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MAJOR RORKE THE MAN

Who Will Again Hold the Seat

In the Local Legislature for East Grey—A Large and Harmonious Gathering at Rocklyn on Saturday.

As we anticipated, Major Rorke has again secured the nomination as standard bearer for the Conservative party in East Grey at the forthcoming election for the Legislature. The meeting on Saturday was composed of 107 delegates from the various points in the riding. Thos Kells, President of the Association, conducted the meeting in a manner highly creditable to himself and the party, and everything worked together most harmoniously.

There were a number of nominations, but only three stood the ballot, viz., Major Rorke, T. Gilray, Esq., and Neil McColman, Esq. The speeches of the candidates were each limited to fifteen minutes, and therefore they complained that they could not do themselves justice. After the speeches a ballot was taken, which resulted as follows: Rorke 57, Gilray 29, McColman 22. Major Rorke was therefore unanimously declared to be the nominee of the convention.

The two following resolutions were put to the meeting and carried unanimously:

That we, as a convention, desire to place our unanimous expression of approval on record as to the able, efficient and steadily consistent course pursued by the Conservative organ, the Empire, on all those leading questions throughout the Dominion that tend to affect our British connection, our trade policy and our Canadian interests. Also we pledge ourselves, so far as we are able, to give said Conservative organ our financial support and personal influence in aiding the extension of its circulation in our midst.

We, the members of the Liberal-Conservative Association of Centre Grey, take this opportunity of voicing the sentiments of the Conservatives of this riding. We view with proud satisfaction the grand work done by the Opposition under the able leadership of Mr. Meredith in his efforts to guide the legislation of the Ontario House, in their brave fight for equal rights to all and special privileges for none. Especially do we endorse his action in trying by new legislation the reform of abuses of power by the Provincial Government through their appointed license commissioners, road bosses and magistrates.

Resolved, that we endorse the stand taken by Mr. Meredith and his followers on the dual language in our schools, believing that English alone should be the language of instruction, and no sectarian doctrines should be taught in our schools; that our histories should be such as would cultivate a healthy, patriotic sentiment in the youth of our land, and that a vote of thanks be passed to Mr. Joe Rorke, M.P.P., for his services during the last four years.

Kimberley.

From our own Correspondent.

The wedding bells are still ringing. Miss Carrie Myles, of this place, was united in the bonds of matrimony to Mr. J. May, of Orangeville, which happy event took place on Wednesday last, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. Myles. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Watts. The happy couple took their departure early in the afternoon for their home in Orangeville. Miss Myles will be missed very much in this vicinity, as she was a favorite of old and young. She was a member of the Methodist church here for some time past and took an active part in church work. She was also a member of the choir here for some time and will be much missed, as she took a very active part. She will be missed also in our social circles as well as in church work. Your correspondent wishes her happiness in her new sphere of life.

Messrs. J. and G. McConnell have

returned from Muskoka. They look well.

Mr. George Graham and G. Burritt have had a very severe attack of la grippe. They are recovering slowly.

We are informed that quite a number of young people tripped the light fantastic toe in our village one evening last week. Some of them did not get home very early.

[The above was received too late for last week's issue. Ed. ADVANCE.]

Vinegar Hill.

Mr. C. Scanlan has returned home from visiting his friends.

One of our most enterprising farmers of this district has adopted a ten o'clock system. The inmates of the house do not approve of it, but it saves wood and coal oil, and he says Wright must rule. Sammie is a good fellow and a strict member of the Q. C.

Mr. D. Miller had a poor turnout at his bee on Thursday last. On account of his broken leg people were afraid he could not return the compliment.

Dick does not approve of Irwin Fawcett's oxen being the strongest in the township, but says he will bet from \$5 to \$20 on George Allen's.

Mr. Wm. Cooper will preach on Sunday at the usual hour. We hope he will have a large attendance as he is a Christian and doing all he can for the good of our country.

O. B. RECKLESS.

Priceville.

From our own Correspondent.

Jack Frost came to the front again last week.

Mr. Geo. Tryon has sold out his butchering business and is going into the droving business.

Mr. W. Watson, sr., has arranged for the manufacture of a new patent washing machine. Coopers, machinists and others are busy executing his orders. We hope it may grow into a successful and extensive industry.

The Curling Club played two rinks with Dusham on the 5th. Score 19 to 50 in favor of Durham. The return game was played on Monday last in the skating rink here. Score, seven in favor of Durham.

Mr. J. McGowan, our miller, has more pigs feeding, we think, than any man in the township. He has a building nearly one hundred feet long, fitted up with furnaces, etc., and it is nearly full of hogs.

Mr. T. Ferguson, up on the hill, says that he killed a pig lately that dressed 505 lbs. About every second farmer that comes into the shop has something to say about "Tom Ferguson's pigs."

Mr. Silas Leslie is preparing for his flight to the prairie province.

Another wedding party came into town last week. Mr. A. McDonald, of the 19th con., Proton, and Miss McDonald, daughter of Mr. John McDonald, of Egremont, drawn by a spirited horse with gay trappings, led the train, which halted at the manse, then the Rev. D. McLeod fell to and wedded two McDonalds into one.

A sleigh load of members of Flesherton Division S. T. visited the Division here last Thursday evening, and a very enjoyable time was spent, it is said.

A son of Mr. James Ferris, of Proton, while working in the woods last week, got several ribs broken and other internal injuries by a tree falling and crushing him. By good care he will likely recover.

Big Fire At Owen Sound.

OWEN SOUND, March 10.—A serious fire took place here this morning in the Butchart block. The large hardware establishment of R. P. Butchart & Bros. and the furniture warehouses of R. Breckenridge & Sons were completely destroyed. The adjoining buildings were more or less damaged, together with considerable loss to the stocks. The fire is supposed to have resulted from spontaneous combustion. Several people were injured by falling walls, among them Fire Marshal

Thomas Gordon, who received a serious cut in the head. The total loss is variously estimated at from \$55,000 to \$65,000, partly covered by insurance.

The following are the losses: R. P. Butchart & Bro., loss \$38,000, insured in the Western for \$3,000, Queen's \$5,000, City of London \$4,000; R. Breckenridge & Son, loss \$6,000, insured in Fire Insurance Company for \$1,800; Commercial Union \$2,000; Creasor, Morrison & Smith, loss \$9,000, insured in the Lancashire for \$1,100; W. J. Manley, loss \$2,000 insured in the Caledonia for \$1,000, British America \$890, North British and Mercantile Company \$1,000; Mrs. Grant, loss \$1,200, insured in the North British and Mercantile Company for \$500; W. K. Ireland, loss \$200, insured in the Mercantile for \$1,000; L. H. Alexander, loss \$1,500, insured in the Mercantile for \$550; H. Lapan & Co., loss \$200, insured in the city of London for \$1,000; J. H. Raven, loss \$200, no insurance; W. Craig, loss \$800, no insurance; H. Knight, \$100; Masson & Masson, \$100, no insurance; J. Caton, \$300, no insurance; Thomson & Smith, \$1,400, no insurance.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhea, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Syrup," and take no other kind.

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