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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The Municipal Elections on Monday were very hotly contested, though they were not very numerous in the part of the County.

RICHMOND HILL elected all its Council by Acciamation, which is a follows:— Reeve—John Brown; Commillers—H. Hopper, I. Crosby, A. Moodie and R. E.

VAUGHAN had a very hot contest for its First Deputy-Reeve and its Councillor. Messrs. Wm. Cook and Geo. Elliott were opposed by Messrs. A. Mc-Neil and A. McNaughton. The two former were elected. Mr. Cook by 206 of a majority and Mr. Elliott by 135. Thus we see that although the friends of both parties worked hard it resulted in almost a walk over. All the other members of the Council were elected by acclamation. Its composition, therefore, is as follows:-Reeve, Thompson Porter; First Deputy, Wm. Cook Second Deputy, Daniel Regman; Third Deputy, A. Malloy; Councilior, Geo. Elliott.

MARKHAM also had a very warmly con-tested election for the Reeveship, Messrs David James, and Thomas liamson, being the contestants.

Atter an unusually keen contest, in which both candidates and their friends worked with untiring energy, which only ended with the close of the polls, on Monday, Mr. James was declared the choice of the people, being elected by a majority of 34. The Council for 1884, therefore, is as follows: Reeve—David James; First Deputy—Robt. Bruce; Second Deputy—F. K. Reesor; Third Deputy-Anthony Forester; Councillor -W. H Lundy.

AURORA.—Reeve, A Yule; Deputy W Ough. Councillors—Daubrook, Lloyd Querri**e**.

ETOBICOKE-Reeve, Matthew Canning; Deputy, J. D. Evans. Councillors-D

F. Horner, Kellam, Young.

East Goillimbury.—Reeve, W H
Rowen; first Deputy, Chas Traviss; second Deputy, John Holborn. Councillors M Doan, John Dainsdenr

GEORGINA.—Reeve, J. R. Stevenson; Deputy, Hy. Park. Councillors—John Kay, Mark Kay, P. Raynerd. King-All the old Council were electad by acclamation, viz., J. Davis, Reeve; Chas. Iram, first J. Thos. Wilson, second Deputy; M. J. O'Neal, third Deputy; Robt. Norman, Council-

MARKHAM VILLAGE -Reeve, G. R. Vanzant. Councillory—Dr. Doherty, A. Fleury, Dr. Robinson, V. B. Wood-

NEWMARKET-Mayor, W. Cane; Reeve, E. Jackson; Deputy, T. H. Lloyd. Councillors—H S Cane. Thos Gain, B F R Reesor, T J Robertson, J H Millard, J Eves, John Gascoigne, W Bowlen, Dr Scott, all by acclamation.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY.—Reeve, R. M.

Bannerman; Deputy, D. H. Spragge. Councillors—John Boag, J. D. Davidson,

Scarboro'—Council of 1883 re-elected. WOODBRIDGE. -Reeve, John Abell. Councillows-Wm. Mackie, Donald Mc-Kenzie, Thos. Wallace. Jas. Mounsey. WESTON -Reeve, W. Tyrrell. Conn-

cillors-Jas. Conron, Dr. Rowntree, Jno Barton, Jacob Bull.

York—Reeve, Henry Duncan; first Deputy, Frank Turner; second Deputy, Joseph Watson; third Deputy, Henry R. Frandland; fourth Deputy, Joseph Davids, J. W. Potter was beaten for fourth deputy Reeve by five votes, and will ask for a recount of ballots before the county judge.

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(From our own Correspondent)

Mr. W. Warren, who has been a resident of this place for over thirty years, has removed to Avening. He will be greatly missed, as he has been an earnest worker in the Sunday School, and also leader of the church for a number of We wish Mr. Warren every success in his new home.

A shooting match was held at A. Mc-Bride's hotel, King station, at which two of our village sportsmen succeeded in winning almost all the game.

KLEINBURG.

(From our own Correspondent.)

In this village on the morning of the 5th inst., a house and workshop owned by Mr. McDonald, of Purpleville, were burned to the ground The house was occupied by three tenants, viz., Messrs. Thos. Readman, J. Ireland and Jas Le. The fire occurred about 2 o'clock in the morning, when the village was wrapt in slumber, therefore very little of the furniture, etc., was saved. Mr. Redman particularly, who was occupied at first with getting his sick wife to shelter, lost heavily. The origin of the fire as far as can be ascertained was a defective chimney. Mr. McDonald looses heavily, as the houses were not insured.

WESTON.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) The following brethern of the Humber Lodge, A. F. & A. M., were duly elected officers for the current year, on Dec. 27, 1883, St. John's Day:—W. Bro Edward Eagle, W. M.; W. R. Burrage, S. W.; F. Wakefield, G. W.; Jacob Bail, Treas.; James Conron, Chap.; James Cruick-shank, Sec. At the close of the ceremony the brethern were called from labor to refreshments, a very sumptuous spread having been prepared in the village where their wives, daughters and lady friends awaited them. Justice having been done to the good things, speeches, recitations, vocal and instrumental music was the order of the evening, and hearthy indulged in until a late hour, when each wend-ed their separate ways highly delighted with the entertainment, and more than ever convinced of the beneficial effects of

the annual reunion. At the annual meeting for the election of Trustees for the Public School three gentlemen were nominated, there being two vacancies to fill. A poll having been demanded and a returning officer duly appointed, such appointee not being present at the meeting by some bungling on the part of the Secretary he received no notice of the appointment, consequently, on the day appointed for polling there was no returning officer, and au adjourn-

ment had to be made until the 12th inst. The schools opened on Monday, under the auspices of the new master.

Contrary to expectation our Village Council are not to be allowed to walk over. At the nomination a set of new men were duly nominated, all being elected except Messrs. J. Bull and B. Plowman, as Councillors. It is impossible at present to predict the result, the new men being actively supported by those opposed to incorporation and those opposed to building a hall, as well as the whiskey interests, on account of the present members of the Council raising the licenses last year.

To the editor of the LIBERAL: DEAR SIR,-Permit me through the columns of your paper to refer to certain reports that are being circulated by individuals concerning myself. It is being stated by certain individuals that I have wife living in Barrie. I take this opportunity of most emphatically denying such a statement, it being utterly false. I would also say that if there are any persons who have anything to say against me or who know more about my business than I do myself, let them come forward and say it above board, and not circulate such untrue and slanderous reports.

CHAS. LAWLER. Richmond Hill, Jan. 7th, '84.

Robberg by Masked Burglars.

Mr. Robert Stubbard, Thistletown, was robbed on Christmas Eve by three masked men, who entered his house with revolvers and bowie knives. Mr. Stubbard is 111, and had gone to bed early. The robbers entered son, and it cured him of rheumatism the house at midnight, and threatened bloodwith only a few applications. The bal- shed if they were not given \$1,700, which it was supposed Mr. Stubbard had received for cattle recently sold. The money had not arrived, however, and after dragging Mr. Stubbard out of bed and searching the mattress and bed clothes, the robbers vere finally induced to believe that they had been too previous." They took what eash was in the house (about \$11), and decamped, leaving the family not a little frightened at the intrusion. The mutter has not yet been placed in the hands of the police. The case bears a suspicious resemblance to that at then its use affords very great relief, and insures refreshing sleep.

See a suspicious resemblance to that at state time on a ladder only escaped by henging to the pipes at which he was work-

LOCALS

The Beedles and Prindle Pleasure Party.

The original and only Beedles and Prindle Pleasure Party, Silver Band and Classic Orchestra, announce one of their grand performances to be held in the Temperance Hall, Richmond Hill, en Saturday evening, Jan. 12th. It is needless for us to speak in commendation of this company, as their merits to entertain the people are well known and the mere name of Johnny Prindle is in itself sufficient to draw a crowd. Tickets 25cts. Reserved seats, 50cts. Reserved seate are numbered, and tickets may be had at Sanderson's Drug Store,

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A Touch of the Salvation Army.

Rev. J. E. Starr, in speaking on Sunday of his visit to the meeting of the Salvation Army at Newmarket, said he wished they could have just a little touch of the Salvacould have just a little touch of the Salvation Army introduced into the Methodist Church. He would not desire the whole of their methods adopted, but just a touch of their energy and zeal. It is probable, from the reports and prospects, that his desires may be gratified, as it is stated they will soon invade Richmond Hill, but as the forts of the enemy are unusually strong, and his allies unusually numerous and active, it is not probable they will capture the barracks quite as easily as they do many places.

Missionary Services.

The annual Missionary services in connection with the Methodist Church will be held on Sunday. Rev. J. W. Totten will preach in the morning, and the annual meeting will be held in the evening, when Rev. Orrin German, of Oxford House, N. W. T., will deliver an address. Mr. German has spent many years among the Indians of the North West. He is at present engaged translating portions of Scripture, hymns and educational text books in the syllabic language. age for the use of the Indians at Oxford House and other parts of the North West. No doubt his address will be interesting, as a man's own narration of what he has seen and passed through is always interesting.

The Vote

The following is a statement of the vote cast at the late Municipal Elections in the Township of Vaughan, held on the 7th inst : 1st Dan-Reave

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Majority for Cook-206; Majority for Elliott -137.

Snow, Snow

The past two weeks have given us pretty severe weather, considerable snow falling and high winds prevailing most of the time. On Wednesday and Thursday of last week the wind and snow almost completely blockaded the roads, all of those running north and south having to be shoveled out. But nothing that we have had for years has equalled in the same time the fall of Tuesday night last On Wednesday morning the people awoke to find themselves literally snowed in The majority of our citizens had to dig through banks from two to four feet deep before they could get out. We are informed on pretty reliable authority that there were almost three feet of fresh snow where it had not drifted on Wednesday morning

The adventures of a Snow-Plough.

A runaway snow-plough on the Toronto, Grey, & Bruce Railway caused_ considerable excitement at Parkdale on Friday. The plough was taken up the track to clear the road of snow, and when being brought back to the city the coupling-pin broke and the Plough commenced the journey on its own account. The agent at Parkdale was notithrow it off the track. The plough, however, passed the station before the agent could take action to check its mad career. It made the journey safely until it reached the roundhouse, where it crashed through the doors and would doubtless have committed much greater damage had not the turntable been a foot or two off the track, allowing the runaway to fall into the pir. A man who was working in the roundhouse