

COUNTY COUNCIL.

Upper Woodstock,
Jan 12th

County Council met in regular session this morning. Warden Frank R Shaw in the chair.

The councillors present were as follows:

Aberdeen—D H Lamont, E S Gillmor
Brighton—C J Connolly, Ailen Bradley

Kent—John Keenan, John Kinney
Northampton—Alex Brown, H Phillips

Richmond—Alex Bell, John Hay
Simonds—O Shaw, W C Rideout

Wakefield—F R Shaw, A G Bell
Wilmot—John Williams, R Burns

King
Wicklow—W J Owens, C Estey
Peel—Will Tompkins, E W Melville

Woodstock Parish—F B Bull, John Flemming

Woodstock Town—J Rankin Brown, H D Stevens, Wm Balmain.

J C Hartley, sec-treas, being confined to his house by illness, the minutes were read by J P Malaney.

D McLeod Vince, auditor, submitted his report as follows:—

To the Municipality of the County of Carleton.

MR WARDEN AND GENTLEMEN:

The undersigned begs leave to report:—

That from his examination of the secretary-treasurer's books and of the accounts of such collectors of rates and other officials who had reported it appears:—

1 That the secretary-treasurer has received on account of county rates, etc., since 14th January, 1908, to 11th January, 1909.

(a) Balance on hand 14th January 1908	4190 06
(b) Aberdeen	604 00
Brighton	1561 00
Kent	1124 71
Northampton	867 94
Peel	509 64
Simonds	584 70
Richmond	1945 05
Wakefield	1615 66
Wicklow	1433 47
Wilmot	2065 18
Woodstock	1456 66
Town of do	2714 00
	16432 01

(c) County grounds, rent	16 00
(d) Registrar of Deeds, 1907	349 00
(e) Pedlars License	58 00
(f) Pro Govt's Jury Fees	2188 70
(g) C T Acct	1645 11

Amount received 24928 88
Total paid to Jan 11, 1909 22487 46

Balance on hand	\$2441 42
Which bal consists of cash in hand of Sec-Treas	399 34
Bank Balance	2311 07
Less cheques issued but not paid	268 00
	2042 08
	2441 42

2 The undersigned considers his duty to reiterate that it is impossible to make a satisfactory audit of the accounts of the secretary-treasurer and of the several collectors and other officials receiving money on account of the county, unless he is furnished on or before the 31st day of December with the report of the collector of rates and other officials.

3 Report or statements of accounts have not been received from the following collectors:—

The collectors in Brighton
The collectors in Kent
The collectors in Simonds
The collectors in Wilmot

No moneys are credited as having been paid for Jury Fees to the clerk of the circuits.

Clerk of the county council.
Clerk of the Circuits as Deputy Registrar of the Court.

5 The following parishes are indebted to the county:—

Aberdeen	14 89
Brighton	533 78
Kent	691 78
Northampton	117 18
Peel	151 17
Simonds	181 81
Richmonds	891 74
Wakefield	615 36
Wicklow	325 24
Woodstock	321 79

7 The county is indebted to the parish of Wilmot in the sum of \$508.81.

Respectfully Submitted,
D McLEOD VINCE, Auditor.
January 12th, 1909.

The auditor informed the council that the town of Woodstock was not indebted to the county at all now. The town pays each year \$2714.00 to county purposes.

Coun Melville explained that the parish of Peel had a balance last year of \$143.00. The assessment was \$551.00 and we collected \$652.00. It was back taxes in connection with lunatic asylum of \$227.00 which put Peel behind.

To Coun Williams the auditor said that the parish of Wilmot paid for one pauper lunatic, he thought.

The report was duly accepted.

The Auditor spoke of the difficulty he had in submitting a report where

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there was such dilatoriness in sending in returns by the Collectors. If these returns were rendered promptly before the 31st Dec. of each year, it would be very much easier all around. It was necessary to compare the Collectors reports with the secretary-treasurer's report of receipts. The lack of system was unfair all around the fault was in the Collectors, not in the secretary-treasurer.

Coun Estey suggested that Collectors be dismissed when they do not report by the end of December.

Coun Bradley said he was perpetually urging Collectors to report promptly and they said they would, but did not.

Coun Stevens thought the fault was with the council in appointing men who could not do their duties.

Coun Williams said in his parish they removed one Collector and the new one made no report. Collector Webb always made a clean sheet. He understood another collector was ready with his report.

Coun Bradley said Collector Swim was in town to see Mr Hartley, and found he was away. He did not know he could make his returns to Mr Vince.

Auditor—Your other Collector came with his report but it was incomplete. He had not receipts.

Coun Williams suggested that the council consider the matter during its recess and prepare a resolution before adjournment.

Upon motion T O L Ketchum was appointed official reporter at the same salary as last year.

Coun Stevens on behalf of the Building Committee submitted the following report:—

Mr Warden and Members of the County Council of the County of Carleton, N. B.

We your Building Committee beg to report the following expenditures during the year:

COUNTY JAIL	
1908	
Jan 27. 1 Cord wood	\$ 4 00
Feb 10. H E Burt, glass, paint, &c.	5 43
Apr 9. H E Burt, 5 1/2 tons coal and pail	53 00
May 5. J Vanwart, chairs	4 10
Apr 27. G Shea, 5 1/2 cords wood tender	26 25
May 16. Electric Light acct	15 00
June 3. Jas McCanna, repairing rooms	12 00
" 23. Fewer Bros, plumbing and stock	8 56
" 30. J A Hayden, 3 loads wood	6 00
July 30. Electric Light	31 22
" 24 H E Burt, 24 1/2 tons of coal \$7.70	187 90
" 24 M C Lilley & Co hand cuff &c	25 75
" 25 Jas McCanna repairing floor	13 90
Aug 22 H D Baird repairing wires	3 25
Sept 5 Ben Clark, woodshed	135 00
" 18 Pickle & Davidson	8 35
Oct 9 J Saunderson, painting and repairing windows	11 00

" 13 H E Burt, glass, putty and paint	9 29
Nov 5 J A Hayden, hard wood	2 00
" 14 Electric Light	8 48
Dec 4 Elsmore Robinson, 3 cords wood	15 00
" 10 Hamilton Bros, pipe, elbows and furnace	6 00
" 18 J A Hayden 1 load of hard wood	2 50
" 21 Pickle & Davidson Sett, new grates and furnace and repairs	36 76
	\$630 74

COUNTY JAIL	
To amount forward	\$630 74
Jan 9 Electric Light 2 mos	32 32
" " repairs	12 50

Total Jail Acct \$675 56

COURT HOUSE	
Jan 20 Mr Watson service at Court House	\$14 00
Mar 9 Mr Watson election expenses	10 00
June 1 Mr Watson, expenses Supreme Court	14 00
July 13 Mr Watson attending Court, cleaning Court House	13 00
Nov 4 Mr Watson attending Court, cleaning and repairs	18 00

Total Court House Acct \$69 00

RECORD OFFICE	
Jan 25 G Shea, 4 1/2 cords wood	23 12
Feb 28 T Amos Wilson, Book	48 00
" 27 G Shea, 16 1/2 cords wood @ \$4 90	80 85
May 16 Electric Light	28 61
July 30 " "	8 72
Repairs	50
Nov 14 Electric Light	26 87
" 21 Mr Bagley putting wood in cellar	6 60
1909	
Jan 9 Electric Light 2 mons	4 91

Total Record Office Acct \$228 18

MISCELLANEOUS

June 21 Dispatch, notice for tenders	\$2 00
1909	
Jan 5 Press Pub Co	75
" 5 Harry T Stevens Stationery and oil	5 22
Total Miscellaneous	\$7 97

Total \$980 71

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN W MELVILLE Building Com.,
H W STEVENS Up Woodstock, N B
ALLEN BRADLEY Jan 12th 1909

The total expenditure was \$980.71. The report was received and placed on file.

Coun Tompkins thought the bill on the Court House seemed large.

Coun Stevens said all that was allowed was what the official was entitled to, according to the opinion of the sec-treas.

Coun Williams thought the bill was large and also the bills in connection with the other public buildings. He would not say it was unnecessary because the men on the committee were capable men.

Coun Stevens said that early in the winter both the jail and Record Office were out of fuel. This meant an extra expense as sufficient fuel was not secured at the proper time. This year we have wood to carry through. It was necessary to repair the furnaces in the jail. He was as economical as if this was his own business.

Coun Gillmor said that he was satisfied with the report, but the people wanted to know that nobody get any money without working for

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Lady Snatched From
Death

How "sadness and despair" gave place to "joy, comfort and life," is told by Mr. L. H. Walter, of Pearl St., Brockville, in relating how his wife was restored to health after having been told by her doctors that both her lungs were seriously affected and that she could not possibly live many months.

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