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TAX EXEMPTIONS

We have received a copy of the memorial prepared by the Tax Exemptions Committee, Toronto, for presentation to the Ontario Government, and as the case of Toronto is that of every other municipality, in a greater or lesser degree, we state the principal facts set forth. The Committee assume that there is very little to be said in favour of the system of

exempting property and incomes from taxation. They contend for the principle that equal burdens break no backs, the nomination, but that he would much and illustrious men, and men of honour and maintain that all those who benefit from public exdenditure should contribute towards it, paupers,! lunatics, and children atone being excepted. The evil Carried. of exemption has continually grown, and it is really surprising what classes of property and persons are embraced in the system. The property excluded from taxation comprises the following:-Buildings and land belonging to the Fedwait till the no ninations were made. Provincial Governments,

tions, property of Ecclesiastical cor

THE EUROPEAN SITUATION.

IGNATIBEF, that the Plenipotentiaries are

now ready to begin the actual or Plenary

Conference. What has been accomplished

having shown a leaning towards that kind

Literary and Scientific Birkett would reconsider his decision. Institutes, Denominational Schools, the ste day making up his mind, but had address amid great applause. University Colleges and High Schools; and lawns, gardens, paddocks, &c., belonging to private parties. The aggre-Mr. O'BRIEN, that Ald. Birkett be nomin- framed, whereby the morey of the city ated for the next year. (Applause.) gate estimated value of these properties Ald. BIRKETT requested that the nominais \$8,600,000, or about one seventh of the ion be not pressed. He had during the him and Ald. Birkett, amount of value of the property actually | past year, at much inconvenience to himassessed. If these properties were taxed, self, served the electors in the Council as action of Alermen Currier, Birkett and meet the present scale of expenditure) from one and a half cents on the dollar to 123 mills on the dollar, from which The CHAIRMAN said it was his opinion illustration may be taken the fact that

the then present members had performed their services well and faithfully, and that the burdens are now very unfairly distributed. The other exemptions are the in office. salaries of judges and officials of Osgoode Mr. Green-You are Chairman, Mr. Hall, the County Court judges, the officers Taylor, I believe?

The CHAIRMAN replied in the affirmaof the Custom House and Postoffice, which are exempt by provision of the con-Mr. Green said they were in a free solidated statutes of the Province. Then

country and entitled to an expression of come the incomes of the clergy, which opinion, and he did not think it right that the meeting should be dictated to. are partially exempt, and lastly all incomes to the extent of \$400. The ag-

dined with his full share. In a word they believe the system of exemptions is It was moved by Mr. PRESTON, second-

find and apply an effective and speedy by Mr. Gilpin, that Mr. John Stewart was Robertson, P. LeSueur and Dr. Sweet- the statistics showing the increase of the a fit and proper person to represent the land. The last of the preliminary conferences

in the preliminary conferences is fully known only to those who took part in Mr. Preston understood Mr. Stewart the children of the two schools with great dwelt upon, during which Leslie's beauwas going to run for Water Commissioner, precision and correctness, not a hitch octiful trio "Memory" was sung by Mrs. them and to their respective Governments Semi-official statements have been given and if so an explanation was necessary. and ingenious surmises of newspaper correspondents have been abundant, from all scarcely fair to ask Mr. Stewart to answer the training of the children under Prof. third part. Mrs. McGarity, whom it is which a general idea of the results may be formed. Russia has been moderate and

conciliatory and not unwilling to modify the demands formerly announced to the | Water Commissioner. world. This changed attitude, however resent were different from those to whom and loudly applauded. brought about, made it comparatively easy he gave his explanations at the last meet-ing, he would say now that he decidedly beae its of education which he delivered took his seat. The latter part of the profor Great Britain and the other powers to unite upon a common basis of action. objected to the nomination. He would, in his usual able manner. Russia still insists upon substantial reoccupation of the territories by a foreign that the gentlemen present were to benefit by them and receive a good Dennis; glee, "Daughter of Error," Land power as a guarantee of the reforms being satisfied at the strong and serious solid English education. As an instance G Amateurs; finale, "All's Well,"

offered the honour, but her reply has not apprentices.

be in order, perhaps, to extend an invita- rebuked it, and Ald. Birkett went on.) to a close by the singing of the National tion to the United States, and GRANT He differed with his colleagues relative Anthem. to the Local Improvement By-law; we were not ready for it. He went in for a of work lately he might consent to spare subsidiary drainage by-law so that each a few of his payonets. So far as can be | ward could raise money for its own imseen from what has been published, it provements. The present by law, which would appear as if the Great Powers are he would make one more attempt to repeal before he retired, was too general Cruikshank. quite in harmony respecting the proposi- in its provisions, and was not fair towards ... Honour Roll-lst, Miss E Connors ! tions which are to be placed before the old ratepayers, who had for a long 2nd, Miss A Gorman and Thomas Sloane, Plenary Conference. But in the estimate time had to pay for their own equal. of the situation it must not be fargotten repairs. He also considered it of great importance to the city not to have the that the Porte took no part in the pre- water going to parties outside. (Applause.) liminary conferences. They were meet- The consequence of it was that houses in 2nd, Miss M Doherty; 3rd, Thomas ings of the representatives of the other the city were being rapidly deserted and Powers, at which certain propositions the suburbs built up at our expense were agreed to for the consideration of ed for \$20 a month would not at the prethe final Conference. To this Conference | sent time bring more than \$12; while he | Miss M Radford. and was in the Council he viewed affairs as if Honour Roll-1st, Miss E Sproule : and they related to himself personally, and 2nd, Miss C Cuzner; 3rd, Miss M Radford difficulties of the situation gave his vote accordingly; he once again and Miss Cummings, equal.

tively easy for the powers to agree on a in him during the past three years; he Good Conduct-1st, Miss C Cuaner:

It was compara- ward for the confidence they had reposed | Andrew Ramond; 3rd, W Bowie.

sincerely thanked the ratepayers of the Punctuality-1st, Miss C Cuzner; 2nd,

believed the majority of the ratepayers 2nd, Miss E Sproule; 3rd, Miss A Cum were for him, and as for the rest, why the | mings. angels could not please them. (Cheers and

common line of action. All have been

agreed that that the state of affairs in

Turkey are in a deplorable condition, and

that reforms were absolutely needed.

brought about led to the expression of

must be consulted. She is evidently

faith either in her will or her power to

do what she is solemply pledged to.

affairs, and absolutely refuse to consent to

ties are of opinion that the appointment

arranged by the preliminary conferences,

ropositions that will be placed before

her, then she will see the sympathy of all

the nations against her, England, even,

ST. GEORGE'S WARD

MEETING OF THE ELECTORS

The Old Members Nominated.

Chairman who would not Stand

Camy Nonsence.

tanding aloof from her cause.

Mr. Green was next called for, but not How the change desired should be responding, Mr. Taylor came forward. confidence reposed in him; he had no 2nd, Miss L McIlwain; 3rd, Miss A Bas different views, but looking to the peace axe to grind, no municipal sins to answer sett and Horace Bucke equal. of Europa, the Powers prudently com- for, and would, if elected, do his best in Punctuality -1st, Miss A Bassett; 2m the interests of the ratepayers of St. Miss A Connors and Horace Eucke equal. promised their differences. This, we say, George's Ward; but at the same time was comparatively easy. But now Turkey strongly advised them to keep the old | 2nd, Miss L McIlwain and Charles Hearne

willing to promise any amount of reform, Mr. Montgomery was next called upon, as she has frequently done before. But Mr. J. STEWART-He was so much has she the will and the power to carry leased with the remarks of Ald. Currier son. out what she promises? Europe has no and Birkett that he hoped they would be returned once more, and that the Ward would be spared the expense of a contest. Hence the bitter chalice is held to her He hoped by to morrow the new aspirants would think proper to resign, and let the lips-occupation of her territory, or the present aldermen go in by acclamation. alternative, a war with Russia. The He concurred in the remarks of Ald. only danger now threatening would seem Birkett, that sending new members into to be that Turkey will resent the liberties | the Council was like binding new apprenwhich the Powers have taken with her tices; they would have to submit them-

An Elector -To Ald. Heney the occupation of her territory. The Mr. TATLOR continued-Some people London Times is of opinion that Turkey were a long time coming to their senses while others never came to their senses will take this course. But other authoriat all, (laughter) and he believed those wishing to put in new members were of 2nd, Miss T Scott; 3rd, Miss D Scott. the latter class. If Ald. Birkett deterof MIDHAT PASHA as Grand Vizier of the Porte is an augury of moderation and conmines to retire, he had no objection to stand, but only on that condition. He ciliation. However, as matters have been night answer Mr. Preston by stating that he had no intention of standing for Water it is now certain that Turkey must face

Commissioner. (Applause.) an united Europe. If she rejects the Mr. W.Somerville-He had no ambition by being an aspirant to municipal honors. He was an old sailor, and when he said anything he meant it, and was willing to believe the same of Mr. Birkett. He sup- Miss M Raymond; 3rd, Miss M Geare. ported Ald. Birkett, and would support him again if he stood.

A Voice-You know the ropes Mr. Somerville had been on salt water for 15 years, and knew what he was | Truman. A Voice-You're three sheets in the

wind. (Laughter.) A Voics-Hard a port. (Laughter.) Mr. Somerville - That gentleman stands too near the bar. He should go to from him. (Laughter.)

A meeting of the ratepayers of St. Mr. Preston regretted that Ald. Eglereorge's Ward was held at the Albion son was not present, but as there were last night for the purpose of selecting good grounds for his absence, he trusted he would be renominated. He had dur-Mr. A. H. Taylor was called to the ing the past year watched the proceedings of the Council attentively, and would The CHAIRMAN, having stated the object | say a more efficient member was not in of the meeting, declared that if order the Council

were not kept it would at once be ad- Mr. ALLAN-Will no one nominate Mr. Mr. Lang was appointed Secretary. He | (Clamourous calls for Allan.) read a letter from Ald. Egleson, stating Mr. ALLAN was dragged forward, and that it was impossible for him to attend hoped that the electors would go to the on account of his presence at the meet- polls and vote conscientiously; nay, ng of a Euilding Society of which he was gentlemen; nay, more, he wanted honourresident; that he was ready to accept able men to fill such delicate positions, rather some other gentleman would be and property, in imperial, national, and

municipal matters. He now, gentlemen, Hay, Delina LaBarge, Henry Whitehead, t was moved by Mr. Preston, and sec- would have the honour to retire. (Ap- Alfred Cleary, Minnie Thompson, James nded, that Col. Egleson be nominated .- plause and laughter.) Veto, gentlemen, Noble, Lily Gearer all rapscallions and swash bucklers. It was moved by Ald. BIRKETT, second- Keep them from your treasures of gold by Mr. R. STEWART, that Ald. Currier | and silver. Mr. P. J. Egleson congratulated the Ald. BIRKETT in answer to a suggestion meting on their grand behaviour. Headf Mr. Preston, said it was not necessary | mired the remarks of Aldermen Currier that Ald. Currier should explain his and Birkett. He was ashamed of some

views at this stage; it would be better to former meetings, very different from this. They should bear in mind this is the Ald. CURRIER rose and said he saw in | capital of the Dominion, and the eyes of the evening papers that Ald. Birkett in- | the Dominion were upon them. He liked tended retiring, he hoped that Ald. to see young men of mind, of intellect, and intelligence springing to the surface. Ald. BIRKETT said he delayed until Mr. Egleson concluded a long and able Mr. YIELDING was the next speaker. Mr. P. A. Egusson moved, seconded by He proposed that by laws should be

After an unprofitable dialogue between It was moved and seconded, that the faithfully as he could; and taking every- Egleson for the past year be endorsed thing into consideration he would again and that they be requested to allow them | Church was held in the basement of that request them not to press him to a selves to be nominated for the ensuing edifice. The entertainment was arranged

might be lodged in a chartered bank.

carried, and the meeting dispersed. it would be wise policy to continue them | were made for Captain Sparks, but that | was very novel and attractive, the first gentleman declined to speak.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Yesterday evening the closing exercises ed the object for which the re-unions were The CHAIRMAN denied having any de- of the Public Schools in the Eastern sec- organized, when the West End Glee Club sign of dictating to any body. He (the tion of the city, took place in the St. sang "Where art Thou, Beam of Light," gregate of these incomes is about \$2,500, Chairman) was as much at liberty to George's Ward Primary School. The large and shadows were particularly marked speak as any one else.

Sparkling Moselles and should be exempt; and they think it is should be exempt; and they the children and their parents; the countries of the former all aglow with delight at the prospect of the holidays and they the club—"The Winds Whistle Cool," "Stay Prithie, Stay," and "Daughter of Error." all of which were well given.

The committee can see no good in the think it is should be exempt; and they the children and their parents; the countries of the children and the given are the countries.

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The countries of the children and their parents; the countries of the children and their parents; the seconded by Mr. Yielding, that Mr. A. with pleasure, mingled with pride, as they A reading by the Hon. John Simpson, in heard that name called out as among the successful scholars. The room was very last census of the United Kingdom, with a LIEBFRAUMILCH. altogether indefensible; and so they rely ed by Mr. Doran, that Mr. R. S. Mont- tastefully decorated and seated to the upon the wisdom of the Government to gomery was a fit and proper person. Car- best advantage. On the platform were of England at home, was next given. The the Chairman, Hiram Robinson; Messrs. first part relating to Great Britain was It was moved by Mr. Rogers, seconded E. C. Barber, C. S. Shaw, W. Bedard, J. P. ably dealt with by the hon. gentleman,

The CHAIRMAN came forward and said audience. This part was illustrated by It was moved by Mr. Green that Mr he would not detain the young people Mr. Brewer singing an introduction "Rule with any long address, but would merely Britannia," and Mrs. More, Home Sweet on the Turkish question has been held, take it.—This motion, finding no seconder, call upon Professor Workman to proceed Home." In part two, relating to England, It was moved by Mr. Preston, seconded which consisted of "A Holiday Chorus," Garbaid saug an appropriate ballad, fol-It was moved by Mr. Preston, secondary of Mr. Graham, that William M. Somerille be nominated.

It was moved by Mr. J. Esmonde, adjoining room, "London Cries," a canon for four voices, "Patriotic Glee," and a relating to London and the Church of England at Home, were next MARGAUX, STE. STEPHE

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T. JULIEN, MCDOC. by Mr. Graham, that William M. Somer- "Echo Chorus," in which the echo was lowed by a duett by the Misses Hill and seconded by Mr. Harsis, that Mr. Mc for four voices, "Patriotic Glee," and a relating to London and the Church curring throughout, and the time was Kirby, Mrs. More, and Mr. Brewer, and The CHAIRMAN decided that it was well marked. This speaks very well for "An Invocation" by Mrs. More in the uestions until his turn came to respond Workman, who has shown his perfect always a pleasure to hear, sang an illusknowledge of engrafting into young minds tration of "Love unto Death" in the Mr. Rogers wanted to know if Mr. the greatest essential in music "Time." fourth part, a very beautiful song, in a ALICANT Preston was aspiring to the position of "My Pretty Ja_e" was next sung by Mr. most effective manner. In this part Mr. Workman, and although it was scarcely Blyth's song, the "Vicar of Bray," was a Ald. CURRIER said, as the people suited to his voice, it was well rendered very good effort. This concluded the

objected to the nomination. He would, in his usual able manner.

therefore, resign, and hoped good men Dr. Sweetland next spoke on the bus et Quibusdam Alis, Mr. J. Christie; would be selected from those nominated.

Ald. Birkerr hoped, as an elector, which he said were open to all who wished Stay," L and G Amateurs; address, Col carried out. The difference is that she does not insist upon prescribing the exact and the public were surprised, at the burning delivered a short and the public were surprised, at the burning delivered a short and the public were surprised, at the burning delivered a short and the public were surprised, at the burning delivered a short and the public were surprised, and the public were surprised, and the public were surprised, at the burning delivered a short and the public were surprised. form or scope of the reforms, lesque that the electors sought to make and the Premier, the Hon. A. Mackenzie. dress, which, owing to the lateness of the and is content that the occupying force of such a serious thing as selecting mem- The next part of the programme was hour, precented the Colonel from giving shall be supplied by any of the smaller bers for the Council, which was a most the distribution of prizes which was as extended as he otherwise would. His neutral powers. In all this the Great representation and Euleson were good Carried out by the Chairman an Mr. Lemen Currier and Eleson were good, Sueur, and as each of the young ter, were loudly applauded. It should be hard-working members to his knowledge, folks received their well-earned prize; mentioned that Mrs. H. Hill presided at land has been invited to undertake the gentlemen and honest men also. He did they were cheered lustily by their school the piano, and played the accompanipolice, but has respectfully declined the not think it good to change the members companions. Mr. E. C. Barber introduced ments in a most masterly manner. doubtful compliment. Belgium has been every year; it was like taking in new his magic lantern, and amused the large (A little attempt at demonstration number of interesting and amusing scenes. been made known. If she refuses it would being made here, the Chairman sternly After this the proceedings were brought Before His Honour Judge Ross.

> The following is the prize list Central School East-Prize List. Perfect Recitation-1st, Miss E Connors; 2nd, Miss A Gorman; 3rd, Miss F Punctuality-lst, Miss A Gorman ; 2nd,

> Good Conduct-1st, Miss A Gorman; FIFTH CLASS-JUNIOR FORM. Perfect Recitations-1st, Miss Sproule: 2nd, Miss A Cummings; 3rd,

Perfect Recitations-1st, Miss A Hud son; 2nd, Miss A Bassett; 3rd, Miss I Mr. Taylor thanked the electors for the Hopour Roll-1st, Miss A Hudson Good Conduct-lst, Miss E Yeoman

> Perfect Recitations-lst, Miss J Gliddon; 2nd, Miss E Brymner; Dunbar Hud-Honour Roll-1st, Miss J Gliddon; 2nd, Miss S Cussins; 3rd, Miss E Craig. Punctuality-lst, John Hearn, Miss Gliddon, and Miss B Meadows equal. Good Conduct-1st, Miss B Meadows 2nd, Miss J Gliddon; 3rd, George Steacey

FOURTH CLASS-JUNIOR FORM

THIRD CLASS-SENIOR FORM Perfect Recitations-1st, Fred Meyers 2nd, Miss T. Scott; 3rd, Miss S Sharpe Honour Roll-1st. Fred Meyers; Miss l' Scott, Miss S Sharpe, and Miss D Scott Punctuality-1st, E A Parington; 2nd Miss D Scott; 3rd, Miss T Scott. Good Conduct-1st, Miss S Sharpe

THIRD CLASS-JUNIOR FORM. Perfect Recitations-1st, Miss M Barr 2nd, Miss Mary Ray nond; 3rd, George Honour Roll-1st Miss M Barr; 2nd George Gouin; 3rd, Miss M Raymond

and Miss M Gears, equal. Punctuality—1st, Miss M Barr; 2nd, Miss M Raymond; 3rd, George Gouin. Good Conduct-1st, Miss V Barr; 2nd SECOND CLASS-SENIOR FORM. Perfect Recitations-Ist Samuel Mills

2nd, Robert Plaw; 3rd, Miss Sophia Honour Roll-1st, Miss S Truman ; 2nd Miss H Wilson; 3rd, Miss A McNeil and Miss N Routh equal. Punctuality-1st, Miss E Manton; 2nd Miss S Truman; 3rd, Miss H Wilson. Good Conduct -- 1st, Miss H Wilson

Mr. Baldwin and get the spirits extracted 2nd, Miss S Truman; 3rd, Miss E Manton SECOND CLASS-JUNIOR FORM Perfect Recitations - 1st, Henry Mer ritt ; 2nd, Wm McIlwain ; 3rd, Miss d Honoun'Roll-lst, Wm McIlwain ; 2nd

Miss J Holt; 3rd, Henry Merritt. Punctuality-1st, James Hayes; 2nd Miss E Beatty; 3rd, Miss J Holt. Good Conduct-1st, Thomas Seaton 2nd, Graham Brymner; 3rd, James FIRST CLASS-SENIOR FORM.

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music, Miss Agnes Graham. RE-UNION.

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by the Churchwardens and sidesmen and After a show of hands this was declared was one of the largest attended, and most the following carefully successful ever given for a similar purpose It might be mentioned that loud calls in this city. The nature of the re-union portion of the programme being arranged ed with music. The Hon. John Simpson occupied the chair, and trade: on the platform were the ladies and gentlemen who took part in the pro-Eastern Schools, Closing Exercises ceedings, Shortly before eight o'clock LOUIS ROEDERER

The case of Paridia vs Heney was resumed yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. and lasted almost the entire day. Mr. Taillon acted for plaintiff, and Mr. Chrysler for defendant. The case was not concluded at 6 o'clock yesterday evening.

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