

NOMINATIONS IN NEARBY PLACES

Those Who Are Nominated in Towns, Villages and Townships.

FEW BY ACCLAMATION. Trenton, Deseronto and Other Live Towns in This District See Fight.

Reports from nearby towns, villages and townships show generally a keen interest in local municipal politics. There were acclamations in some places, while in others the contests will be keen.

Frankford village will be represented in Hastings County Council this year by Reeve Walter E. Windover.

TRENTON.
Mayor—W. A. Fraser, Col. A. E. Bywater, J. Funnell, Mark Tripp, N. J. McNair, Hugh O'Rourke.
Councillors—W. Hyde, W. W. White, Dr. McQuade, L. M. Parks, Hugh O'Rourke, Chas. Richardson, C. W. Lott, Henry Desjardins, J. H. Sills, T. McAuley, N. J. McNair, A. E. Cuff, H. S. Langdon, George Collins, F. L. Vallesau, Mark Tripp, John Simpson, E. Ellis, T. Jarrett, E. T. Mayhew, Geo. Sprentall, M. Datoe, L. Roenik, T. F. Rixon, R. Robertson, R. L. Haines, Chas. Goodwin, W. R. Bontor, B. W. Powers, B. Lowery, C. Vanalstine, G. H. Muroff, J. H. Kinney, W. H. Ireland, W. E. Milne, W. B. Powers.
Public School Trustees, (3 to elect)—H. Kemp, Chas. Foster, E. E. Mayhew, Gordon Meyers, E. Allison.
Public Utility Commissioners—H. F. Whittier, F. C. Adset, Mark Tripp.

THURLOW.
Thurlow electors' confidence in the 1920 regime led to the return by acclamation of the old Council for the new year, as follows:
Reeve—Nathaniel Vermilyea.
Dep. Reeve—J. G. Sills.
Councillors—W. B. Tufts, Robert Garbutt and Dan McDonnell.
No opposition developed, no one being nominated against Reeve Vermilyea and his associates. After the nomination the members of the Council all spoke.

SIDNEY.
Sidney township will be represented in the Hastings County Council in 1921 by Mr. W. A. Reid as Reeve, and Mr. Clem. H. Ketcheson as Deputy Reeve. Reeve Charles Vandewater retired from the nomination yesterday and allowed Mr. Reid to have the reeve ship by acclamation. Mr. Ketcheson also received the office of deputy by acclamation.
The Council also goes in by acclamation, the Councillors being E. Fyser, F. R. Mallory and Arthur L. Barke.

DESERONTO.
Mayor—W. J. Malley, E. A. Rixen
Reeve—T. J. Naylor, R. J. S. Dewar.
Councillors—Joseph R. Stainton, Thos. Fox, J. A. Dunn, Chas. Brennan, R. J. S. Dewar, A. G. Bogart, R. Miller, J. C. Burns, Milton Hunt, W. H. Harvey, E. C. Metcalfe, Alfred McCullough, John Dalton, M. J. Meagher, Isaac Allen, Reuben Clement.
School Trustees—East Ward, William Wilson, (accl.); Centre Ward, B. L. Dettlor, (accl.); West Ward, James Fairburn, L. G. Spencer.

MADOC VILLAGE.
Nominations in Madoc Village for 1921 council were:
Reeve—Joseph Barnes, Walter Whytock.
Council—John Armstrong, R. C. Fair, Walter Whytock, T. G. Burnside, John Robertson, Percy Naylor, E. C. Tufts, Chas. Reid, Chas. Whytock, George West.
School Trustees—John Smith, Leonard King, T. E. Burnside, Chas. Henderson, Mrs. William Cross, Mrs. W. J. Hill, (three to be elected).

FRANKFORD.
For the first time Frankford had nominations yesterday, the village now being incorporated. Mr. Walter E. Windover was elected reeve by acclamation. Dr. J. U. Simmons, Chas. F. Rose and A. J. Hendricks were also nominated but withdrew. There are thirteen nominations for council.
STIRLING.
Reeve—Lindsay Melkielehn, R. T. Conlter, Thomas Montgomery, Chas. Maguire.
Councillors, (three to be elected)—B. Bolshaw, C. Vanallen, L. Melkielehn, Thomas Montgomery.

TWIND.
At Twind Samuel Rollins and Dr.

Kindrew were nominated for the reeve ship.

HUNTINGDON.
Huntingdon township nominations for the reeve ship are:—W. G. Jeffrey, Jas. Haggerty, D. Farney, W. E. Tummon.

AMELIASBURG.
There were many nominations at Ameliasburg yesterday. Owing to stormy conditions, the attendance of ratepayers was not large. The nominations stand today as follows:
Reeve—D. W. Robinson, R. H. Fox, John A. Weese, James Robinson.
Deputy Reeve—R. H. Fox, James Robinson, W. J. Reddick, E. C. Hubbs, E. E. Bontor, W. J. Reddick, R. C. Hubbs, B. R. Chase, E. E. Bontor.

RAWDON.
Reeve—Chas. Thompson, T. A. Bailey.
Deputy Reeve—James Cranston, (accl.)
There is a possibility of no election.

ELZEVIR.
Reeve—James Moore.
Councillors—E. A. Groves, W. Greatrix, Jeffrey Laftan, Wm. Speck, (accl.)

TYENDINAGA.
Tyendinaga is to have a contest for councillors but the reeve and deputy are:
Reeve—J. V. Walsh, (accl.)
Deputy—Chas. R. Osborn, (accl.)
Councillors—Dennis Callaghan, Fred Kimerly, R. McCullough, Francis F. Kinnear and Joseph Brickley.

MAYO.
Reeve—Frank White, (accl.)

FARADAY.
Reeve—Walter Wiggins, (accl.)
BANCROFT VILLAGE.
Reeve—Dr. Embury, (accl.)
MONTEAGLE & HERSCHEL.
E. Ballard will likely receive an acclamation as reeve.

MADOC TOWNSHIP.
Madoc township council was re-elected by acclamation, as follows:
Reeve—W. H. Kells.
Deputy Reeve—R. A. Woods.
Council—(Accl.)

HUNGERFORD.
Hungerford township council was returned by acclamation.
Reeve—James H. Clare.
Deputy Reeve—J. L. Newton.

TUDOR AND CASHEL.
Reeve—E. Ray.

BANGOR.
Reeve—John Green, (accl.)
MARMORA VILLAGE.
Reeve—George Bruce Airhart, Baldwin C. Hubbell.
Councillors, (4 to elect)—Ben Shannon, John B. Nairrie, William A. Sanderson, Frank Merritt, Donald Chisholm, Stanis Bertrand, B. C. Hubbell, A. H. Conners.

MARMORA TOWNSHIP.
Reeve—John Richardson, (accl.)
Councillors, (accl.)—W. D. Nickle, J. E. Maloney, R. E. Bontor, L. E. Neal.

Marchmont Home Says "Thank You"

Editor Ontario.—
Will you be kind enough to insert the following notice.—The manager of the Marchmont Home desires to thank the friends who so kindly provided Christmas cheer for the little ones spending their first Christmas in Canada, G.W.V.A., a pair of flannellette sheets and warm quilt; A Friend of Marchmont, apples; Mr. Johns, apples; Mr. Lover, apples; Miss Hat, oranges, candy, nuts; Mrs. Green, joint of beef; Mrs. McFee, candy; Mr. Bishop, pop corn and pepper; Sr. IV, girls of Queen Mary School, dolls and bags of candy; Miss Forman's class of Baptist Church, \$2.71 for Christmas cheer; The Epworth League of W. Belleville Church, toys, candy and entertainment.
Yours truly,
W. H. MERRY.

SLEEPING SICKNESS.
Detroit, Dec. 28.—Sleeping sickness has taken another Detroit man, the manager of the city gas company, ill for six weeks, was the fourth victim.

Ex-Mayor D. E. O. Platt and Mrs. Platt, who have been in the United States for some time are renewing acquaintances in the city.

MRS. HARDING IN FLYING CLOTHES



Mrs. Warren G. Harding, wife of the President-elect (right) and Mrs. R. B. Creager, who acted as hostess to the Hardings during their visit at Point Pleasant, donned flying togs for an air trip at Cosa Sola Air Station, Canal Zone. It was Mrs. Harding's first air flight, and she pronounced it "perfectly wonderful."

CANADIAN ARTIST FIRST TO PAINT JAPAN'S RULERS

J. W. L. Forster Has Unique Experience in the Flowery Kingdom—Had no Sittings—But Was Forced to Depend on Occasional Glimpses of Their Majesties.

J. W. L. Forster, the Toronto portrait artist who recently painted portraits of their Majesties the Emperor and Empress of Japan, while in Tokio as a delegate to the World's Sunday School Convention, has returned to Toronto and, in an interview with The Star, tells of the circumstances under which the portraits—which were the first ever painted of any of the reigning heads of Japan in the long history of that country—came to be undertaken.

The delegates had received so many indications of good will and hospitality that they were anxious to show their appreciation, with some act of a national character. It was suggested to the directors of the convention that their Majesties be presented with portraits of themselves which had created a precedent. In this suggestion was conveyed to their Majesties for approval. The idea was considered very unique but interesting and effective as a mark of appreciation and received the royal approval. The directors then summoned Mr. Forster to undertake the work.

richness and beauty of the paintings and the accuracy of the likenesses. This tribute to the work of a Canadian artist was all the more noteworthy in view of the fact that neither his Majesty nor her Majesty sat for their portraits. Their Majesties could not, consistent with the custom of the country pose for the artist. It was, therefore, necessary for Mr. Forster to get occasional glimpses of the rulers of Japan, by special arrangement.

And in the weeks during which the portraits were being painted he had personal views of his Majesty but once and of her Majesty twice. But he was assisted by photographs of their Majesties, the taking of which had created a precedent. In addition he had the assistance of members of the royal household, of ladies in waiting on her Majesty, of Imperial councillors and other attendants, who visited his studio from time to time watching the development of the portraits and giving counsel as to detail. There was also placed in his hands reproductions of the royal uniform of a field marshal with the various orders, Imperial and foreign and the military and other decorations worn by his Majesty.

Rulers are Pleased.
Mr. Forster's work was highly praised by their Majesties, who expressed "pleasure and surprise at the

LOCAL PUCK-CHASERS HAVE FIRST WORK-OUT OF SEASON

Manager Eddie Thomas frothed out his junior and intermediate prospects or suspects—Eddie refused to say yet which is which—last night. For a solid hour they dashed about and it must be admitted right here that for a first night performance they showed a good deal of class.

Some of the boys who played rugby or otherwise kept pretty lively like Armstrong, Vernon Weir, Hagerman and Whelan, stood the pace but others were a bit fagged; some of 'em as a matter of fact being inclined to droop.

But on the initial workout that is to be expected and is neither here nor there.

All the regulars were not on hand. Away on holidays you know. Tonight more are expected to show up for the manager will put on nightly work-outs.

Those who were on hand were:—Intermediate—Boland in goal who stopped 'em all but one or two; Lionel Arnott, Whalen, Weir, Sam Symons, Frank Goyer, Green and Goulin, a new comer.

Junior—Hunter, between the posts; Holway, Armstrong, L. Goyer, Coon and Hagerman. Garfield Arnott has been sounded with regard to turning out but he thinks not. The Junior outfit are to be polished into trim against their opening encounter with Trenton on Jan. 7th.

Last night they were all mixed working under orders of Manager Thomas who put on the skates himself.

There was a good turn out of "the faithful," leaning against the boards giving every last man of them the once over.

The boys watched Goulin, a likely youngster, with a good deal of care. He has lots of speed and handles the wood pretty well. It was his first time on the runners for the season. He dodged his way up to where he could shoot several times. Manager Thomas tried him out on the defence but it is a question just where he will be placed later on.

Holway got a nasty poke and opened the season with game leg. Both Boland and Hunter were given lots of chances to show what they could do in the nets.

Mr. Thomas said later to The Ontario that he was pleased with the workout.

Jimmy Barry has been chosen trainer for the intermediate team while Oscar Simpson will look after the physical needs of the juniors.

Mr. Thomas invites all and sundry local hockeyists to turn out. If they can make the grade they will be doubly welcome.

FRANKFORD SPORTS TO HAVE REAL RACE

A matched horse race of considerable importance to the sports in Frankford is being arranged for Saturday, January 3th. It originated from one of those many races that are trotted in the minds of certain folks more so than on terra firma. However, a nice-sized purse is being put up by the two interested parties, the winner to take all. The contesting horses are "Daisy Ridlon," driven by Mr. John G. Rose and owned by his son George, and "Major Larkin," owned and driven by Mr. Henry Rose, sr. One of the conditions is that these gentlemen shall drive, and the course to be but one-half mile.

MRS. E. B. McLEAN

Mrs. E. B. McLean passed away at her home, 51 Hillcrest Avenue today.

Personal Mention

Miss Sabra Bonisteel is visiting in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Meagher, Napanea, spent the week-end with their sons in this city.

Westerly winds, local flurries, but mostly fair and rather cold tonight and Wednesday.

Mr. D. A. Montgomery, manager of McIntosh Bros. store at Campbellford, was a visitor in the city on Monday.

Mrs. James Dyer, of Toronto, is expected in the city today to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bonisteel, W. Bridge St.

Mr. A. E. Donohue of Stratford and T. C. Donohue of Cornwall spent Xmas. with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Donohue.

Major McManus, of Kingston, is in the city. He was a well-known figure in the 15th A.L.I. bugle band circles many years ago.

Sergeant Shaw, of Toronto, who has been in the city for some time looking after the interests of the 15th Reg. A.L.I. is spending ten days leave in Toronto.

Dr. A. L. D. Campbell, of James-town, N.Y., returned to his home on Monday after spending Xmas. with his mother, Mrs. (Rev.) Amos Campbell, 92 Victoria Ave.

Mrs. E. Hansford with her son, Fred, of Sulphide, are spending the Christmas week with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Lockwood, 149 Charles St.

Mr. W. E. Scrymgeour, son of W. A. Scrymgeour, North Front Street, Belleville, spent Christmas here with his parents. He is leaving today for Camp Borden where he will resume his duties as corporal in the C.A.F.

Mrs. Matilda M. Crawford, who taught school in Michigan and France Edward County before her marriage to John Crawford of Durham County died as a result of a paralytic stroke at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maud Weiss, Toronto. She had been in poor health for some months. Mrs. Crawford was born in Syracuse, N.Y. A frequent contributor to the newspapers, she was fame as the authoress of the "Woman of the Country." Surviving her are Mrs. Weiss and one son, Blake Crawford.

WEDDING BELLS

JONES—GRANT
A quiet wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage Marmora, when Miss Emma Joy Grant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Grant, was united in marriage to Charles Stewart Jones, son of Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Jones. Rev. W. P. Woodger officiated. The happy couple left on a few days' visit to Toronto and on their return will visit in Marmora until after the New Year, when they will leave for their new home in the Maritime provinces. Their many friends will join in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

KISER—PENNY
Last evening at 7 p.m. the wedding of Winifred Marion, daughter of Mr. William Penny, to Carl D. Kiser, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Kiser, both of this city, was solemnized at the Presbyterian by Rev. Father Killeen. The bride looked lovely dressed in a white georgette over-blowse, over white satin. Miss Mae Burns, dressed in navy blue silk and georgette, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Michael Naphin was groomsmen.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Penny, Coleman street, where a sumptuous wedding supper was partaken of.

The groom's gift to the bride was a lovely chest of silver, to the bridesmaid a pearl earring and to the groomsmen a pearl tie pin.

The bride and groom, after a musical evening had been spent, left for their new home on Charlotte St.

MODELAND—CUNNINGHAM
A quiet but pretty wedding took place in Knox Presbyterian church, Peterborough, on Christmas morning, when Miss Jean Cunningham, daughter of Robert Cunningham, 488 Sherbrooke street, was united in marriage to Edward Modeland, of Belleville. Rev. J. A. McKenzie performed the ceremony. The bride and groom were unattended. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a

charming suit of African brown broadcloth, trimmed with opossum, with hat of gold cloth with brown veil and a corsage bouquet of Sunset roses. The wedding march, was played by the organist, Mr. Waldon. During the signing of the register, Mr. W. Turnbull sang "Untill."
The happy couple left on the 11.45 C.P.E. train for Montreal, the bride travelling in a seal coat trimmed with fitch, the gift of the groom. On their return from their honeymoon they will reside in Belleville.

Talk of the Town and of the Country

PARADE NEXT MONDAY.
All members of the 15th Regiment, A.L.I., are requested to attend parade on Monday, the 3rd of Jan. 1921.

FINES \$5,725 IN YEAR.
Total fines imposed by Police Magistrate Sparham, Smith's Falls, for the past year amounted to \$5,725. There were 240 sittings of the Police Court, and 230 persons tried. The great majority were O.T.A. offenders.

CHILD DIED OF BURNS.
A sad accident befell the three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Hinds, Centre street, Campbellford. While Mrs. Hinds was out getting a pail of water the little girl's dress caught on fire from the stove and on the mother's return she was enveloped in flames. Mrs. Hinds at once extinguished the blaze and called medical aid, but the little child was so badly burned that she died a few hours later.

A WONDERFUL SINGER.
George MacFarlane is at the Orpheum, Winnipeg. He was born at Kingston, Ont., and is regarded as possessing one of the best baritone voices on the concert stage. Mr. MacFarlane sings as his principal number "The Wreck of the Jullie Plante," one of the late Dr. Drummond's Habitant poems, set to music by Geoffrey O'Hara. He has just concluded a long season's engagement with "Miss Springtime" and acted the principal role. He was one of the successes of New York seasons, as well as in "The Laird" and "The Heart of the Heather." In vaudeville Mr. MacFarlane is displaying his fine voice and personality in a new repertoire, of which as is stated above, the principal is the late Dr. Drummond's well known French-Canadian song.

TO ENLARGE PLANT
Mr. R. Buchanan and son-in-law of Campbellford, paid Bancroft a business visit last week and while here put through a deal for the Bancroft Creamery. Mr. Buchanan has had many years experience in making cheese and is well known to a number of the farmers of the north, having made cheese in Hybla Cheese Factory for some time. The new management intend enlarging the plant and making much needed improvements.

HOTEL SOLD.
At Alexandria Bay, N.Y., the St. Lawrence Hotel property has been sold to Capt. Samuel Messey, who will take possession Feb. 1st, and who has plans for remodeling it. The property was owned by Mrs. Roy Rappole and Mrs. Frank Wagner. The consideration is understood to be in the neighborhood of \$17,000.

DIED WHILE CLEANING WALK.
Joseph Moorehouse, of Smith's Falls, aged eighty-one, fell while cleaning ice from his walk and died in a few minutes.

TWO CARS OFF
Two cars of wheat left the rails at Foxboro station on Monday blocking the Madoc and Peterboro trains. The special was sent out to transfer the one hundred and ten passengers from both trains to this city. The line was cleared by the Belleville Auxiliary by two-thirty in the afternoon.

Four children from Hamilton Township were taken to the Children's Shelter at Port Hope by the Rev. J. T. Daley. Their ages are 13 years, 10, 8, and a babe one year and three months old. The father of the children is an industrious hard working man but the mother gave no attention whatever, to the children, and the oldest girl had the care of the other three.

NINE SLAIN ON CHRISTMAS
London, Dec. 28.—There was a death toll of nine in Ireland on Christmas Day.

GIFTS THAT LAST

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Vermilyea Reeve By Acclamation Forty-One Times

A Municipal career perhaps without equal is that of Reeve Nathaniel Vermilyea of Thurlow. Yesterday he was returned to the township council for the forty-sixth time. Forty-two times he has come up as reeve. So absolute is the confidence of Thurlow taxpayers in their reeve that he has received in his long public life no less than forty-one acclamations. It is county council record is well-known.

Farmer Loses All In Midnight Fire

Fire at midnight destroyed the frame dwelling occupied by Mr. Peever, on the fourth concession of Thurlow, west of the Foxboro road and caused the loss of all the contents. The family had to flee from the burning building without saving any of their belongings, the children having to run out in their bare feet. The family retired about eleven o'clock last night, after the fire in the range and Quebec heater had been fixed for the night. The blaze is supposed to have started in the chimney.

The house was owned by Mr. N. Vermilyea, reeve of Thurlow. Mr. Peever has been working for Mr. Arthur Vermilyea and carried no insurance on his contents.

McGUIGAN NAMED IN HANNA PROBE

Appointed by Minister of Labor Under Lemieux Act—Regina Man Also.

OTTAWA, Dec. 27.—The management of the Canadian National Railway having failed to nominate anyone to represent them on the Board of Conciliation in response to the request of the employees of that company in the dispute over the famous "Hanna order," Hon. G. D. Robertson, Minister of Labor, has named F. H. McGuigan, of Toronto, to represent the company on that board, and Mr. McGuigan and the employees' representative, David Campbell, of Regina, have been requested to meet and select a chairman. Should they fail to agree on a choice of the third member of the board, the Minister of Labor has power, under the Industrial Disputes Act, to nominate a third member who shall act as chairman.

The employees' representative was named some time ago, but the company failed to name anyone within the time allowed under the Act, and though the time for doing so was considerably extended, still failed to submit a name. The Minister, in naming Mr. McGuigan, therefore exercised the authority given him under the Lemieux Act.

Mr. McGuigan is a large contractor and was formerly identified with the Grand Trunk Railway and the construction of the Ontario Hydro-Electric system.

EXPRESSMAN HURT.
Wesley Merritt, driver for the Dominion Express had his nose injured when a piece of furniture fell from a load of express goods, striking him on the face.

THEY SMOKED
Lt.-Col. Vanderwater, D. S. O., and officers of the Argyll Light Infantry last evening held a smoker at the headquarters in the armories. An enjoyable time was spent by the officers and their guests.

BELLEVILLE

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PROTECTING

The action of the gun in rounding up the "dope artists," is all the larger centres of good deal of trouble when all kinds of trouble chased out of the large ups resulting from crime certain that a number of their way across the b evidences already that scrupulous criminals are In the larger cities that expected to be more acute.

The carrying of fire that seems to be increase of the authorities to that approximately six imported into the courts very small percentage officers, bank officials protection of this kind. weapons brought in we for military target practice officials who believe, in able regarding revolver in crimes of various kind rived not only for more of the regulations in reized carrying of weapon age of more stringent particularly new in this rances in England it was materially restrict the police there were given the amendments to extend even more important, carrying out the new were rather surprising, satisfactory, as there was noticeable decrease in are certain people who conditions, find it absolute a gun. This is provided are hundreds, perhaps they are carrying weapons v ness to, and for no good clean-up of "gunmen" harm, and would very general public is concerned

SPARGO

The article by H. C. has recent visit there of have been severe criticism on this side of the previously superficial quality gained a real condition completely rid of his facts as John Spargo.

Mr. Spargo is a knows, though no longer which he left because tude. He wished to be even in Bolshevism, they were an expression wrote favorably of the government in the beg vestigated the operation Trotsky, he realized their government to be the age. He takes up shows that the latter has without further inquiry has deceived him.

Mr. Wells recognized greatest need of Russia who can organize and d the least of Mr. Spargo is that the latter suppress which he ought to have which he had no right it, that the Bolshevists of the population and set ditches and cleaning st fact and the suppression and responsible writer i