

the Government subsidy, and nothing was done beyond the preliminary work until the subsidy was granted. From what is now known to be the case, the subsidy could not have been built for the \$175,000.

Mr. Davidson, under the same management.

The Mayor quickly retorted that if some man had helped instead of hindered, the road the cost would have been less.

Among the items for extra cost in by the contractors was one for \$10, law costs incurred because the contractors by mistake had gone on Mr. Davidson's land before the purchase was completed. He could not trust his fellow citizens to pay him, but must go to law and make expense because the contractors made a mistake. As to the law costs, for years and years the city had not been able to meet its yearly obligations from the same, and the contractors were received as they became due. The striking funds were all right. He had endeavored to discharge his duties faithfully and had given more time there than he ever would again. He would retire with the satisfaction of having done his duty to the people to the best of his ability.

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After a slight explanation from Mr. Howard to Mr. Bloomer as to \$150,000 borrowed from the Bank of Commerce in advance of the sale of railway debentures, and a vote of thanks passed to the Returning Officer, on motion of Mr. Gowdy and Mr. Bloomer, the meeting broke up at 4:30 p.m., after one of the best attended and most interesting nomination meetings ever held.

**ALDERMANIC NOMINATIONS.**

If the attendance at the Mayorality nomination was perhaps the best ever seen in Guelph, that at the Aldermanic nominations in the different wards was equally encouraging. The changing of the time to the evening was a wise act on the part of the Legislature, and the attendance Monday night instead of the usual half day, was very creditable. The following are the results at the different wards, which shows a good crop of candidates and a summary of the after speaking.

**ST. PATRICK'S WARD.**

**ALDERMEN.**

T. P. Coffey, nominated by F. Anderson, seconded by Wm. Kennedy and Wm. Springour.

Wm. Carter, by D. Radd and W. Kennedy.

Thomas Pepper, by Wm. Slater and Geo. Penfold.

H. Hatch, by Jas. Little and H. McCullough.

M. J. Dugan, by Geo. Penfold and John Lyons.

Wm. Slater, by S. Penfold and H. Johnson.

D. Coffey, by Thos. Pepper and P. Conway.

Wm. Duffin, by D. Coffey and Thos. Pepper.

David Little, by D. Coffey and W. Berry.

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grievance, Ald. John Kennedy replied at some length, what the meeting adjourned after ten o'clock.

**ST. GEORGE'S WARD.**

**ALDERMEN.**

Dr. Howitt, nominated by Ald. Hamilton, seconded by Wm. Samuels.

O. Klopfer, by Ald. Hamilton and Thos. Ellis.

Geo. Howard, by James Innes and Wm. McLaren.

Mayor Macdonald, by D. Sprague and Thos. Ellis.

J. H. Hamilton, by Wm. Samuels and Thos. Ellis.

James Howitt, by Ald. Howard and Wm. Gibson.

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CHARLES T. GILLMORE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, 21st December, 1888.

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