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A. M. BURGESS,

A. M. BURGESS. Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. Ottawa, 6th May, 1884.

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FRED WHITE, Ottawa, 8th May, a884.

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debts owing to said partnership are to be paid to the undersigned, James Warner and Thomas B. Warner, at Calgary aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said James Warner and Thomas B. Warner, by whom the same wil be settled and by whom the business will be carried Dated, this oth day of June, A.D., 1884.
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A HOT AND CONTEST

Twelve of a Majority for Mr. Geddes

DISGRACEFUL TACTICS OF THE ENEMY.

justice to the electors. The speaker continued at some length, but want of space com-

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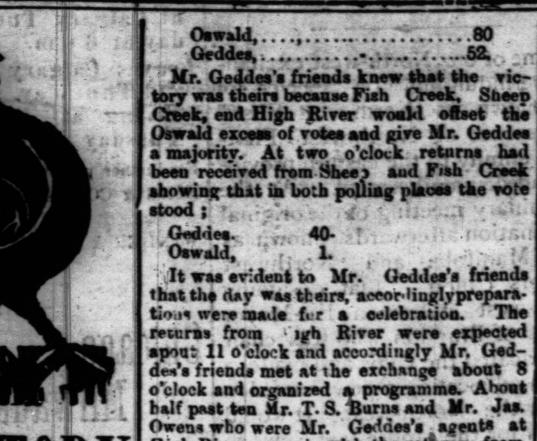
TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION BONFIRE AND SPEECHES IN HONOR OF

THE OCCASION Complete Route of the Enemy

Equipage and Breech Cloths. The election on Saturday for represen-Mr. G. V. Fitzgerald acting as official poll derk, and Mr. Ralph White acted as special endeavored to make out that Mr. Geddes poll clerk for Mr. Geddes, and Mr. G. B. knew nothing but his remarks in this re-Elhott and J. S. Gibbs as agents for Mr. spect were not appreciated.

When the voting commenced it was quite evident that the supporters of Mr. Oswa'd the bogus half breed vote by which their were running the returning officer. What-opponents had endeavored to secure the ever way be the virtues of Mr. Braden it election. was evident in no time thal he was standing THE unders gned have entered into co-partnership was evident in no time that he was standing in with Mr. Oswald. He also found that his own friends were those who gave himself the most trouble, The gallant Mickle and the irrepressible Carney had the returning officer in the greatest confusion. The poiling table was surrounded with Oswald voters agents and interpreters who soon had official returns in the presence of Clerk Fitz- that the public spirited proprietor will be Mr. Braden in deep wat. The explosive gerald. Mr. Bleeker, agent for Mr. Oswald greeted to-night in the last performance of Carney broke outinto a runture with the and Mr. Elliott. agent for Mr. Geddes, and Fra Diavolo with a full house which he richofficial poll clerk and matters assumed a announced the following as the official rewarlike attitude, the valiant Mickle was re- suite. lieved from his duties as agent and promoted to the position of door-keeper which was afterwards expanded into that of constable. Then the indefatigible Joe Butland was sworn in as Cree interprater and in addition to his duties of leading in half breed votes, was Cree, Chotock, Kamloops, Blackfoot interpreter, it is needless to say that he performed the difficu.t task highly satisfactory to himself and his friends, although the reversible Joseph knows no more about Cree than he does about German, still it was necessary in Mr. Oswald's intorests that he shou'd be appointed something in order to

give him the privilege of being in the poll that he might better misinterpret and misead. The indomitable Bleeker was there in the capacity of agent and master of ceremonies, He led to the polls that dusky brigade to secure which, the powers spirit ual and otherwise had been solicited and obtained. Beeker, like the Prussian Gener al at Waterloo, though starting early came up too late. The British had won the day before the gallant Blesker could get his work in. He had boasted what he could do with his half breeds and his quarter breeds and unfrauchised Indians. In they were dragged and although challenged every man swallowed the oath as if it were water or something more exhiliarating. Half-breed freighters who have no fixed residence here were dragged in, their names added to the to break down the solid and substantial he shall not return any candidate elected, votes of Fish Creek, High River and Sheep intropy the proceedings in full to the craek. But it was all in vain. In spite of Cl rk of the Council. Colvin's cooked list : In spite of Braden's outrageous partazanship and unter disregard of his own cath, in spite of the hireling, oue- Returning Officer then declared Mr. Geddes sided numberpreters, and haldozing agents, in | duly elected by a majority of 12 votes, and spite of personal intimidation and undue be said as would issue ble necessary certifispite of personal intimidation and undue interference, most unfair and disgaraceful clerk of the Council, and the proceedings when the poll closed at five o'clock the result showed ;



High River, came in with the returns from

emptied on it to give effect. Then there were loud calls for Mr. Geddes who said : ...

of which he was forced to strike off the

he promised Mr. Geddes to support him and he had done so. It was a well earned vic-

pels us to cut our report down.

Half-breeds Poured into the list so glaring was the outrage. He, the polls by the Oswaldites.

PARTIZAN CONDUCT OF THE

RETURNING OFFICER.

BY THE STALWART YEOMANRY OF FISH CREEK SHEEP CREEK AND HIGH RIVER.

graceful in the extreme. Want of space prevents us from giving his speech in ful!, but it was energetic severe on the conduct of

Horse Foot and Artillery Camp

Leaves McLeod Monday and Will be held at Fort McLeod, on Wednesday, the 9th in the election of Mr. James D. Geddes over by being composed of men who had a stake we believe, the first time she has ever under his opponent Mr. J. K. Oswald by a major. in the country. ity of tifteen. The poll was opened at nine Mr. Bleeker who was discovered hovering clock a, m. by Returning Officer Braden. in the vicinity was immediately called upon

Geddes. Mr. Wheeler and Mr. B ceker act. Mr. Burns being called uponsaid he had having a bumper house. ed as agents for Nr. Oswald and J. Butland no desire to make a syeech. He congratu-Thibadean and P. Erosmer were sworn in as lated Mr Geddes on the success of the election and he remarked that it was the solid vote of the farmers that had broken down

THE OFFICIAL RETURNS.

Politing division Speep Creek, 2.

Majority for Mr. Geddes ... Before the official returns from Fah Creek were read Mr. Bleeker submitted a bluff protest from one Penniston who acted Deputy Returning Officer at thatpolling divi nod. The protest set forth that the enumerators list was irregular and what not out the Returning Officer said it was not the case as he himself had seen everything regular. He quoted Section 51 of General

which reads as follows : "The Returning Officer shall not delay proceeding with an election notwithstanding e may discover a mistake in the use forms prescribed under this proclamation or that there has been a want of qualification or that there has been a want of qualification in any person siguing a nomination paper received by hun ; or from any other cause, unless he as ertain that the poll at any polling station has been obstructed or so list and with the assistanc of the Cree inter-preter, the French interpriter, and a half qualified ctors have had no fair of porbreed interpreter they voted for Mr. Oswald to record heir votes; in which case

> The protest, of course, was a mere bluff, | ments for the future of Egypt have created a solatium for the deteated candidate. The

FRA DIAVOLO.

OPENING OF THEATRE HALL

ON THURSDAY NIGHT

A large and appreciative audience was present at the opening of Theatre Hall on last Thursday evening. It was an occasion on which everybody turned out to see Fra

that the day was theirs, accordingly preparations were made for a celebration. The For the "For though smooth his voice and calm his Still seems there something he would not

Here in this frontier town we never thought there were so many ladies but it goes to show what may be expected when

the daily trains begin to run.

At the appointed hour or there abouts
Capt. Boynton the popular proprietor came
out in front of the curtain and delivered a High River, carre in with the returns from High River, Sheep and Fish Creeks. The figures were accordingly read showing that Mr. Geddes had won by a majority of fifteen votes. A torchlight procession was immediately organized and drove up Stephen avenue cheering loudly for Geddes. On the return of the procession to the Exchange a bonfire was started and a barrel of tar very appropriate little speech in which he said he never felt so proud in his life as he did then to see such a large audience and adorned too with so many ladies. Theatre Hall has already been described in these emptied on it to give effect. Then there were loud calls for Mr. Geddes who said:

"Allow me to return my sincere thanks to the electors of this district for placing me at the head of the polls. You will find me always ready to do my best for the interests of this district. I have to the interests of this district. I have to thank you one and all for your efforts on my behalf. Of course there is no us in my re-

behalf. Of course there is no us in my repeating what you already know. Most of you know my views and as the hour is getting late, I will call upon Mr. Peterson. Mr. Peterson said he was sure that they all felt gratified at the result more so on account of the tactics which had been pursued by their opponents. Their conduct had been disgraceful. They had conduct had been disgraceful. They had

been pursued by their opponents, Their conduct had been disgraceful. They had in the person of Mr. Grogan.

Mr. T. H. Dunne as Septimus Skinflint had a full conception of his case, Mr. Dunne by the way, is quite at home behind he lights. Mr. C. Sansom as Teddy appearhad for a returning officer the proprietor of a newspaper which professed to be neutral. but that officer had acted in a most parizan mannet for Mr. Oswald all day at the polls. They had had foran enumerator for the town a man apparently lost to all sense of all decency for in making up his list he left off nearly 40 of Mr. Geddes's supporters and added a number of names for Oswald some ed to advantage as an Irishman. Mrs. T. H. Dunne as Maude acted her part most

admirably as did Mrs. Field as Polty . The piece de resistance however was Fra During the interlude Dr. DeVebber sang in his usually effective way. He was cucored and give " If this be Vanity." Mr. Clark sang 'Never take the horseshoe from the door and was also encored. Copt Boynton was the next speaker. He said he felt greatly satisfied at the result of the election. More than two months ago When the curtain was rang up in the first act of Fra Diavolo, Travestic tne red uniforms of the carbineers and the jovialty with which they were enjoying themselves was quite lively, but when Mr. Sansom as tory and not withstanding the unfair means used by their opponents Mr. Geddes was roused up from his lethargy it was evident successful. He thanked the crowd for caling on him and retired.

Mr. Loughced was the next speaker. He was infinitely better in "Teddy" than as said he extended his congratulations to the successful candidate. The electors had certainly selected a man who was well worthy of representing them at Rezina. He was glad to so a man like Mr. Geddes which may be overdone without injury.

oscar Wilde's, or dudes or people of the dude persussion to represent them. They wanted no kid gloved men and the electors had taken care to say so. He characterized the tactics of Mr. Oswald supporters as disat a shilling each and is interrupted by Fra Diavolo, Undoubtedly Mr. Ennes as Fra Diavolo was the central figure of the piece. Mr. Innes has all the ease and grace of a professional He has an excellent concepthe enemy and was listeneg to with the fultion of his cast. His handsome face, finish-The Non'-wester being called upon Mr. Elliott said that as victory had perched upon their banner they could afford to be magnetiment to their opponents. The contest was a hard fought one and Mr. Geddes had confession of himself. Mr. Grogan as been elected by the votes of the yeomen.
The Nor-wester had opposed Mr. Oswald because that gentleman had no stake in the country and he in no way was a representative man. There was nothing more to be deplored than a carpet bag legislature. Manitoba had had one for years. The Manitoba had had one for years. The our criticism must be light. Miss McNeil

> taken to appear in public. Taken altogether the performance was well conducted and the different actors did exceedingly well, and we trust that our citizens will continue their appreciation of their efforts. Another performance will be

The second performance at the Theatre on Friday evening was if anything, more successful than the first, The actors had more confidence in themselves and played with more vim and spirit. Everything ran smoothly and there was scarcely a hitch in the proceeding, if we except the very neces. Mr. Geddes's health was drunk with a sary and prolongued "hitch" in the unmentionables of a prominent actor which seased great merriment among the audience, and hearty good will and the proceedings termithe atmost consternation in the mind of the At eleven o'clock yesterday morning. party concerned. We need not repeat what Returning Officer Braden counted up the creditable amateur performance and trust

In the Commons to-day Mr. Gladstone made an e'aborate statement concerning the Egyption questions, which but elaborated the official report already given in substance of the correspondence between Earl Granville and M. Waddington, the French Minister. The neutralization of Egypt Mr. Gladstone said is to be delayed until England withdraws from the country Mr-Gladstone further stated that the conference of the Powers would meet on Saturday next. Its province would be to decide in regard to the Egyptian finances but no decision which it might form would be of any force until Parliament should give its assent. In the Lords, Earl Granville explained the conferent ce scheme making a statement similar to that by Prime Minister Ferry to the French Chamber of Deputies. The Marquis of Salisbury said the the statement of the Provisions of the Act Respecting Elections, Foreign Secretary containing much that was perilous to British interests, and was

full of menace for the future peace of the Intense excitement grevails among the group of independent Liversis in regard to Mr. Gladerone's statements concerning

Egyptian affairs. LONDON, June 24. - The Standard says it is likely the Opposition will postpone the vote on the motion for censure until the Conforence is terminated.

FRENCH OPINION.

the Anglo-Freugh agreement.

Paris, June 23 - The Moniteur denounces

Cargo June 24 The proposed arrange-

With his wit so ready

a most favorable impression here. Go and hear Teddy'

And his "bulls" and his "pulls, As foin as Macready.

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