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All persons indebted to the Estate will please call and pay or arrange at once. This is the last notice.  
A. H. F. RANDOLPH,  
Att'y for ESTATE OF O. A. HARMON,  
Peel, Jan. 30, 1892.

**Sunday School Column.**

**WILKINSON CALENDAR.**  
Feb. 7.—The Gracious Call. Jan. 55: 1-13  
Feb. 14.—The New Testament. Jan. 31: 27-37  
Feb. 21.—John's Vision of the Wicked. Jan. 30: 1-21  
Feb. 28.—The Lamb Redeemed. Jan. 37: 11-21

**Walden Parish S. S. Convention.**  
The (annual) session of the Walden Parish Sunday School Convention will be held in the Methodist Church, Lindsey, on Tuesday, the 16th day of February, to commence at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Afternoon and evening sessions.  
Among a number of prominent Sunday School workers who are expected to be present, will be Rev. A. L. Leitch, corresponding and field secretary of the New Brunswick S. S. Association.  
It is hoped there will be a large attendance both of delegates from the several schools of the parish, and of the Sunday School workers of the County.  
At the evening session a collection will be taken in aid of the fund for the support of the Field Secretary.  
**J. T. FLETCHER,**  
Sec. Treas.  
Waterville, Jan. 25th, 1892.

**VICTORIA COUNTY COUNCIL.**

(Continued from fourth page)  
**REVENUE SESSION.**

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Councilors all present.  
Mayor John Tweeddale, seconded by Coun. Smith, that the salary of the Sec. Treas. be \$250 for the present year. Carried unanimously.  
Coun. Bryner said this was a matter which affected the whole county, and should not be acted upon hastily. He thought the present Sec. Treas. had made a very creditable showing, but he had had some expressions of the thought that he should have an increase of salary. He believed the salary was low for the work performed, but still the Secretary should say whether he thought the salary sufficient or not.  
The Warden said that the proper way was to fix the salary before the officers were appointed, and then they could not be charged with showing favor. Fix the salary, and then the officer appointed, if not satisfied with it, need not accept.  
Coun. Bryner said that he had been taken by surprise, but that he agreed with the remarks of the Warden. He thought that they might be acting hastily to increase the salary before being asked to do so. If the Secretary, who had done his work so well, thought his present pay too low, he would raise it to increase it. He believed in paying well, and making the official work well. Coun. Tweeddale was well aware of the fact, as Coun. Bryner, that they were dealing with the people's money. His motion was simply that he fix the salary, before appointing the officer, and that the man so appointed the office would know just what to expect. He believed in economy, but in order to get a person capable of performing the duties of the office, they must expect to pay something near what it was worth.  
The Sec. Treas. required to fill in a man of ability, a man whose talents would command a salary three times as much as that proposed, in any other department of business, the man would be a man whose moral integrity and good standing would secure him a lucrative position at all times. Looking over the experience of the last year, he found that the most prosperous were those in which they were paying their Secretary Treasurers a salary of \$300. The salaries of the county were now in a healthy condition, and he did not think the people would complain when they could have the work of the Sec. Treasurers so faithfully performed for the sum of \$250 a year.  
Coun. Bryner did not want to stand in a false position. He did not think that \$250 was too high a salary, and he did not think that he would stand against the motion. All he intended was that it was not their duty to increase the salary without being requested. He did not intend to stand in a position where he had not been asked what he had, but the first thing he heard was the motion, and it so surprised him that he felt sudden indignation to express himself as he had done. He was not a man who would be moved by Coun. Tweeddale, seconded by Coun. Bryner, that the salary of the Sec. Treas. be \$400. Carried.  
Moved by Coun. Bryner, seconded by Coun. Tweeddale, that James Tibbitts be re-appointed Sec. Treas. Carried unanimously.  
Moved by Coun. Bryner, seconded by Coun. Mander, that E. H. Hoyt be re-appointed Auditor for the ensuing year. Carried.  
Moved by Coun. Mander, seconded by Coun. Wilson, that a valuation of the county be taken this year. Carried.  
On motion the Sec. Treas. was ordered to call on J. V. Tappley, by-road commissioner, for balance due by him.  
On motion the return of John Tappley and G. L. Everett, by-road commissioners, passed and the return of W. H. Miller was returned to him with the request that he attend to the return.  
Moved by Coun. Tweeddale, seconded by Coun. Smith, that the appointment of the valuator for the Parish of Perth be recommended and the two others remain as appointed. Carried.  
Moved by Coun. Mander, seconded by Coun. Tweeddale, that Alexander Stratton be appointed third valuator. Carried.  
On motion Mr. Appleby was heard at the board regarding license.  
On motion the Sec. Treasurers bond for School Fund as executed was adopted, and the Warden and Coun. Smith were appointed to approve the other bond and file with Register of Deeds of the county.  
The Sec. Treas. submitted the names of W. D. Appleby and Johnathan Craig for the county for contingent fund.  
Moved by Coun. Barker, seconded by Coun. Wilson, that a committee be appointed to enquire into the property qualification of the bondsmen.  
Moved by Coun. Tweeddale in amendment, seconded by Coun. Mander, that the matter be laid over until morning. Carried.  
On motion the Sec. Treas. was ordered to prepare blank forms for the returns of highway commissioners.  
Moved by Coun. Mander, seconded by Coun. Tweeddale, that all parish officers be instructed to render their accounts to the Auditor on or before the first day of December. Carried.  
Coun. Bryner said it was one thing to

pass an ordinance and another thing to enforce it. A similar resolution had been passed before, but had not been enforced. The neglect of officials to make proper returns presented the Auditor from presenting a correct financial statement. He asked if there was any penalty by law, attached to the office of other not making returns, or if the Council had power to make such a law.  
The Warden read the law which stated that any officer neglecting to comply with its conditions, was liable to a fine of not less than \$5 or more than \$20.  
On motion, ordered, That George McMillan, by-road Comm., be called upon to make a proper return.  
Adjourned until to-morrow morning, Jan. 23rd, 1892.

**JANUARY 23RD.**  
Council met pursuant to adjournment. Councilors all present. Warden and the other members of the former meeting read and approved.  
The names of G. T. Baird and John R. Graham were mentioned by the Sec. and were approved by the board.  
On motion, the returns of G. T. Baird and John R. Graham, by-road Comm., were ordered to call on Charles Graham, by-road Comm., for a balance of \$750.  
On motion the Sec. Treas. was ordered to call on Charles Graham, by-road Comm., for proper returns.  
The following returns of taxes were ordered to be paid:  
William G. Barr, Perth, Road Tax, 1891, \$1.00; Mrs. Fred. Cronk, Perth, County Tax, 1889, 1890 and 1891, \$3.36; Charles Williamson, Perth, County Tax, 1891, ninety-four cents.  
Edward Griffin, Andover, County Tax, 1891, \$2.36.  
R. Watson, Perth, County Tax, 1890 and 1891, \$2.36.  
T. Herbert Manser, Andover, 1890 on valuation of \$300—\$2.  
Moved Coun. Tweeddale:  
Whereas, There is situated in the Parish of Grand Falls a certain section of land known as the Grand Falls commons; and  
Whereas, said section was laid out by order in council of Provincial Legislature dated 10th June 1847, and established and reserved as a common for the use of the town of Grand Falls, now Grand Falls, for the benefit of the inhabitants forever as per Royal Gazette of 21st July 1847; and  
Whereas, it appears said section of land has never been granted to the sections or since incorporation to the Municipality; and  
Whereas, said lands are now being occupied by squatters and converted into other uses than as intended for the said town; and  
Whereas, it is not in the province of the Council of the Municipality to govern or control lands which have been so vested as far as it relates to said lands; and  
Whereas, it was the intention of Parliament that said lands should be granted for the purposes herein named; therefore,  
Resolved, That the Sec. Treas. prepare a memorial to be presented to Provincial Legislature asking that said lands be now granted to the Municipality of Victoria, and that Legislature be requested to vest the right to govern, manage and control the same in the Council of the Municipality of Victoria, with further power to sell or lease the same, and that any portion of said lands that would be sold or leased would be left after a square plot had been laid out as the lot intended. Thereby vesting what is now a squatted land, which would be an ornament to the Parish of Grand Falls and the County of Victoria.  
The Building Committee report was read as follows:  
To the Warden and Councilors of the Municipality of Victoria.  
We, your committee on Public Buildings, beg to submit the following report:  
That pursuant to a resolution of the July session of the Council, we have had the gutter of the Court House at an expense of \$27.50 for soldering and repairing gutters and gutter.  
JESSE C. MANDER, ALBERT BRYNER, Coun. JAMES TIBBITTS.

And on motion was received and adopted.  
The committee on water supply, made their report as follows:  
To the Warden and Councilors of the Municipality of Victoria.  
We, your committee appointed to procure a water system at the Court House, beg to submit the following report:  
Pursuant to the resolution of the July session of the Council we had the aqueduct laid to the Court House and the water running for a period of four days, when the water was shut off. We found that the cause of such stoppage was that some person had placed obstructions to the pipe at the fountain head and changed the course of the water from the place placed there. We repaired the damage and turned the water back and it ran again to the fountain head. We again removed the obstructions and turned the water back. It ran again, for a short time, when it was again stopped and the fill tipped up with mud and rocks and the house over it turned down. As we were informed that the damage was done by Mr. James J. Porter we went and interviewed him when he told us he had done the damage and would repair it as we agreed to give him a lay from the main pipe and that he claimed a right to the water in the Spring. Mr. Porter then offered to give him a portion of the water. He further informed us that unless we complied with his terms he would not allow the water to run. Mr. Porter made this offer in the first place our committee would have agreed to it, rather than have had any trouble or litigation in the matter. After hearing Mr. Porter's proposition we consulted with him and agreed with Mr. Porter to allow him a portion of the water, he paying half the expense of bringing the water to his place. We informed him that once all would have to ratify the agreement before it was binding on the County.  
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The report stated, the works at the fountain were torn up. Returning from St. John and learning the fact, he had seen Porter, who acknowledged that he had torn up the works, and said that if the Council had not ordered the water to be turned on, the Council would carry out their first proposition he would let them have the water. I said to him don't you know you are liable to be arrested for your act, and he replied that while that would be a mean thing to do, yet it would be just such a thing as the Council would do; arrest a man for committing a crime, and he would be liable to be arrested for his crime. (Bryner) was not present, the committee had agreed to give Porter water, if it could be done with the water, and the water pipe. He endorsed the act of the committee because he thought it the best way out of the difficulty. The committee had acted upon their best judgment and with the best motives.

Coun. Davidson did not see how the committee could have acted otherwise than they had.  
Coun. Mander said that when the Secretary Treasurer and himself had talked with Porter, they distinctly told him that their arrangement was one to be between them and Porter, and that they would be bound to ratify by the Council.  
Coun. Tweeddale was of the opinion that the committee had acted wisely and with the best motives. When the Council first decided to secure water for the Court House, it was to be a committee to decide where the water should be taken from. It was then thought that the water would be brought in a direct course from Porter's line to the Court House, and that Porter would be required to procure a lease from the parties owning the water. The committee had agreed with the work of construction, which was to be a surveyor to trace out the line of the water, and the Council ordered the committee to proceed with the work, and now, from the report submitted, it appeared that Porter had again obstructed the work. The course pursued by Porter was evil, and that he felt he had no right to the water. He had demanded himself or others to be prosecuted for this, and he had refused to pay for the work. The committee had agreed to give him a lay from the main pipe, and that he claimed a right to the water in the Spring. Mr. Porter then offered to give him a portion of the water. He further informed us that unless we complied with his terms he would not allow the water to run. Mr. Porter made this offer in the first place our committee would have agreed to it, rather than have had any trouble or litigation in the matter. After hearing Mr. Porter's proposition we consulted with him and agreed with Mr. Porter to allow him a portion of the water, he paying half the expense of bringing the water to his place. We informed him that once all would have to ratify the agreement before it was binding on the County.  
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Coun. Bryner said that while he did not desire to shrink responsibility, yet he was placed in an embarrassed position by having called upon to give information on a subject of which he personally knew nothing. He could not discover that the committee had been to the water, but still he contended that he had partial rights thereto. At the July session the committee had submitted a report, and the understanding was that the water was to be brought to the Court House, without giving Porter any benefit of it. Afterwards Porter claimed that the fountain head was partly on his land, when the committee employed a competent engineer to survey the place, who reported the spring to be entirely on Simon's land. The fact being ascertained, the committee, carrying out the instructions of the board, ordered the contractor to proceed with the laying down of the pipes. Porter had said to him once or twice that he ought to be considered as he claimed have half a right in the water. He had replied to him that the committee was proceeding upon the report of the surveyor. Porter had then seen the surveyor, and found no fault until after the pipes were laid and the water running. Porter then claimed that under a proposition once made by him to the Council he was entitled to the privilege of the spring, he still contended that part of the spring was on his land, and he would not consent to the water being used unless he had a lay given him. The committee told him that under instructions of the Council they were not to give anyone a lay, from the fact that when he had made his proposition it was supposed that he owned the water, but now it was found to belong to Simon. The committee did not feel that they were authorized by the Council to give Porter a lay. Afterwards,

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