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NO. 1.

J. F. Breckenridge Elected Reeve of Belmont & Methuen by a Majority of 42 Over Gilbert Steenburgh.

Councillors Elect are Messrs. Spencer, Whitney, Vansickle and Rylott.

The election in Belmont & Methuen on Monday was one of the quietest in the history of the township and the vote was correspondingly small. The returns from the nearby polls gave Breckenridge a majority over his opponent, Gilbert Steenburgh, and the complete returns only increased the majority. Ernest Spencer headed the poll, and was closely followed by Coun. Whitney for the council, and George Vansickle and M. Rylott landed in the running in the order named.

Following is the vote in detail:

| For Reeve | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
|--------------------|----|----|----|----|---|----|---|-------|
| J. F. BRECKENRIDGE | 50 | 34 | 7 | 42 | 9 | 19 | 2 | 6-169 |
| Gilbert Steenburgh | 21 | 39 | 20 | 16 | 1 | 25 | 3 | 2-127 |
| For Councillor | | | | | | | | |
| E. SPENCER | 61 | 48 | 4 | 49 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 6-184 |
| N. WHITNEY | 40 | 45 | 12 | 37 | 9 | 13 | 3 | 4-163 |
| G. VANSICKLE | 18 | 31 | 10 | 24 | 7 | 30 | 4 | 2-126 |
| M. RYLOTT | 32 | 33 | 11 | 24 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 3-118 |
| F. Steenburgh | 27 | 30 | 21 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 2 | 2-104 |
| H. Chase | 18 | 24 | 9 | 18 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 5-82 |
| W. L. Wannamaker | 9 | 17 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0-58 |



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Jones Elected Reeve of Havelock by Majority of 42.

Councillors Are Hooper, Sanderson, Scott and Mathison—Trustees Are Anderson, Forde and Carter.

Havelock's municipal election on Monday brought out a goodly number of the electors despite the cold weather, some 302 recording their votes. The campaign was marked by the best of feeling, all bitterness and dissension being entirely absent.

The returns of the poll gave W. H. Jones the reeveship over ex Reeve Curtis by a majority of 42. For the Council, Messrs. Hooper, Sanderson, Scott and Mathison were elected, ex-councillor McCutcheon being the low man. For Trustees, Messrs. Anderson, Forde and Carter were elected, leaving ex trustee Moore low man.

The vote in detail is as follows:

| For Reeve | No. 1 | No. 2 | Total |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|
| W. H. Jones | 111 | 58 | 169 |
| W. T. Curtis | 62 | 65 | 127 |
| For Councillors | | | |
| F. J. Hooper | 140 | 90 | 230 |
| R. Sanderson | 142 | 69 | 211 |
| Jas. Scott | 83 | 80 | 163 |
| A. Mathison | 84 | 60 | 144 |
| R. McCutcheon | 63 | 56 | 119 |
| For Trustees | | | |
| R. Anderson | 111 | 87 | 198 |
| D. A. Forde | 121 | 69 | 190 |
| J. J. Carter | 113 | 67 | 179 |
| John Moore | 57 | 54 | 111 |

As usual, a public meeting was held in the town hall in the evening, when the newly elected Reeve, Councillors and Trustees and the defeated candidates, addressed the electors.

Reeve Jones said he was the proudest man in Havelock and thanked all and sundry for his magnificent support. He promised to give the village good government in return.

Ex Reeve Curtis extended his thanks for his support and said that while disappointed he was not surprised at the result, as in previous years the council that constructed the cement walks was afterwards defeated. However, he and his council had done their best and they were proud of the good showing. He advised a considerable number of the ratepayers to throw away their hammers and buy a horn instead and to foot for the town on every occasion possible. He had no hard feelings against anyone as all were entitled to their opinion, and hoped that the incoming council would have as good a statement to present at the end of the year as the outgoing council had.

Councillor Hooper made a stirring speech wherein he thanked all for placing him at the head of the poll, and stated that he would do his whole duty to the village as a whole—aiming to do the greatest good to the greatest number. He urged the ratepayers to take more interest in the affairs of the village and if they have any complaints to make or opinions to proffer, to come to the council meetings and make them before the council. He was of the opinion that bad civic government was the result of indifference on the part of the citizens and again asked all to get behind the council and help in every way possible.

Councillor Sanderson, after expressing his thanks, said that he was a new man in municipal affairs, but that he would consider it his duty to familiarize himself with every detail as soon as possible. He endorsed Mr. Hooper's sentiments and joined him in urging a better attendance at the council meetings, and if the council was not doing the right thing to go after them hard. Councillor Scott was proud of the vote he took for an old fellow. He had been through the mill many a time and assured Messrs. Hooper and Sanderson that the ratepayers would go after them hard enough without being urged to do so. He corroborated Mr. Curtis' remarks about the good work of the past year and pleaded for better support of the council this year.

Councillor Mathison expressed his thanks and said that he too, had had a long municipal experience, wherein he had always tried to do his duty as he saw it regardless of all other influences, and sometimes he had been all alone in his opinions. He said that he would continue that course and would give of

his best in the interests of the town.

Mr. McCutcheon thanked the electors for his support. He had done his duty well and good and wished the incoming council success, the while they had his sincere sympathy.

Trustee Anderson expressed his complete surprise at heading the poll, when he really expected to be defeated. He promised to do his best in return and thanked all for his support.

Trustee Forde was not present, but The Standard feels sure that he would like to thank one and all for placing him in that position, and that he too, will do his best in the interests of the school and the village.

Trustee Carter invoked enthusiastic applause when he stated that he was glad to be elected again because he could look after the fair teachers for the next two years. He referred to the large grants the Board was now receiving from the Government, to which was due in great part the recent increases in the salary for the staff.

Mr. Moore thanked his supporters and congratulated the Reeve and Council elect. He too referred to the large grants the school was receiving. He had been informed that his defeat was due to the increase in salary made to two of the staff, but was of the opinion that it was due to an entirely different cause. He said that the teachers were not getting too large a salary in view of the grants received therefor.

Hydro Commissioner Wm. Mathison thanked the electors for his return by acclamation and said that he was hopeful of securing some contracts for day power in the near future. He asked all to get behind the Hydro and boost it.

Other Elections.

Reeve John Scott and Councillors Adam Humpries, J. D. O'Keefe, H. A. Thistlewaite and Chas. World of Asphodel, were elected by acclamation.

In Percy Geo. Poole was elected Reeve, and In Alnwick Jas. Webb.

In Hastings Walter Fowlds was elected reeve over J. H. Hess by a majority of 27.

In Lakefield Reeve Strickland was re-elected over Tanner by 70.

In Harvey Reeve Shaw was re-elected.

In Seymour Geo. Vanvolkenburgh was elected Reeve by 178 over Diamond. Wynn was elected Deputy and the councillors are Nelson, Cassan and Milne.

In Otonabee W. A. Anderson was elected Deputy over McIntyre and Laurie by 154.

John Darling was re-elected in Dunbar by 80 over Jas. Graystock.

W. H. Taylor was elected Mayor of Peterboro by 36 over J. J. Turner.

Norwood's old council was re-elected.

Reeve H. C. Kindred and his council were elected by acclamation in Tweed.

In Marmora Reeve Airhart and Hydro Commissioner H. R. Pearce, were elected by acclamation.

Marmora & Lake council was re-elected by acclamation as follows: Reeve, John W. Richardson. Councillors, R. E. Bonter, J. E. Moloney, W. D. Nickle and N. E. Neal.

The Deloro council was re-elected by acclamation, also the School Board, one member of which is a lady, Mrs. F. A. Bapty.

A PERFECT MAN.

Nathaniel Vermilyea, re-elected reeve of Thurlow township, must indeed be without fault or blemish. This year marks his forty-second year as reeve, and constitutes his forty-seventh consecutive year in the council there. He is a prosperous farmer, and a public-spirited citizen, having taken a great interest in good roads, and has filled every office in the Hastings County Council.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank the electors of Belmont & Methuen from the bottom of my heart for electing me as their Reeve for 1922. I have always endeavored to do my full duty to the township and assure all that I shall continue to do that same thing under all circumstances. Wishing everyone a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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