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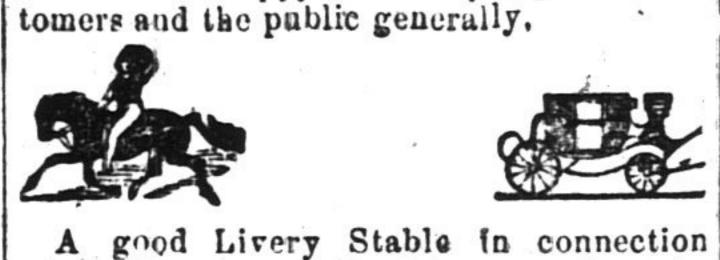
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6) ac es cleared, three miles from Acton - Sale of Lancs

Y virtue of the the powers vested in me D as Assignee of the Estate and Effects of the above named Insolvent. I will offer for sale by AUCTION, at

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COUNTY OF HALTON, CANADA WEST, ON

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK, NOON.

All the estate, right, title and interest of the said insolvent, in and to the following

property belonging to Patrick Moore, and make the division. Philo Dibble Bates, thence South Fortytive degrees. West one bundred and Thiriytwo feet; thence North Forty-five degrees. West Thirty-six feet. On this lot there is very good substantial Two-story Brick

Also, the North-east half of lot number if at all? six in Block E, as shown on the map of the Village of Port Nelson, in the County of Halton, containing by admeasurement One Tenth of an Acre, be the same more or less. Also, lot number Nineteen on the Northwest side of Ontario Street, and on the West side of the river, in the

in the said County of Halton; containing by admeasurement Half an Acre. be the same more or less, with Frame Dwelling of Chisholm Street, and on the East side c the river, or Twelve Mile Creek, in the said Town of Bronte, containing by admeasurement Half an acre be the same more or less

with Frame Dwelling thercon.

lying and being in the Township of

In the said County of Halton known and described by being a part of the late Can tain Joseph Brant's military tract of land. which said tract of land is buited and boun ed as follows, that is to say: Commencing hence North Forty five degrees, East twenv one chains and twenty four links along Mr, Ghent's line to a post; thence North tegrees, west Twenty-one chains and twenty beginning, containing by admeasurement ation as to arrears of taxes. Terms will be made known at the time

W. F. FINDLAY, OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE. Hamilton, 2nd November, 1866.

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THIS HOUSE has been thoroughly fitted and much repaired. The Subscriber takes this opportunity of inviting the cent? patronage of the traveling public. attention paid to the comfort of guests. Good Stabling and attentive hostlers Slower town, Aug. 31, 1863.

WINTER. Passed away the leafy bowers Of the golden Summer hours, Passed away the shining shower Of the pure and tender flowers-Dead they lie in dust of death, Blighted by cold Winter's breath.

Yoctry.

Hush the harp of plesant song-Voice of birds, that all day long, Circling in a joyous throng, Lights me lived the woods among: Scared by Winter's howling voice, Hushed their songs, and fled their joys

Lo! from out the shivering North Dark and stern he rushes forth; Robed in storm, he stops the mirth, Which the Summer's smile gave birt For her sons grow pale and die 'Neath the cold glance of his eye.

Wildly wailing in our car, Through the naked woods so drear; Hark! those voices sounding near Chant the requiem of the year-Ice king from the realm of snow Lays her pride and glory low.

Sad the rising breazes moan-'Tis red autumn's dying groan, Mirth and beauty fled and gone, Earth lies silent and alone: Winter spreads its shadowy groom Cloudy pall, o'er Nature's tomb.

All around, afar and nigh, Like a great and weary sigh, Mournful voices rise on high-Speaks to us the dreary cry, Life's bright hours are flying fast, Hark! the coming Winter's blast.

Yet again the Spring will come, Flowers rise from Nature's tomb: Death is not, 'tis only gloom-Time shall come of endless bloom; Yet in death in mortal strife, E'en be swallowed up of life.

Municipal and Assessment Acts. be put to electors has been overlooked. COUNTY SOLICITORS.

Answer -- We think no better mode Officer situate in the said village of Wellington and in order properly to proceed under Some Courts of Revisions ordered the 4th. Mr John Na Kenney, seconded Square, having a frontage on Brant Street and in order properly to proceed under local interest of such parties in order to an by George Marlatt Esq. proposed that

> Q. The Act passed in 1866 for the that be sufficient to qualify them now, into force in August last, repeals the necessary for the just election?

A. We incline to think, though the ed on the Assessment Roll, as that is Act of 1865 is repealed by the Act of the criterion. Town of Bronte, pality by the party assessed.

and intentionally, to collect taxes which | Electoral Divisions, who is to be Remight have been got from goods and turning Officer. chattels, and states to an intending buy- A. In our opinion the Clerk is ex er of the land that they are paid, when officing Returning Officer, in all elections they are really unpaid, and the conse after the first election in the Township quence is that the land becomes liable not the first after the new Act takes for the arrears, can such intending buy effect. er not recover from the collector or the Q. By the old Municipal Act each Also, all that certain tract of land situate. nity from the latter in consequence?

A, Under Sec. 178, Chap. 55, Statt by him (whether for wards or not.) utes of 1866, which is similar to a projedoes not appear that, in the event of a vision in old Assessment Acts, the col Poll being opened in the Electoral Divi- Mr. Charles Hardy, proposed that Wm. number of acquaintences found trouble lector under the circumstances is liable sions, that any notice besides the Chair- McCraney Esq., be Councillor. at the North East angle of a lot of land soid in our opinion, to be indicted, as for a man's adjourning the proceedings till by the late Joseph Brant to Michael Groat; misdemeanour for wilfui neglect of his the first Monday in January is required Kenney, proposed that Wm. Hager Esq., editor says that a friend of his was duty; but as giving information such by the new Act. Who appoints the be Counciller. as is referred to forms no part of his polling places in towns and villages? Forty-five degrees, west Fifty chains along duty as collector, we very much doubt Can Councils do so according to Sec. Mr. Ghent's line; thence South Forty-five whether his sureties or the municipality 93, previous to 1st January by By law? which was acceded to by nearly all briefly. are liable for the loss accrued to the (Commencement of the Act previous to ael Groat's land; thence South Forty-five purchaser the Treasurer of the County to the 1st of January, seems to relate several candidates after which a vort of degrees. East fifty chains, more or less, being the only person repognized by the only to the nominating of Candidates, thanks was accorded to the old Council-themen were severally nominated, viz: along Michael Great's line to the place of Statute, whose duty it is to give inform and passing By laws for Electoral Divi- lors for the prosperous and successfull

per cent; by 194, new Act, the 21 per left to the Returning Officers, or have cent is left out, Query .- As the new all Councils now power of fixing? Collector's Rolls were made out from nomination of candidates, and if a Poll County Council, not paid to Treasurer proceedings, orally to anounce the place urers t.er. by deprived of the 21 per think that town, townships, and village the

quired under the former Act, is saved we would recommend not only that these

view of the fact that the Tieasurers' guage rendered necessary.) salaries were doubtless fixed on the fuith | Q. The certificate for Reeve and of their getting the percentage.

sidents on the Roll should absent them. Deputy, differs a little from the former song "The nervous man," which drew selves during the year, and avoid the Act, which is to be followed? See Sec, down the house, and was heartily and performance of Statute Labor, can said |67, old Act. labour be entered or the Collector's Roll as a tax to be levied on said property. | cases to be given by Reeves and Deputy | through the course of the evening, Mr. A. We are of opinion that the taxes Reeves, after 1st January next should L. gave "Going out to tea," and other

A. We think that the provision mak- Act i ing it part of the qualification that the A. We think that the oath for elec- Without entering into a defence of elector shall have paid all Municipal tors, prescribed by the new Act, is the the MORALE of this class of entertaxes due by him on or before the 16th one to be administered at the next electianments, we are bound to say that the December Lest proceding the election, tion. does not come into operation till 1st

to the approaching election. ry out that part of the law, and provent qualification. its being violated? The oath that is Q. Can the same person be a cande-

ed in the amended Act, while a corresponding addition to the oaths that may Guelph Dec. 1866. We think this omission in the oath OPINION OF THE WELLINGTON should be remedied by a Parliamentary Touble Editor of the Champion. enactment. In the meantime, we would recommend that Councils require their Council at their late meeting, on mat- of parties who have, and who have not worth preserving for future guidonce :- who has not paid his taxes. Though Question. - How shall a Municipality this would not be legal proof, yet it to order. The nominations commenced enforce payment of arrears of Taxes on would serve as a guide to Returning in the following order:

half; can the amount be divided equal- agent, when it is to dered, that the vote Hood, Esq., be Reeve. ly, and shares enforced legally, or what of a person who has has not paid his is the proper practicable mode of accom- taxes would be disallowed on a scrutiny, ed by Mr. Joseph M. Suider, proposed even though received by the Returning that John Buck Esq., be Reeve. Lands and Premises, namely; of dealing with the taxes in such a case Q. Section 80, of new Manicipal Act That certain parcel of Land and Premises in Sec. 121, Chap. 53, Statutes of 1866 seperately assessed, to be decme ! rated. C Beaty, Esq., be Deputy Reeve.

better protection of shenp, which came as no particular amount appears to be Act of a similar nature passed in 1865. A. If the parties appear in the last Q e y .- Can the taxer levied under this revised Assessment Boll as rated several-Act be now legally collected when that ly for an amount sufficient, the rating Building completely fitted up as a Store Act has been absolutely repealed?— must be deemed valid, and each person Under what Act can they be collected, so rated is entitled to vote. The whole question depends on how they are enter- John Alton, Esq., be Councillor.

> 1866, that the taxes legally imposed un- Q. Can Clerks of Municipalities legunder the Act of 1865, and legally pay- ally be appointed to act at the next and action as a debt due to the local munici- except where there are no Electoral di- White, Esq., be Councillor.

municipality such arrears. or ask indem | Returning Officer had to give at least 10 days notice of the election to be held sions, and appoing Returning Officer). management of the municipal affairs of One Hundred and Six Acres, more or less. Q. By Section 182, old Assessment Should the Chairman of the nomination the Township. Act, local Treasurers were allowed 21 intimate orally the place, or is it to be

> 1st of January 1867, and as the present | days previous notice of the meeting for ing to the extension of time by the the Chairman's outy, in adjourning the which was carried unanimously, until some time in 1867, are said Treas- or places for polling the vote, and we A. We think that the right of local law, before the 1st of Ja uary next, to Esq. Treasurers to have the 21 per cent, ac- fix the places for holding elections. And

under Section 205, of the new Assess- pinces be announced by the Chairman ment Act, from the operation of that of nomination meetings as already men-Act, and that they may fairly retain though, but that other public notices be disposed to take a part in the opening such percentage for the collecting of given as provided by Section 97, of old tableau of the first Volunteer Ball held this year's assessment, particularly in Municipality Act, (thought not in land in the Township, and entered fully into

Deputy Recve, and in some instances, Q. If certain parties assessed as re- that which entitles a municipality to a favored the company with a rich comic

referred to may be added to the Col- conform to the provision of the New songs and recitative pieces, which added lector's Roll in a seperate column, and Act. See Section 67 sper Act amend- much to the pleasure of the party. Mr. may be collected and accounted for like ing New Municipal Acc page 250, Stat. Q. Has a Returning Officer a vote in Q. By subsection B, of Scc. 101, of dancers, and appeared determined to

all cases, the same as another Elector? New Municipal Act, amongst other mat give his guests a rich treat independent A. In our opinion the Returning tens, an elector may be required to swear of pecuniary considerations, and did so Officer has no vote except in such cases that he is either a freeholder or house- to the admiration of all concerned, unas the Statute provides for his giving a holder. The old law (page 545, Con. less perhaps his cashier. The proceeds Stat. U. C.) only obliges the elector to of the present ball will be devoted in Q. Can a ratepayer' in other respects swear that he is the person named on aid of the proposed drill shed, and, we legally qualified to vote at elections, but the last revised Assessment Roll, etc., : believe, another one will be held on New whose taxes are unpaid on the 16th of hence householders in the general sense, Year's day, for the benefit of Mr. Bell, December, i.st., legally vote at the ap- although strictly speading not Freehold who has always taken a lively interest proaching election or does that part of ers, might vote, but by the last Act they in the Volunteers, and gratuitously the new law only come into operation must swear as stated. Which oath given the use of his large hall for drill must be put, that of the last or former purposes since the formation of the com-

September, 1867, and does not apply rates in different Wards, a right to vote ducted gatherings of the kind we ever in caen, under Section 78, new Muni attended, which must be attributed Q. How ought the provision as to cipal Act, at the approaching election? doubtless to the respectable character of payment of taxes be gractically and pro A We think that if a person is rated the assembly, seconded by the very effiperly carried out by any Municipality sufficiently to be bualified to vote in one cient and gentlemanly bearing of Sernext year, assuming it is only then to ward, and he is similarly rated in an- geant S. Moore, who acted as floor mancome into effect; should the Clerk, other, he may vote in both at the next ager. The company dispersed at an Collactor or Returning Officer, for in- election, as the right to do so is an early (we are almost afraid to say how stance, be guided, and if so, how to car- amendment to the old law, not a new early) hour in the morning, all appar-

required of an elector does not require date for Reeve and Deputy Reeve, and him to state whether he is in arrears for and also for Councillor, at the same

not providing a proper means of check | vent a person being nominated for both in the service, who have not enjoyed ing parties against voting, who have Reeve, and Conneillor, and if elected for the advantage of Battalion drill, will not paid their taxes. This part of the both, he must make a choice, and then excel them. By the way, we are of qualification appears to have been add- Sec. 129 of the Act would be applicable. opinion that, whatever company drift BLAIR & GUTHRIE.

County Solicitors.

MY DEAR SIR :- According to pro-We give this week the opinion of the collectors immediately after the 16th clamation, the nomination for Reeve, County Solicitors on a number of ques- December, in each year after the pre- Deputy Reeve and Councillors took tions submitted to them by the County sent, to notify the Clerk of the names place at Munn's Corners, on Dundas ters contained in the Municipal and As paid their taxes, and the Clerk may add Street. After the usual preliminaries sessment Acts. Several of these opinions to the voter's list to be furnished to Re- of commencing the business of the day, are of special importance in view of the turning Officers a column of remarks, and the assemblage which was both re-

a Lot which accrued whilst vacant, there Officers. There is no doubt, also, if 1st. John Askin, Esq., seconded by suffer the penalty of the act. M. Young being say two occupants, one on each objected to by any candidate or his Wim. Downs, Esq., proposed that Wm. 2nd. Wm. Henderson, Esq., second-

3rd. C.C Gibson, Esq., seconded by can be adopted, than that pointed out does not allow parties jointly, if not Mr Benjamin Tuck, proposed that W

> elections, to be stated on the Roll. Will Reeve. 5th. Mr. John Cordingly, seconded Mr. Richard Hemstreet, proposed S. Bowbeer, Esq., be Councillor.

7th, Mr. George F Lewiss, seconded

John Wilson, Esq., proposed that

8th. John Bigger, Esq., seconded by Mr L. Hagar, proposed that C C Gibson able thereunder, may be recovered by future elections as Returning Officers, Mr. Levi Birtch, proposed that James offers for sale, any barrel or half-barrel

> Esq., be Councillor. 11 Mr Solomon Cordingly, seconded under marked or delicient." by Mr J Cavil, proposed that W G Kennedy, Esq. be Councillor. 12 Allan McDougall Esq, seconded by Mr Charles Porter, pro osed that

Benjamin Wallbrook, Esq, be Council-3. Mr. Thomas Wilson, seconded by Amos Dorland, proposed that Peter Campbell, Esq., be Deputy Reeve 14 Mr. Michael Bigger, seconded by

Opportunity was then given to all those who proposed and seconded the several company with another man's wife. can lidates to address the assem' luces. Addresses were then given by the

It was then moved that the chairman Everdell, Councillors, Meisrs. Henry leave the chair, and that Ezra Bray Esq., Smith, Henry Reid, Charles Mc Millan, take the same William Wass. Esq., seconded by Levi Neil Mc Kinnon, Edward Johnson, John Act does not come into effect until the A. In our opinion there must be six Wilson Esq. and others, then moved a Berry, Wm. Teeter and John W. Burt. rote of thanks to the chairman, for the The greatest interest was manifested good order, atient and discreet manage- in the day's proceeding by those prese the Assessment Rolls of 1866, and ow- be demanded, we consider it would be ment of the important business of the day, The leading gentlemen from different

> It was however quitted to demand poll, but there being so many candidates, the polling will take place as expressed

Acton Volunteer Bal'.

The long looked for Volunteer Bal has come off at last, and has proved to tars and fan like structures, built rain-rods and bayonets. The natural deficiency of coal gas was amply compensated for by the presence of coal oil and the room, even before the ball, presented an unusually brilliant appearance. The spacious gallery at the north end of the building was set apart for the ladies. At an early hour, the "lads and lasses," together with a sprink · ling of staid men and matrons, -by way of ballast-began to arrive, and within thirt minutes of opening the doors, there was a full house of "happy hearts' free from carking care, and all seemed the spirit of the festive occasion.

deservedly encored, when he responded A. We are of opinion that the cerifi- with "The man in love." At intervals Bell, of the Rossin House, provided a most sumptuous refreshment for the

During the first intermission, Mr.

Lithgow of the Weston Quadrille Band

Acton Volunteer Ball was one of the Q. Has an elector in a Town paying most orderly, pleasurable, and best conentiy delighted with the evening's am-

The Actor Volunteer Company have just completed their eight day's drill under their commanding officer, Capt. A. We think the Act is defective in A. We see nothing in the Act to pre Allar, and we question if any company Volunteers may get at home, it would add much to the efficiency of the service if the Statutary, eight days drill were required to be performed in Bat: talions .- Guelph Mercury,

Flour Manufacturers Look Sharp,

We have received a circular from John Young, Flour Inspector, in which he cautions all flour manufacturers to observe the letter of the act in packing. Their flour Mr. Young proposes to empty coming elections, and all of them are in which he may state who has, and spectable and numerous, was duly called the barrel of flour on inspection, and to weigh separate the flour from the cask, and if short of 196 lbs. the owner will further assure the consumers of flour, that every barrel of flour bearing his name do not only contain 193 lbs but also for the quality. This will be a great advantage to the public. For the benefit of packers we append the following clause from the act.

In the 19th Section of the Inspection of Thirty six feet. commencing on the east this section, we recommend that local interest of such parties in order to en- by George Marlatt, Esq., proposed that Act it is provided:—'And it shall be the erly corner of the division line between municipalities procure the Treasurer to able them to voat at Parliamentiary Austin Willmott, Esq., be Deputy duty of the Packer or Manufacturer, to brand, paint, or mark the initials of his Christian name and his Surname at full length, and the name of his mill or the place of packing, the quality and weight hat John F. Orr, Esq., be Councillor. of the flour or meal therein contained, 6th. Wm. Irvin, Esq., seconded by and the tare of the cask on one end of Robert Freeman, proposed that W. each and every barrell, or half barrel of flour or meal packed for sale, in a plain and distinguishable manner, and he sha incur a penalty of forty cents for each and every barrel, or half barrel, offered for sale or inspection, with regard to which the requirements of this Section are not complied with."

Again in the 30th Section, it is provid-II Carrique, Esq., seconded by ed. that: -"If any person, knowingly of Flour, upon which the tare shall be 10. W McCraney, Esq., seconded by under marked. or on which there shall be a less quantity of Figur or Meal than alty of FOUR DULLARS for every cask so

> FOUR POINTS OF A CASE. - An Eastern editor says that a min in New York got himself into trouble by marrying two wives. A Western editor replies by assuring his contemporary that a good many men in that section had done the same thing by marrying one. A Northern editor retorts that quite a enough by barely promising to marry, bothered enough when simply found in

TOWNSHIP OF ERIN.—At the Town meeting last Monday the following gen-For the office of Beeve, Messrs. George Martin and Peter McGill. For Deputy Reeve, Messrs. Wm. Cornock and Wm. parts of the Township were present. --The contest for the Reeveship is likely to be a very close one. Mr. Cornock is is thought wil be returned. The con-

municipalities have full power by By- only has retired viz: Benjamin Walbrook test for Councillors will be between Messrs Henry Reid, Charles McMillan William Teeter and Edward John-

Q. If a collector neglects, improperly Q. In a Township not divided into Mr J C Earl, proposed that W Wass, is branded thereon he shall incur a pen-15. Mr. D. McCoy, seconded by Mr. without going any further. A Southern