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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The municipal elections this year are reduced to contests for the reeveship, deputy-reeveship and the council members for St. Patrick's and St. Andrew's

A graceful act was done in allowing Mayor Butler to be elected for a second been in good taste for the Reeve and Deputy-Reeve to have been similarly treated. The fact that a man has had a hard fight for a leading position one year, and won, should entitle him to hold the office at least a second term without being put to the annoyance and expense of a second contest, and this course has been pretty generally adopted in previous years in Goderich and other places.

always anxious to drag political and thieves in the capital of Ontario to com-

be one of the best reeves who has ever supplied the wants of needy families by be abortive in the extreme.

praise for his efforts. Mr Smith is an old resident of the town and largely interested in it. During his residence he countrymen, what is the matter?

In the same subject was read, stating that he had examined the premises and had extended the time for completion of E Gaunt's portion until 20th, Moved by Wm Bowers, seconded

has taken an interest in almost every enterprise for the development of Goderich, and is today helping to further the interests of the town to a much greater ex-EVERY FRIDAY MORNING, tent than many people of louder pretensonally popular and respected by all who know him, we don't know his superior in satisfied that the vote against him on election day will be equally fruitless.

> In St. Patrick's and St. Andrew's wards, there are plenty of men, but there ought to be no difficulty in picking out the best. Three new men, but with experience, are offering in the persons of Mesers Strachan, Sloane and McKenzie. and their addition to the council board would certainly be in the interest of the ed by Jas Breckenridge. town. The other candidates are all of last year's council, and their record is before the electors.

Let the best men win. Now that you've sworn off, stay

DID your hair pull Thursday morning after the surfeit of coffee and cake on New Year's.

giving place to hard hitting. In this issue will be found His Grace's second letter, and next week we will publish other letters from the leader of the Loyal Opposition in Ontario, and His Crabb and John Sproale.

St David's Ward.—W. H. Murney, by A. Elliott and George McMahon; Robt Thompson, by A. Saunders and J. Breckenridge; C. A. Humber, by C. Crabb and John Sproale.

St George's Ward.—M. Nicholson, by

THERE is much disappointment in Clinton over the fact that the Doherty organ factory is about to remove to Lonorgan factory is about to remove to London. This will be a sore blow to the ambitious town to the east, as it is one of the few industries possessed by that place. It is better with Goderich. An organ and furniture factory, a fruit barrel factory and other manufacturing enter day and John Aikenhead.

St Patrick's Ward.—R. W. McKenzie, by J. H. Colborne and John Achean, by J. H. Colborne and John McGregor and J. S. Platt; Philip Holt, by A. M. McGregor and J. S. Platt; W. J. Dowding, by John Platt and E. C. Belcher; Samuel Sloane, by D. McGillicuddy and John Aikenhead. prises are coming to our town, and while "Ichabod" is spelt between the lines of St Andrew's Ward.—H. W. Ball, by the corporate seal of Clinton, and "To Let" embellishes the windows of many of its places of residence, Goderich privileges are asked for right and left by employers of labor. A considerable number of Clinton families are about to remove to Goderich, and with the enlarged views gained by their acclimatising they will make very good citizens.

But unfortunately fer the town we but "all is not gold that glitters. have a certain narrow clique, who are There are enough paupers, loafers and other feuds into municipal contests, and mand incorporation as a city if they were they, although not numerous, are always all bundled together on some of the noisy. This is the gang that is respon- vacant fields now staked out as suburban sible for the present contest for the lots just without the city limits. The reeveships, and we give fair warning St. George's Society this year gave a ler, Reeve Proudfoot, that if the factious course is persisted in, Christmas dinner to 900 families in To the men who have the welfare of the ronto. Multiplied by five that makes town at heart will not submit to their dictation.

4,500 persons who received dole from finance committee, entering into full one society. Other societies and reexplanations of the receipts and expendent. Mr Proudfoot has proved himself to ligious and benevolent associations have itures of the past year. Trustees H W Ball and C Crabb also spoke. Want of sat at the town and county council, and the hundred, and there are many still we fail to see why he should be opposed on going hungry. Every Sunday morning this occasion, and especially by one who, hundreds of men are jostling each other although in his own profession and citi- for a cup or two of hot coffee and a few zenship well up to the average, has never sandwiches given by the Cottage Choir shown that he possessed the qualities leader in Richmond Hall, and in the necessary to a public representative on evening children with pinched faces and any board. Personally we have no word ragged and unseasonable clothing gather against Dr Whitely, but the ability by bundreds to get a substantial meal in which he manifested at the council board the same place. Toronto is boomwas never apparent to any one whose ing, Its real estate is bounding opinion on the question we have heard. up in price at an astounding rate, and it for deputy-reeve, elected by acclamation As against this, Mr Proudfoot is univer- needs no factitious aids to make its censally acknowledged to be a leading man sus return a rapidly growing populaat the town and county council, and one tion; but never in the history of the lors. whose opinion on any public question is metropolis of Ontario have more unem- COLEGENE -Reeve, Jos. Beck, by acof value to Goderich interests. For ployed men walked the streets with these reasons we hope to see Mr Proudheavy heart and light pockets, and never level food. Nathon John Jones Good Nathon J foot elected by a majority so large that have there been such raids upon the free O. Stewart, J. Taylor, John Varcoe and the efforts of the clique will be shown to dinners so generously dealt out by some Alex Young. who have full pockets and a sympathy In the matter of the deputy-reeveship, for the needy. A parade of Toronto's From our own correspondent. the only complaint brought against Mr unemployed would take longer to pass a Council Meeting.—Council met ac Smith was that he was absent at some given point than any procession that ever cording to statute on Monday, 16th tramped the block paved streets of the ult. Minutes of last meeting were read year; but when it is known that his Queen City; but what a dismal show is for Oct. and November showed receipts absence was caused by his efforts to ar- would be. The workmen who marched \$2,514 90, and expenditure \$1,688.18, range his outside affairs so that he would to the parliament buildings at Ottawa leaving a balance of \$826.72 on hand. be able to place new capital in his busibe able to place new capital in his busi-ness and in future be able to devote Government were but a corporal's guard more of his time and attention to the compared with the host of idle men in town, there is room for no carping Toronto. What is the reason for the imagainst him, and he is deserving of mense number of idle men in Toronte? engineer on the same subject

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Following are the nomination John Butler, by Thos. C Naftel second

Wm Proudfoet, by C. A. Humber day bush ... and John Acheson.
Dr Whitely, by David Reid and A. Eatoes, new Dr Whitely, by David Reid and A.

A. Smith, by Daniel Gordon and Jas Robert McLean, by R. Radcliffe and

The fight between Mr Meredith and Archbishop Cleary waxes warm, and it seems that the scientific sparring is now nominated by J. Robertson, seconded by Gordon Coutts. D. C. Strachan was nominated by A. Saunders and J Craigning place to head that the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J Craigning place to head that the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head that the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head that the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head that the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head that the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head that the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is now given by A. Saunders and J. Craigning place to head the scientific sparring is n

St George's Ward. - M. Nicholson, by A. Saunders and J. Robertson; E. Cam-pion, by A. Saunders and J. Robertson; Hugh Dunlop, by D. Gordon and A.

St Patrick's Ward .- R. W. McKen

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Alex Saunders and S. J. Reid Humber and Robt Thompson. St George's Ward.—M. Nicholson, by Johnston McBrien and Colin Campbe St Patrick's Ward .- Wm Acheson, by

John Bates and John Aikenhead. At the close of the hour allowed for receiving nominations the returning officer declared Mayor Butler elected by acclamation, also councillors Humber Murney, and Thompson for St David's ward; councillors Dunlep, Campion and Nicholson for St. George's; and school trustees Acheson, Ball, Crabb and Nicholson. He declared the meeting adjourned until Monday at 9 a.m., when

The returning officer was elected chairman of the public meeting, and ad-dresses were made by Mayor But-Deputy-Reeve Smith, Mr Robert McLean, and councillors P Holt and J H Colborne, the latter as chairman of the the speeches on the occasion

All the candidates for the contested Dowding, who has retired in St. Patrick's

Outside Municipalities, ASHFIELD TOWNSHIP. - J. Griffin. reeve; H. Girvin, first deputy; W. Stoth ers, second deputy; H. Chambers and J. McKenzie, councillors, all by acclama

Gabriel Elliott, for reeve; John Beacon Thomas Churchill, Samuel Sturdy, Robt Eiliott, (3rd con.), Jas H. Elliott, Wn

A communication from the

imber of checks were given (these will pear in financial statement), after sich council adjourned to meet accord-

R. K. MILLER, Clerk.

THE MARKETS. EADSTUFFS AND PROVISIONS

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Election Cards.

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lic your vote and influence for the position of ouncillor in St. Patrick's Ward, Having of ouncillor in St. Patricks ward, previous has some experience at the council board, I have as not believe that my records as published the state of the state o F. J. PRIDHAM THE ELECTORS OF ST. PAT.

callidate for councillor in St. Patrick's ward. If ty course at the council board has been suc as meets with your approval, I respect-fult solicit your vote and influence on Mondamext.

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LDIES and GENTLEMEN.-I have be gan nominated for THE REEVESHIP

of he town, and am in the hands of

I record during the past year is before yor suffrages upon it. diciting your vote and influence, I re na, yours truly, WM. PROUDFOOT

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the time for the commencement and conjugation of the said railway.

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RE-ELECTED. - Mr school trustee "Dunlop, at the and S Section, Thursday Linklater was chairs Williams see. You passed to the trustee efforts for the welfare efforts for the welfare ing the year, and a section auditors, J & williams. The latter tor for the section was shoulders of Jas Link; was appointed as on The new feacher, he assume her duties o might say the new test conful with her late or recipients after two wells.

resigning after two yes to the regret of the sol interested, who at her tion presented her with handsome present. To the Editor of The Sign To the Editor of The Sign Dran Sir, —I take t dress you and ask t kind enough to insert paper, the following lo Today, Monday, the ination of the pupils of borne, was held in our there was a good attet and also a very respection of the parents of others present. The others present. The up seriatim from the lor Our local teacher, Mr S ably assisted by his bro P. Stuart, from S.S. Examined the different various stages of educate may that the different has his classes on trol and in the be

out any jarring, ju work. This shows plan, without which good work. After the school was thrown on when Mr R Quaid was their After calling a shair. After calling toorder, the chairman ars and visitors one of the trustees him had the official report achool inspector, Mr To report of our school was having received the himself of the control o order, neatness and adv dren, and congratulated his success. He was so part with him so abru that he would continue in whatever sphere his le The chairman then calle ing gentlemen present in address the meeting: hing, J Linklater, W.

J Shaw, E Shaw, Filliams, A Williams, A William addressed the meeting strain as their chair ating the teacher on b the pupils on the great t deriving from having and so well equipped. was called on to give a

did in his usual good sty man then called on A. C. Tobin, who were to read present a small gift to the er; the address was duly gift presented. Followin which speaks for itself: DEAR TEACHER, -We ed, on behalf of the schol 9, Colborne, do herewi with a small gift, which shall receive as a memen year's experience in ter sometimes unruly pupil show our kind regard a wherewith we hold you, the future your course prosperous and pleasant; or a long life of usefu accounted as a good at at and enter into your

> The teacher, Mr St. Q. a few well chosen remark donors for the gift not value, but as a pledge of and good-will shown tow sidering himself not wort merit of such considerat tedings were then clo Shaw presenting each with a good supply of nu