

MAGOG, QUE.—The tender of the F. C. Thompson & Co. has been accepted for loan of \$18,000, their tender being 4 1/2 per cent. with a premium of \$315. The Dominion Security Co., of Toronto, offered a premium of \$270.

VICTORIA, B. C.—George Snider has been awarded the contract for erection of new storehouse at the naval yard at Esquimaux, of brick, to cost \$9,000. —Thomas Catterall has secured the contract for extensive alterations and additions to the Dalas hotel.

RESULT OF BY-LAWS.

Following is a list of the civic by-laws submitted to the electors on Monday last, with the result of the vote:

TORONTO, ONT.—The by-law to raise \$133,500 by the issue of debentures for the erection of new exhibition buildings was carried by a substantial majority.

HAMILTON, ONT.—The by-law to raise \$30,000 to build sewers on Birch avenue and Catherine street was carried by a small majority.—A majority of votes was polled in favor of the by-law to authorize the Council to take \$25,000 stock in the Hamilton and Caledonia Electric Railway, but it is not known if the required number of votes were cast.

AYR, ONT.—The by-law for the issue of debentures to raise \$3,000 for permanent sidewalks was carried.

CHATHAM, ONT.—The Chaplin by-law, to loan \$25,000 to that firm to start a new industry, was carried by a majority of 1,245.

COLCHESTER SOUTH, ONT.—A by-law to purchase land for Agricultural Society was carried by 48 majority.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—A by-law to loan \$20,000 to the J. J. Zock Manufacturing Company was carried almost unanimously, and a by-law to loan \$8,000 to Stewart & Cameron, of Strathroy, Ont., for the purpose of erecting a grist mill, was also carried.

DUNDAS, ONT.—A by-law in favor of cement pavements for the town was passed here by a majority of 19.

DURHAM, ONT.—The by-law for the new bridge was carried.

GALT, ONT.—A by-law granting a free site to the proposed sugar factory was carried here by an overwhelming majority. A by-law to raise money to permanently improve Dickson Park was also carried.

HAGERSVILLE, ONT.—The by-law for a municipal electric light plant was defeated.

HARRISTON, ONT.—The school by-law was defeated.

KINCARDINE, ONT.—Two by-laws were submitted, one granting a bonus and exemption from taxes to Andrew Malcolm for an extension of his furniture factory; the other a bonus and exemption to James B. Watson for the establishment of a new chair factory. Both carried.

MEAFORD, ONT.—The by-law submitted for a bonus of \$16,000 for a cabinet factory carried by a large majority.

MILTON, ONT.—The vote on town control of electric lighting was as follows: For 118, against 39.

NEW HAMBURG, ONT.—The felt works by law was carried. The local improvements by-law was rejected.

PERTH, ONT.—The sewerage by-law was defeated.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—The by-laws for Y.M.C.A. tax exemption and market improvement were both badly defeated. The by-law for \$15,000 electric light extension was also defeated.

OTTAWA, ONT.—The plebiscite in favor of a municipal system of telephones was carried.

PETERBOROUGH, ONT.—Freeholders voted strongly in favor of municipal ownership when the by-law for the purchase of the works of the Peterborough Water Company was carried by a majority of 381, the vote being 450 for and 69 against.

PETROLEA, ONT.—The by-law for exemptions of taxes, etc., for the pork factory carried. The by-law for wagon works exemption carried. The by-law to abolish water commissioners was lost. The by-law for franchise to electric railway carried.

PORT HOPE, ONT.—The by-law granting a bonus of \$5,000 and exemption from taxation to the Canada Radiator Company was defeated by 308 for to 87 against. For the by-law to grant exemption of taxation for ten years to the Nicholson File Company the vote stood 377 for to 35 against. A total vote of not less than 414 in favor was required in each instance.

THAMESVILLE, ONT.—The vote

on the by law for granolithic sidewalks resulted as follows: 30 for, 88 against.

SANDWICH, ONT.—The following by-laws for exemption of taxes for ten years were successful: The Saginaw Lumber and Salt Company, the J. H. Bishop Company. The following were defeated: Beet Sugar Company, Hardwood Finishing Company, South Essex Electric Railway Company.

SARNIA, ONT.—The road improvement by-law was defeated by 55 majority, the water-works by-law by 2, and the market improvement by-law by 40.

SEAFORTH, ONT.—A by-law to expend \$8,000 for drainage purposes was carried.

ST. MARY'S, ONT.—The good roads by-law for \$30,000 was defeated by 17 votes.

WALKERTON, ONT.—The by-law making a grant to a sugar company carried by 377 to 18.

WATERLOO, ONT.—The by-law for sewer debentures carried by 65 majority.

WIARTON, ONT.—The bonus of \$25,000 for the Beet Sugar Company of this town was carried almost unanimously.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—A by-law loaning the Woodstock Wagon Co. \$12,000 was defeated.

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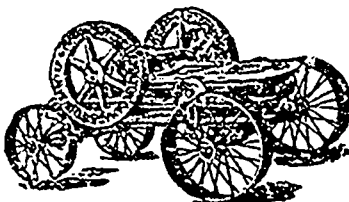
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