I. O. O. F.

Orion Lodge, No. 192, meets every Monday evening. Visitors cordially welcomed.
T. J. WHEELER, Secy. W. A. MASON, N. G.

FORESTERS.

Court Zeal to Science, No. 9313, I. O. F., meets in the Oddfellows' Hall, the third Tuesday of each month. Parties desiring to become members please make application with any of the following:—Jno. Slater, C. R.; J. Drummond, V. C. R.; R. Adams, F. S.; H. Stakeman, R. S.

HOME CIRCLE.

Georgetown Branch, No. 617, meets in the Oddfellows' Hall, first Friday in each month. Any information regarding the Society will be furnished by the following:
JOHN BURNS. H. MATTHEWS.
R. D. WARREN. R. HILBURN.

The Georgetown Herald

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1891.

THE RETIRING COUNCIL.

It is a significant fact that not a word, worthy of notice, was spoken against the retiring Council of this municipality at nomination on Monday evening. The remarks concerning the work done by the members were commendatory on all hands. The Council [illegible] the Reeve who [illegible] of the most flattering eulogies he received from men of high standing in the electorate. G. H. Kennedy has, in a manly manner, in an intelligent manner, in an altogether satisfactory manner, filled the position of the Reeveship of Georgetown. The Councillors, too, received their share of praise that was not undeserved.

What is the origin of the Canadian Christmas turkey? This was the problem that was brought before us on Friday last. We were inclined to answer at first that it was the ancient English Xmas goose but upon further reflection we remembered that scientists have fully established the fact that no distinct species of animal has ever been evolved from another species and so we had to give up the theory that it must have originated in what our biologists would call pre-existent turkey. But whatever or wherever it originated we want to express our thorough belief and hearty approval of the institution and hope that with its accompaniments of plum pudding and mince pie it may long continue to be the established Canadian Xmas dinner.

"Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky,
The flying cloud, the frosty light;
The year is dying in the night;
Ring out, wild bells, and let him die."

By the time this issue of the HERALD has reached many of its readers, the bells will have tolled the old year out and the ruing the new year in. To some the tolling of the bells will be the most prominent, bringing as it will the recollection of disappointed hopes and departed friends. To others the joyful greeting of the New Year will be the most prominent as it points forward to the happy prospects and bright hopes of the future. For the first class we would wish that the coming year may be much brighter and happier than their present sad hearts would seem to predict; and for the second class we would wish that their brightest anticipations may be fully realized. Let us all join with the poet on the desire that the bells may

"Ring out the grief that saps the mind,
For those that here we see no more;
Ring out the fend of rich and poor,
Ring in redress to all mankind."

SONG SERVICE.

There was a large attendance at the exceedingly interesting and profitable song service in the Congregational church on Sunday evening. The programme was as follows:

1 Choir, "The Lord's Prayer." 2 Invocation. 3 Choir, "Arise Shine." 4 Hymn 343, "Rise up Shepherd." 5 Solo, "Oh God, the Lord of Hosts," Mrs. Abbott. 6 Scripture. 7 Choir, "Hark! What mean those Holy Voices." 8 Collection. 9 Remarks. 10 Hymn 315, "Prayer." 11 Quartette, "Lamb of God." 12 Scripture. 13 Choir, "There were Shepherds." 14 Remarks. 15 Choir, "The Sun shall be no More." 16 Hymn 1066, "Hernando." 17 Prayer. 18 Doxology and Benediction.

A Fire At The Glen.

On Tuesday morning about 5:30 o'clock the engine and dye house of Messrs Sykes & Ainley, Glenwilliams, took fire and was soon burned to the ground. Our fire brigade was telephoned for and promptly responded but although all worked hard to subdue the flames they were able only to save the main building. The loss will amount to $8,000, insurance $6,000. The fire is said to have been caused by the explosion of a lamp. The [illegible] an unfortunate building for fires.

Burned to Death.

Mr. James D. McCulloch of the firm of Day & McCulloch, Hamilton was burned to death Saturday morning. He got up about 2 o'clock in the morning to see to the furnace in the cellar. He poured coal oil on the coal, the flames burst out and caught his clothing. When his wife arrived on the scene he lay on the floor horribly burned. He lived only three hours. He was married [illegible]

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

G. H. KENNEDY IS REEVE.

THE REEVE AND 2ND DEPUTY OF ESQUESING RE-ELECTED.

A Busy Council and 2nd Deputy in the Township. Georgetown School Board [illegible]

POLITICS AGAIN TAKES PRECEDENCE OF THE COUNCIL AT THE LAST MOMENT TO DISPOSE.

Nominations all over the Province took place on Monday, in this locality the township of Esquesing seems to have raised the most excitement. There was no lack of life in the political and public speaking sense here, quite a number of electors attended the nomination and the township organization.

The nominations were as follows:—

REEVE.

Dr. Webster by G. C. Thompson, seconded by Jno. Sproat.

R. Graham by C. P. Preston and D. Little. (Declined.)

DEPUTY REEVE.

John Warren by Jno. Lindsay Jr. and David Little.

David Cook, by Wm. H. and Richard Shortill.

2ND DEPUTY.

H. P. Lawson by N. Lindsay and H. A. Reid.

W. P. Appelbe by Geo. Campbell and Wm. Cook Jr. (Declined.)

COUNCILLORS.

J. Wrigglesworth by D. Little and W. Fisher.

Robert Stewart by J. H. Shortreed and Wm. Hempshire.

John Campbell, by R. Shortill and D. Laidlaw.

S. K. Ruddell by Jno. Sproat and Wm. Thompson.

At the close of the nominations, Mr. Ninian Lindsay was called to the chair and the candidates responded to invitations to the platform.

Dr. Webster thanked the electors for the honor they had done him in years gone by. He had endeavored to look after the interests of the township faithfully. All classes and shades had assured him that he would be elected by acclamation. He gave an elaborate statement of the financial condition of the township; made a defence of his vote on the equilization question; dilated on his attitude on the railroad question and sat down amid applause.

Mr. Graham announced that he was not a candidate. He at once made a charge on the Reeve stating that he (the Reeve) did not hold a cent's worth of bonds from the township Treasurer; that the bond held was no use, because out-dated and that it showed serious carelessness on the part of the Reeve. He charged him also with betraying the county's interests in the R. R. suit.

Mr. Warren remarked that he had been connected with the township Council for some 25 years. He was before the electors to day contrary to his wishes. He dealt with the question of equalization, stating that the action of the County Council was not only improper but illegal. It was in fact no equalization at all, as between the various townships of the county. He held that the township assessment was too high, therefore we lose by not having the assessment of the county properly equalized. He charged the Reeve with suggesting a compromise on the R.R. suit and thereby weakening the county's case. This was the second time that a Reeve of the county had suggested a compromise—the first was done secretly, the second openly. He was confident that if one Reeve after another had not made these damaging proposals the suit would have been sooner settled and more in the county's favor. He went into history of the H. & N. W. bonus and remarked that he spent days and nights working against granting the bonus and, along with others, was successful in reducing the bonus from $85,000 to $65,000. He yielded to no man in his desire for the well favored township and county.

Mr. Cook asked for support on the ground that he was taken advantage of last year and that, if elected he would do his best for the township. He defied any man to [illegible] a charge against him. He claimed that the equalization was not in the interests of the township. The Georgetown HERALD had acknowledged that Georgetown had lost $170 by the change. He did what was right before and would do it again.

Mr. Lawson made a capital speech. He cleared up the equalization matter, showing that the change was unjust, not only to towns but to townships. The Council had, during the year made no contracts but what were open to competition. He could say for the Council that it was not their fault if jobs were not done at the lowest figure. He referred also to the railroad suit and Sykes & Ainley appeal.

Mr. Wrigglesworth referred to the work done during the year on roads and bridges. He had not given a vote during the year but what was in the interest of the ratepayers. He hoped he would be elected. If so would endeavor to serve the township faithfully.

Mr. Stewart again sought re-election. There had been a lot of money spent and spent wisely. He thanked the electors and solicited a renewal of their confidence.

Mr. Campbell had sat in the Council for four years and once more cordially asked the support of the electors.

Mr. Ruddell went into the field reluctantly. For two or three years past he had been pressed to run. The pressure had grown so strong that he had decided to place himself before the electors. Whether elected or not, a good feeling would exist between him and his colleagues. He asked those who thought he would fill the bill to elect him.

Capt. Johnston delivered a thoughtful speech on the necessity of revolutionizing our statute labor system. The present system he characterized as a humbug. The statute labor should be commuted. He also held that it was unnecessary to assess the township oftener than once in four years.

[illegible] charge against him and in the midst of much loud talk the chairman declared the proceedings adjourned.

POLL AT GEORGETOWN.

The nominations took place between 7-30 and 8-30 p. m. They were as follows:

REEVE.

G. H. Kennedy by J. [illegible] and W. Hogg.

W. H. Barber by W. [illegible] (Declined.)

Jas. Harley by G. H. Kennedy and W. Barclay. (Declined.)

D. McKenzie by W. Barclay, seconded by J. Grant. (Declined.)

J. Grant by W. Harley, seconded by J. H. Walling. (Declined.)

Geo. Aldous by W. F. Moore, seconded by Jas. Kennedy. (Declined.)

DEPUTY REEVE.

Daniel Cook by T. Steele, and J. A. Gibson.

W. F. Moore by D. Williams and J. A. Thompson. (Declined.)

W. Hogaboom by A. D. Thomson and Jno. Aldous.

Jos. Barber by Jno. Aldous and A. D. Thompson.

Wm. Barclay by J. Hammond and R. Hickey.

Jas. Leslie by D. Cook and R. A. Reid. (Declined.)

F. W. Barber by D. McKinnon and Jno. Taylor. (Declined.)

Jas. Kennedy by W. F. Moore and Jas. Leslie. (Declined.)

J. F. Taylor by M. Maw and D. Cook. (Declined.)

L. Grant by J. R. Barber and E. Search.

Henry G. Reed by Jas. Leslie and Thos. Clark. (Declined.)

TRUSTEES.

T. Steele by E. Search and J. R. Barber.

J. Lariguit by R. Hickey and W. Barclay.

J. R. Barber by T. Steele and J. Drummond. (Declined.)

D. W. Goodenow by E. Holmes and Chas. Bell. (Declined.)

A. Holmes by W. F. Moore and D. Williams. (Declined.)

R. D. Warren by J. R. Barber and Chas. McKinlay.

D. Williams by A. Holmes and W. F. Moore. (Declined.)

Reeve Kennedy was called upon first and gave an exhaustive and satisfactory statement of the receipts and expenditure for the year.

Mr. Grant said that everything was not so smooth as he wished for. He would withdraw in Mr. Barber's favor. Was surprised to hear one say that he was satisfied with all that was done. Thought the Council expended money that might be better spent in other places. He had time and they all knew that when he took hold of anything he made it a success. He was a candidate for Councillor.

Mr. Moore referred fluently to the work that had been accomplished since he had become Councillor—agricultural hall remodelled and improved, water works &c. He was not a candidate. Thought the honor should be passed around.

Mr. Kahrs briefly thanked the electors for their confidence in the past and was again a candidate.

Mr. Barclay had done his best for the people and was anxious to fill the office for another year. He complimented the Reeve on his courtesy and kindness toward the Council; spoke and quoted in favor of iron pipe and said that it behooved the Council of '92 to try to induce manufactures to locate here.

Messrs. F. W. Barber, Jas. Kennedy, Jas. Leslie, D. Cook, J. F. Taylor and H. G. Reed spoke with becoming brevity.

Mr. Jos. Barber was not present.

T. Steele, J. Lariguit and R. D. Warren were declared elected trustees by acclamation.

Streetsville—Reeve, John Graydon; councillors, J. H. Dracass, G. H. Falconer, T. H. Goodison, W. Taylor. All by acclamation.

Burlington—For Reeve, J. C. Smith and T. Atkinson for councillors, W. H. Finnemore, D. A. Chent, A. B. Coleman, F. W. Galloway, W. J. Douglas, S. Colbran, T. Graham.

Acton—Reeve, Dr. Lowry (by acclamation); councillors, J. B. Pearson, J. Harvey G. Havill, J. Anderson, A. Secord A. O. Beardmore, J. Kenney, A. E. Nicklin, J. Williams; school trustees, J. Mathews, G. [illegible], T. Francis, W. H. Storey, J. Cochran, Rev. G. B. Cooke, R. Holmes.

Milton—Mayor, S. Dice; Reeve, Dr. Robertson.

Oakville—Mayor, Geo Andrew; Reeve, M. Felan, W. H. Young

NOTES.

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It's common sense and economy not "retrenchment" and blue ruin talk that we want.

An ounce of common sense is worth a pound of retrenchment.

The fault finder with small things is generally no good himself.

They are a lively people in Esquesing.

Capt. Johnston made the aggressive speech of the day.

"I didn't vote for either motion." "I voted by my silence." What do you philosophers make of this?

Our retired farmer, good solid fellows they are, made themselves felt at nomination, Monday evening.

That was rather a pointed speech by ex-councillor Moore. Mr. Kahrs' was short and to the point.

Mr. Chas. Ryan has retired after a lengthy and faithful service on the Public School Board.

It is stated that Mr. Jno. Aldous went to the platform at the close of the meeting Monday evening and conversed with Mr. Goodwillie for the purpose of "putting up a job." We can vouch for the falsity of this. Mr. Aldous' talk was in the line of: Taking for granted that Mr. Barber would be Reeve (as it was stated that he would accept) let us elect a Council by acclamation.

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As First Deputy Reeve

For the Township of Esquesing for 1892.

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of William Clark, late of the Town of Toronto Junction, (formerly of the township of Esquesing) Farmer, deceased, intestate.

Pursuant to the statute in that behalf notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said late William Clark, who died on or about the 26th day of July, 1891, are required on or before the 8th day of January, 1892, to send by post prepaid or to deliver, to Mr. N. J. Clark of Toronto Junction, grocer or to Messrs. Guthrie & Watt of the City of Guelph, solicitors for Ann Clark, the administratrix herein, their Christian and surnames, addresses and description the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts duly verified and the nature of the security (if any) held by them and that the said administratrix will on and after the said 8th day of January, 1892, proceed to distribute the assets of the above estate amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which she has then notice and that the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets of the above estate or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim she has not notice at the time of such distribution.

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Dated at Guelph the 15th day of Dec., 91.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Robert Bennett of the Village of Georgetown in the County of Halton, in the Province of Ontario, hotel keeper, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for a Bill of Divorce from his wife Matilda Bennett, residing at the said Village of Georgetown and also at the Town of Milton in the said County of Halton, on the ground of adultery and desertion.

Dated at Toronto in the Province of Ontario the 14th day of October, A. D., 1891.

ROBERT BENNETT.
By his Solicitors, McCarthy, Osler, Hoskin & Creelman.