr Black seconded by Mr Halcy, he was tendered \$15⁰⁰ in aid of the said society.

Mr Robt Bulmer appeared before the Council re. the road in dispute but no agreement was arrived at.

Mr F. J. Moran suggested that a couple of changes be made in the Plans of Falls Bury

On motion of Mr Daley seconded by Mr Black the changes were made as suggested.

Moved by Mr Ross seconded by Mr Daley that an order be drawn on the treasurer in favor of Edgar Caswell for \$1200.00 for building of Falls bridge said amount to be placed in the inspectors hands, to be paid to Mr Caswell as the work progresses. Carried.

Mr R.C. Pomer appeared before the council in regard to a wire fence which he built along the road. The council did not take any action in the matter as they have no wire fence bonus in this township.

Moved by Mr Ross seconded by Mr Daley that the Clerks salary be increased \$25.00 in view of extra work performed this year. Carried.

On motion of Mr Ross seconded by Mr Black Bylaw No 240 for the appointment of blpby Returning Officers for the three polling subdivisions of the township of Ross was read a first time and on motion of Mr Black seconded by Mr Daley the blanks were filled in with the names of John Mc Ginn for polling subdivision No 1, W.R. Kirk for polling subdivision No 2 and John Jardine for polling subdivision No 3. and then read a second and third time short and passed.

Moved by Mr Ross seconded by Mr Daley that the following bills and accounts be paid and orders drawn on the treasurer for same viz: -

A. B. Elliott, Printing and advertising.	\$57.25
Municipal World for supplies	4.98
W.R. Kirk, Postage & Stationery	4.94
W. J. Childerhose, Salary as Reve 18 ⁰⁰ Selecting ^{3⁰⁰} jurors	21.00
Expenses to County Council, ^{15⁰⁰} Freight charges and	

Telegrapher \$1.13 Looking after Cobden Road. \$4.50
Legal Advice \$2.50 Wm Black Salary as councillor
\$18.00 and interviewing R Bulmer re road. \$1.50

W.C. Ross salary as councillor \$18.00 attending county
Council re. Good Roads \$1.50 Throwing Plans & Speci-
fications of Falls Bridge \$2.50 Inspecting Bridge at
Muncan Mc Lannis \$1.50 and interviewing R Bulmer
re Road. \$1.00

Robt Dalry Salary as Councillor \$18.00 and measuring
roads 1.00

Robert Hoffman Salary as Councillor \$18.00

W.R. Kirk salary as clerk ^{100.00} and selecting Jurors 3.00 Mr Brown,
Medical Health Officer \$10.00 W.J. Childhouse salary Board of
Health 3.00 Robert Elliott services Board of Health 3.00 John
Jiffy services Board of Health 3.00 J.W. McLann services Board
of Health 3.00 W.R. Kirk services Board of Health 3.00

George Pettigrew Sanitary Inspector 10.00 Buying dead
horse 2.00 Waiting on diphtheria patients 28.65

R.C. Pever Sanitary Inspector 10.00 John McLowell
Graveling Road \$35.00 Thos Appleby Repairing Culvert & work
on road \$10.00 Thos Dalry Repairing Bridge \$5.00 John
Gordon Building Bridge \$24.50 Thos Robinson
Building Bridge \$24.50 Thos Eady. Balance for care-
taking of hall. \$2.50 Alex Mc Bride sharpening
drills \$12.30 John Blackwell, Building Culvert \$4.00
and Cider \$7.20 Thos Appleby, Salary Road Commis-
sioner \$35.00 and advertising small Road notices 1.50

Andrew Rathwell Building Bridge \$8.00 Rev. H.L.
Gordon Grant to Falls Library \$15.00 Robt
Bulmer Culvert tile \$195.25. Good Roads Mach-
inery Co for Repairs for Road Grader \$16.00. Edgar
Caswell. Park Payment for work on Falls bridge \$12.00

John Burnett Repairing Bridge. 75.00
R. Bulmer Putting down and up fences on account
of Road through his place in winter time. \$2.50
Carried. On motion of Mr Dalry seconded by Mr Black
Council adjourned sine die. Robert Dalry
W.R. Kirk, Clerk