names, residences and postoffice addresses respectively of the persons who acted as deputy returning officers in the West Riding of the County of Huron at the recent bye-election there, and for what polling subdivisions did they respectively act? (2) What was the date of each such appointment as deputy returning officer? (3) Were any

of such appointments made in substitution of other appointments previously made, and, if so, which of said persons were so appointed in substitution for others? (4) When was each such appointment in substitution made and for what reason was each such substitution made?

## Notes.

The annual reports of the institutions for the Deaf and Dumb at Belleville and the Blind at Brantford have been issued. The inspector urges that increased accommodation be provided at the former institution, as admission to applicants last year had to be refused. The want of more accommodation in the girls' wing at the Brantford institute is also felt.