

THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Mr. J. Fyfe Elected Reeve for 1887 By Acclamation.

AN INCOMPLETE COUNCIL.

The Municipal nomination on Monday was largely attended. From the way nominations were made it seemed as though there would be no scarcity of candidates.

Mr. Fyfe is a young man of enterprise and ability. He has freely expended his means in improving property in the municipality.

Mr. Cameron has also occupied a seat at the Council Board and performed his duty well. He is a man of honest principles, and his convictions upon public matters are freely expressed.

Dr. Lowry has served a considerable term as a public man, having filled the responsible position of Public School Trustee for four or five years, one of which he acted as chairman of the Board.

Mr. W. E. Smith is a new man in municipal politics. He has, however, shown an interest in the prosperity of his adopted town ever since he settled here.

The following are the nominations:—

FOR REEVE.

- 1. Wm. Allan—Nominated by Alex. F. Smith and Joseph Anderson. Declined.
2. Joseph Fyfe—By Wm. Hemstreet and Alex. Secord.
3. John Kenney—By Arthur Lambert and J. Halsted. Declined.
4. Patrick Kelly—By A. F. Smith. No second.

FOR COUNCILLORS.

- 1. Wm. Ismond—By Peter McCann and Arthur Lambert.
2. Wm. E. Smith—By Alex. F. Smith and Wm. Hemstreet. Declined.
3. John Cameron—By Alex. F. Smith and Thomas Easton.
4. Dr. Lowry—By Wm. Hemstreet and Wm. Ramsey.
5. J. B. Brown—By Jos. Anderson and Wm. Ismond. Declined.
6. Robert Walker—By Luther Lyman and Peter McCann. Declined.
7. James Brown, Farmer—By T. H. Harding and Jos. Anderson.
8. Paul Jarvis—By Alex. Smith and John Cameron. Declined.
9. W. P. Moore—By Thos. Easton and H. P. Moore. Declined.
10. H. P. Moore—By A. F. Smith and William Ramsey. Declined.
11. Anthony Stimpson—By Dr. McGarvin and Wm. E. Smith.
12. A. E. Nickles—By H. P. Moore and Thos. Perryman, jr. Declined.
13. J. A. Speight—By Jos. Anderson and Arthur Lambert. Declined.
14. Joseph Anderson—By W. T. Smyth and Wm. Ismond. Declined.
15. Alex. F. Smith—By Wm. Ismond and Arthur Lambert. Declined.
16. Thos. C. Moore—By Robt. Warren and Thos. Perryman, jr. Declined.
17. Robert Wallace—By Wm. Worden and Wm. E. Smith. Declined.
18. Alex. Secord—By H. P. Moore and Wm. Hemstreet. Declined.
19. Dr. McGarvin—By Alex. Secord and Wm. E. Smith. Declined.
20. D. Henderson—By Dr. McGarvin and H. P. Moore. Declined.
21. John Harvey—By Jos. Fyfe and Wm. Hemstreet. Declined.

At the expiration of the hour the returning officer retired and Dr. McGarvin was moved to the chair.

In the absence of Reeve Storey, the chairman called upon Mr. Henderson, chairman of the Finance Committee during the past year. Mr. Henderson explained that the expenditure of the year, outside of uncontrollable expenses, was so very small that he had not deemed it worth while preparing a detailed statement.

The chief English city in the Dominion—Toronto—is only about one-fifth the size of Chicago. And yet in many respects Chicago cannot compare with Toronto.

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MOWAT SUSTAINED.

He Returns to Parliament With An Increased Majority.

MAJOR KERNS THE FAVORITE.

The Conservative Party Continue to Hold the Fort in Halton for the Local House.

The election is over and by this time the excitement incident to a general election has about subsided and politicians will again have assumed their normal everyday tone.

Mr. John Cameron, had decided some time ago not to stand for re-election, and had said as much to a number of the rate-payers. He had no desire for the office of Councillor, but having been strongly pressed by many warm friends he had allowed himself to be nominated.

The other nominees having quietly retired no further speeches were made, and the meeting adjourned.

NOMINATIONS ELSEWHERE.

Essex—Reeve—N. Lindsay, 1st Dep. Reeve—John Warren and Dr. Webster, second Deputy Reeve, H. P. Lawson and R. Graham. Councillors, F. Ruddell, John Evans, Richard Dick and John Campbell.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION.

The election of school trustees to fill the vacancies caused by the lapse of the terms of office of Messrs. W. P. Brown and Thos. C. Moore took place at noon yesterday.

THE PERSONNEL OF THE BOARD IS NOW MESSRS.

J. E. McGarvin, Chairman, W. H. Storey, Dr. Lowry, George Hynde, Thos. Ebbage and David Henderson.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Mount Forest Representative refers to Mr. W. H. Storey as 'Acton's veteran Reeve,' and the Brantford Banner says 'Mr. Storey announces his retirement from municipal politics in a George Washington farewell to his subjects.'

THE SUCCESSFUL TEACHERS.

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