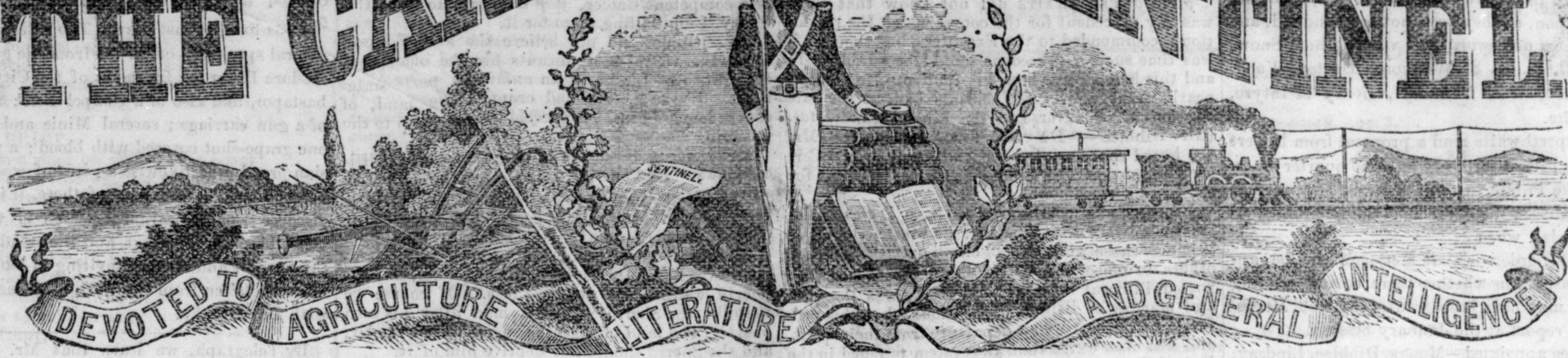


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CARLETON MUNICIPALITY.

SEMI-ANNUAL SESSION.—CONTINUED.

July 22nd, 1857.

Warden in the Chair.

Present—Messrs. Hemphill, Kilburn, Bubar, Craig, Giberson, Cowperthwaite, Gallop, Hayward, Hatfield, Long, Hay, Dibblee, Lindsay, Hartley.

Minutes of yesterday read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Dibblee, seconded by Mr. Lindsay,

Resolved, That the Bye Law ordered yesterday to be prepared with reference to horses, cattle, &c., past Wm. Bull's and Wm. McKen's, in Woodstock, be so amended as to exempt young cattle under three years of age.

On motion, a petition from inhabitants of Brighton, respecting running at large of cattle, &c., is referred over till Parish line is defined.

On motion of Mr. Gallop, seconded by Mr. Kilburn, Messrs. Hayward, Cowperthwaite, Bubar, Hemphill, and Kilburn are appointed a Committee to examine into and report upon the state of the Court House and Gaol.

Confirmed as Hog-Reeve—Wm. Dryer; and as Pound-Keeper, Dan. Shaw,—for Parish of Brighton.

On motion, ordered, that £20 10s. be assessed upon Northampton for the support of the poor for the current year.

Confirmed—The appointment of Hiram Holmes as Surveyor of Roads for Kent.

In accordance with the prayer of petition read by Mr. Craig, from sundry inhabitants of Kent, Peter Ger was appointed Commissioner of Highways for Kent in room of John DeMarchant, removed.

The appointment of Samuel Lindsay, as Collector of Rates in Wakefield was confirmed.

Appointment of Charles Dingee as Surveyor of Roads for Simonds, in place of Jas. Shaw, removed, was confirmed.

The appointment of James Jordan as Trustee of Schools for Parish of Woodstock, in place of W. L. Ferguson, removed; and of Wm. Atwater as Hog-Reeve for same Parish, were confirmed.

Tavern Licences were granted to—

Chas. Stephenson, Upper Woodstock, 6 months.
Chas. Doherty, Middle Simonds, "
Jas. Bradley, (Retail.) Simonds, "
Thos. Roach, Lower Woodstock, "
P. Hilley, "

A. McQuarrie, South Richmond, "
R. P. Hume, Upper Woodstock, "
Jas. McAllister, Wicklow, "
George Parks, Richmond, "
Hugh Russell, "

Jonathan Wilson, River de Chute, "
John Wright, Upper Woodstock, "
John Cluff, "

David Bell, Kent, "

Subsequently, on motion of Mr. Hemphill, seconded by Mr. Kilburn, on account of their remote situation, the licences of Messrs. McQuarrie and Russell were reduced to 40s. per year.

Benjamin Noble, Esq., asked to explain what he had done with the delinquent list for County and Parish Rates for the Parish of Brighton. He stated that the defaulters' list, amounting to £5 5s. 9d., had been placed in his hands by the Collector, out of which he had collected £3; that a large portion of balance was due from non-residents—a list of which the Collector had not advertised, from which reason he found it difficult to proceed any further.

On motion of Mr. Hayward, seconded by Mr. Cowperthwaite,

Resolved, That the sum of £3 be received from Mr. Noble, and that he be relieved from all further trouble in the matter.

On motion of Mr. Kilburn, seconded by Mr. Hemphill,

Resolved, That the Council do now proceed to consider the petition from the Trustees of Schools for Richmond, asking for a Warrant to assess Fleming district.

Mr. Dibblee presented a petition from sundry inhabitants in said district, praying that the warrant thus asked for may not be granted.

Mr. Patrick McIntyre and Mr. Wm. Forrest, residents of the district, were heard in the matter: after which, on motion of Mr. Hayward, seconded by Mr. Bubar,

Resolved, That the prayer of the petition from the Trustees be granted, and that a warrant be issued accordingly.

Mr. Dibblee moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Craig,

Resolved, That the matter be referred to the January Session of the Council.

The amendment was lost, and the original Resolution carried.

Mr. Kilburn, from the Gaol and Court House Committee, reported as follows:

"The Committee appointed to report upon the state of the Gaol and Court House, beg leave to report that a competent person should be employed to examine the window through which Betts escaped; to replace the bar cut off it will probably be necessary to take out the whole window. That a pane of glass is required, with some other trifling repairs on the windows; that the well requires a new box or curb; that a privy is wanted in one of the cells; that the cooking-stove requires some apparatus; and the whole inside of the building to be white washed: That seventeen panes of glass are wanted for the Court House; that new privies should be erected, or that such repairs may be made on the present ones as may be deemed necessary, in connection with the Court House, and that they be properly secured, and the keys left with the Gaoler; also the roof of the Court House requires to be repaired.

(Signed) "IVORY KILBURN,
HIGH COWPERTHWAITHE,
OLIVER HEMPHILL,
WM. HAYWARD,
JOHN BUBAR.

Committee Room, 22nd July, 1857."

On motion, ordered, that the Report be accepted, and that the repairs pointed out as necessary be carried into effect.

On motion of Mr. Kilburn, seconded by Mr. Gallop,

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to carry into effect the recommendations of the Report, and that the Bill for said services be paid when the work shall have been completed.

Committee appointed—Messrs. Cowperthwaite and Dibblee.

Messrs. Giberson and Hartley, Councillors for the Parishes of Kent and Wicklow, presented a written agreement which they had entered into, as a final arrangement of the matter of John Green, under consideration of the Council yesterday, and which is as follows:

"To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Carleton:

"GENTLEMEN.—We, Councillors for the Parishes of Wicklow and Kent, taking into consideration the difficulties between the two Parishes we represent, in reference to the expenses connected with the sickness, Doctor's attendance, boarding, &c., of John Green, have entered into the following arrangement, which we wish to have entered on the Minutes, viz.: We agree that the expenses of Dr. Wood's attendance, and J. Snow for boarding, be borne equally by the said Parishes of Wicklow and Kent up to the present date.

"And further, that Joshua Hartley agrees to pay the expense of removing the said Green to the residence of his (Green's) Father, in the Parish of

Wicklow, provided that the said Green consents to be removed to the said residence.

(Signed) JOSHUA HARTLEY,
Councillor for Wicklow.
MURPHY GIBERSON,
Councillor for Kent.

Woodstock, 22nd July, 1857.

Witness—J. McLAUCHLAN.

Dr. Wood's Bill amounts to £12 10s., and Mr. Snow's to £31; making £43 10s. in all.

On motion of Mr. Giberson,

Ordered, That a warrant be issued to assess the Parish of Kent in the sum of £21 15s., to pay half the above mentioned expenses; and

On motion of Mr. Hartley,

Ordered, That a warrant be issued to assess the Parish of Wicklow in the sum of £21 10s., for the same purpose; the amounts to be paid to the Secretary Treasurer when collected, to liquidate the claims of Dr. Wood and Mr. Snow.

Mr. Lindsay, from the Committee appointed to make repairs, alterations, and addition to the building occupied by Clerk of the Peace and Register, presented a plan which he had ordered to be prepared for that purpose; after which

On motion, Messrs. Lindsay, Gallop, and the Secretary Treasurer are appointed a building Committee to carry out the plan, making all the contracts by public competition.

On motion, ordered, that the sum of 20s. be appropriated to pay J. C. Raymond for drawing the plan exhibited.

Mr. Hayward moved the following, seconded by Mr. Cowperthwaite,

Whereas the subordinate officers of this Province, in a large majority of cases, were active in opposing the return of candidates or members of Liberal views to serve in the General Assembly of this Province, thereby endangering the formation of a Government in which the country could place confidence: And whereas an Executive has, at length, through severe struggles and contests, been established on a safe footing, and on a broad and liberal basis, and the prevailing opinion of the country is, that all Government officials who were active in opposing the return of such candidates, should be at once displaced; therefore

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this Board that all officials, holding Executive appointments from any former Governments of this Province, who have appeared by their actions, that they were opposed to and used their influence against the return of Liberal candidates, should be forthwith removed from office, and the Government patronage given to parties who have advocated Liberal principles, and who still entertain the same political views; and further

Resolved, That as this Body is deemed the voice of the people of the County of Carleton, it is the duty of the Board to recommend a change.

To this Mr. Kilburn moved the following amendment:

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board every subordinate official in this Province, who has used the influence attached to his office to oppose the return of candidates, holding liberal and equitable principles, to the Legislature, should be removed from office.

Upon the amendment the Council divided as follows:

Yeas.—Messrs. Hemphill, Kilburn, Craig, Dibblee,—4.

Nays.—Messrs. Lindsay, Giberson, Bubar, Cowperthwaite, Hatfield, Gallop, Hay, Hartley, Hayward,—9.

Upon the Resolution—

Yeas.—Messrs. Lindsay, Giberson, Bubar, Cowperthwaite, Hatfield, Gallop, Hay, Hartley, Hayward,—9.

Nays.—Messrs. Hemphill, Kilburn, Craig, Dibblee,—4.

On motion, Messrs. Lindsay, Hayward, Gallop, Giberson, and Bubar, were appointed a Committee to examine and report upon the County Accounts. Council adjourned until to-morrow

July 23rd, 1857.

Council met—Warden in the Chair.

Present—Messrs. Lindsay, Dibblee, Hemphill, Kilburn, Craig, Giberson, Cowperthwaite, Gallop, Hartley, Long, Hatfield, Hayward, Bubar.

Minutes of yesterday read and approved.

G. L. Raymond, Esquire, in reply to a communication he had received from the Secretary Treasurer, relative to Fines which he had collected, requested to be heard in the matter; which was granted. He presented a statement of such fines and charges against the County.

On motion of Mr. Bubar, seconded by Mr. Giberson,

Resolved, That the Account presented by Mr. Raymond be referred to the next January Session.

The petition of Joseph Giberson and others, of the Parish of Kent, presented to the Council at its last January Session, praying that a fine of £5 imposed upon Joseph Giberson by James A. Phillips, Esq., for rescuing a number of Hogs, be remitted, was taken into consideration.

A communication from James A. Phillips, Esq., on the subject, was presented by Mr. Craig, containing statements at variance with the petition referred to—which petition was supported by a certificate from Zebadiah H. Cox, the Hog-Reeve and Pound-Keeper in the matter.

On motion of Mr. Lindsay, seconded by Mr. Gallop,

Resolved, That the fine imposed upon Joseph Giberson be paid to the Secretary Treasurer.

On motion of Mr. Lindsay, seconded by Mr. Gallop,

Resolved, That the communication presented by Mr. Craig, from James A. Phillips, Esquire, be placed on the files of this Council.

Mr. Lindsay, from the Committee on Accounts, presented a Report, which was accepted; when the Accounts were taken up separately, and disposed of as follows:

No. 1. Messrs. W. & S. L. Cronkhite, services as Constables, and expenses of executing Warrants on B. Donnelly, B. Maddox, and George Maddox, &c., allowed £1 13 9.

2. Assessors of Rates for Northampton, referred to that Parish, 30s.

3. William Melville, Keeper of Lock-up House, for boarding Robinson and McDonald, arrested on the charge of breaking into Mr. Robertson's shop, allowed at £1.

4. G. D. Jackson, surveying fifty cords of Wood for Gaol for 1856 and 1857, at 4d. per cord, 16s. 8d.

5. Doctor Brown, professional services; attendance on Barnes, Coroner's Inquest, and Post Mortem examination on a colored child, allowed at £1 10s.

6. Doctor Woodforde, performing Post Mortem examination on the body of a child, by order of a Coroner's Jury, £1.

7. John Bedell, Esquire, Coroner, for Inquisition on a child found in the woods in Woodstock, £3 12 6.

8. Doctor Jacob, attendance on Morris when wounded by Barnes, ordered to stand over for further consideration.

9. Edward Loomer, late Gaoler, allowed at £21 10s.

10. Edward Loomer, for services as Constable, £3 13s.

11. H. Stockard, repairs on Gaol, 17s.

12. Messrs. C. H. English and J. H. Jacques, services as Constables in the matter of Barnes, Betts, Atherton, McDonald, and Robinsan, allowed at £2.

13. W. Q. Shaw, Constable, for sundry services, allowed at £1 8 6.

14. Sheriff Winslow, boarding prisoners in Gaol, &c., £17 17 2.

15. Major Hamilton, two days' attendance at June Court, 10s.

16. Samuel Watson, Constable, sundry services, 15s. 6d.

17. George Brewer, Constable, two days' attendance at June Court, 10s.