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THE NOMINATIONS.

The Village Clerk, Wm. Turner, took his seat in the council chamber on Friday at twelve o'clock to receive nominations for council and trustees for 1894.

The following were nominated:
REEVE—A. FERGUSON,
Elected by acclamation.

COUNCILLORS.

H. Campbell, S. Bateson, Jno. Clark, R. R. Elliot, G. Walter Greene, Dr. H. A. Turner, Isaac Richardson, W. Pickup.

TRUSTEES.

A. Ferguson, John Allan, A. Leach, Geo. Campbell, I. Needham, D. Chambers, L. Clarry.

Nominations being closed, Mr. S. Bateson demanded a poll for councillors and Mr. W. D. Nugent for school trustees, and the meeting adjourned.

PUBLIC MEETING.

Fly sheets were scattered in the afternoon calling a meeting of village electors in the hall at 7.30 o'clock, p.m., to discuss matters municipal.

Mr. W. D. Nugent was appointed chairman and called first upon Reeve Ferguson to speak.

The Reeve went pretty fully into County council business (of which we cannot give a satisfactory report on account of arriving late) but his remarks on the Poor House question were worthy of consideration.

Although the maintenance of our indigent poor should cost more (which does not seem to be the case from the experience of places where houses of refuge are in existence) still from a sanitary, humane and civilized standpoint, it seems to us the only proper way to look after the aged poor. A few remarks followed on local and school affairs, after which he took his seat.

Councillor Clark was not ashamed of anything he had done. He had lived in the place for thirty-five years and paid taxes for thirty-one. He

spent his money here—not going to Peterboro' or Port Hope. He concluded by wishing all a happy new year.

Isaac Richardson thought the old heads should speak first. He was surprised at the Reeve supporting Port Hope back into the counties. He thought since Mr. Elliot was retiring he would like to represent his seat for that end of the village. He made no promises, but was independent of any man, click or clan. When he went into anything he didn't like to be beat, but could not see everybody. He wished one and all a merry Christmas.

Mr. W. S. Pickup never had inflicted a speech upon such an occasion and thought he would go to Bateson's on Sunday evening after church and get one from him, which he did, but had lost it in the well. He would be sure to find it in the spring and would give it to them then. He had no serious complaint with the old council or with those who were running, they had all promised to vote for him and he for them. He did not want them to plump, but to vote for him and three others.

G. Walter Green felt somewhat nervous, not being in the habit of speaking, but if elected would be as careful for the corporation as he was for himself in his own business. He thought the old council had not acted right in some instances and although they were all friends and neighbors he felt like criticizing them as public servants. The Mead fence, costing \$150, should have been built for \$50—but perhaps there was some explanation. If it took 24 mills instead of 20 to run the village it should be known, and each year should pay its own way. We want to know where we stand. Did not think 15 mills would run the village, for he was told that we had nothing to do with 16 1/2 mills of our levy. The \$5 they paid to S. Mead for conveyance was something he never had to pay when purchasing property, but the seller furnished the deed. The financial statement was not satisfactory, and for a corporation to have to borrow eight or nine hundred dollars a year was not the thing. Asking for some explanation of the interest question and soliciting their votes he made way for the next speaker.

H. Campbell supposed they expected a great speech from him as they always got such. The Reeve had made explanation for the old council. He had done what he thought best, but the best of men were apt to make mistakes.

Dr. H. A. Turner had been called away and consequently did not respond to his name.

S. Bateson had pleasure in appearing before them again for the second time to answer for his deeds, he had had some pleasant times to reflect on in the council and some not so pleasant. As regards THE REPORTER statements the new streets were paid for, except one for which they had no deed as yet. The \$50 rebate he was opposed to, some of the council thought different. As to J. Crocker's \$3.50 he could find no bill and could not say whether it was correct or not. A. Ferguson's big V was all O. K., and the council had voted it. The 8 1/2 per cent. interest was a matter for the Reeve to answer for. The current notes were for Cavan street, which had cost more than expected. The Reeve guaranteed it would not exceed \$40, but when the settlement came Mr. Ferguson wanted \$50 for Mrs. Mead. The council refused to grant it, but carried it at next meeting when he was absent. He had always done his best and had nothing to cover up. The street lights were not satisfactory and he thought the lamp-lighter should be his own boss. The reeling hose outlay was all right, for fires had been numerous. He hoped they would support his return to council for 1894.

For Trustees only Isaac Needham took the platform of those who are remaining in the field. He was in favor of opening the station school and a general improvement of the whole school, and if elected would do his best for the section. Mr. L. Clarry, after making a few remarks, retired in favor of Mr. Chambers. Mr. R. R. Elliot has, we understand, withdrawn his name for the council, and Mr. Chambers likewise for the school board.

"A snake in the grass" is all the more dangerous from being unsuspected. So are many of the blood medicines offered the public. To avoid all risk, ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is just out for new year.

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6 yards Knicker Plaid \$1.50, well worth \$3.00.
6 yards Finest Hopsacking, all colors \$2.34, well worth \$4.50.
6 yards 54-inch Dress Tweeds, \$2.70, well worth \$4.80.
6 yards black all wool Henrietta, \$2.60, well worth \$3.00.
Fancy Jersey Mantle Cloth, for 75c. per yard, well worth \$2.
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3 Silk Frills for 10c.

2 Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs for 25c.

4 Cakes Old Brown Windsor Soap for 10c.

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We are glad to hear that Mr. W. C. Thordyke, who has been ill with la grippe, has recovered and is once more able to drive over the bad roads.

Mr. Harry Wood spent a few days last week visiting friends in Emily.

Mr. Fred Smith of Toronto is visiting at Mr. W. H. Wood's.

We are glad to state that Mr. Robert Hutchison who has been ill with la grippe is able to be out again.

The last roar of the British Lion for 'the year '93 was heard at the residence of Mr. W. H. Wood, jr., on Thursday last.

Mr. G. spent Sunday with friends on this line.

What we would like to know? Who the fifth line correspondent is? When Lue is going down east? How John enjoyed his drive to the long swamp on Christmas? When Mand is going on that visit? If Will enjoyed his drive on Saturday evening? If W's knee is getting better? Why the people were so late getting to church on Christmas? Where that sheep is wintering belonging to Mr. W. H. Wood, jr.

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