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Durham, Aug. 9th, '96.

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UPPER TOWN DURHAM

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Directory for 1898. Cut it out.

DURHAM.

Mayor—Wm. Calder. Reeve—Geo. Sparling. North Ward—L. Elvidge, H. Parker, A. S. Hunter. West Ward—R. Bull, Geo. McKechnie, D. Kinnee. East Ward—Jas. Brown, Geo. Moore, Wm. Whitmore.

GLENELG.

Reeve—Jas. Staples. Deputy Reeve—Thos. McFadden. Councillors—Jno. Williams, J. A. McMillan, J. Firth.

EGREMONT.

Reeve—P. Dickson. 1st Dep.—D. Hunter. 2nd Dep.—C. Melnia. Councillors—T. Ferguson, D. McQueen.

NORMANBY.

Reeve—R. Morice. 1st Dep.—Forbes. 2nd Dep.—Reilly. Councillors—Drier and Black.

BENTINCK.

Reeve—S. Dickson. 1st Dep.—Jno. Brown. 2nd Dep.—R. Leslie. 3rd Dep.—Devlin. Councillor—Adlam.

ARTEMESIA.

Reeve—Dr. Christie. Councillors—Kells, McMillan, McTavish.

DURDALK.

Reeve—Sheffield. Councillors—Roome, Hassard, Henderson, W. F. Rundle.

MT. FOREST.

Mayor—J. A. Halstead. Reeve—A. Martin. Dep. Reeve—J. P. Noonan.

TORONTO.

Shaw is Mayor by over 4000 of a majority.

THE LOCAL CONTESTS.

DURHAM, to begin at home, had no contest, though it is darkly feared that this is yet to come. A protest has been lodged with Clerk Russell by ex-Reeve Wm. Gorsline and the future is looked to with some concern. No more at present.

EGREMONT presented the battle ground in which most interest was taken however, and the result shows that Reeve Dickson's hold on the township is of a tangible kind, a majority of 175 not being picked up every day. The charges against him have evidently been looked upon as more his misfortune than his fault and after this victory, the man who takes "Pete" for the rest of the century must have some courage.

Duncan Hunter has again secured a seat at the Council Board and both he and his opponent Mr. Philp, took a good even vote. Mr. Hunter is a growing man and makes a good councillor.

Mr. McFadden made a bold attempt for the 2nd deputyship, but though well supported at home and fairly well all over, he has to take 2nd place. Mr. McInnis has set a pace this year that will lead him to still higher honors, and the township will profit by his presence.

And Tom Ferguson! Why every body knew it of course but to take such a good vote on a first attempt is a credit to him. We have perfect confidence he will make a good councillor and as Mr. McQueen is highly spoken of, the affairs of the township are in safe hands for 1898. Here is the vote:

Table with 6 columns (1-6 Total) and rows for Dickson, Swanston, Hunter, Philp, McInnis, McFadden, Ferguson, McQueen, Robb, Rusnell, Snell.

NORMANBY has again selected her old reeve R. Morice, by a good majority. We congratulate our friend on the confidence the township places in him, and we are sure it is not misplaced, for Bob is a worker and getting well posted in Municipal affairs. The vote by wards is as follows:

Table with 6 columns (1-6 Total) and rows for Koeniz, Morice, Forbes, Heiple, Reilly 2nd deputy, acclamation, Black, Brusoo, Drier, Kreller.

GLENELG—The trusted and tried Reeve Staples and Deputy McFadden got their places by acclamation, and the old Council it was expected would be elected. How near it came to this will be seen by the following figures, where one man is changed by one vote. Mr. Firth has got the seat, and will do honor to the position, yet general regret is felt at the dropping of Mr. Lamb, a man of experience and the only representative of his part of the township. But such things must be. The vote by wards is as follows:

Table with 5 columns (1-5 Total) and rows for Firth, Lamb, McMillan, Sullivan, Williams.

BOOTHVILLE.

[The importance of Boothville has suggested to "Hope" that another correspondent here might be in place, and the following items are sent as a tentative effort. Glad to give them admission Hope, and hope an occasional budget from you may alternate with our regular correspondent's efforts.—Ed. Review.]

Mrs. Wm. Marshall Proton Station visited friends here last week. Master Willie and Arthur Wilson went up to Southampton for Xmas.

The New Year has come and brought with it a little boy to the house of Mr. N. Wilson.

Mr. Runciman moved into his new house a few days ago which we hope he and his wife and family may live to enjoy.

All the Boothville young people were at Mr. R. Kennel's party and say they had a first class time.

Why is it those same young people do not try to start a Literary Society or something to entertain and also cultivate the mind. Surely it is not for want of talent.

We understand Miss Floodie Moody intends leaving for Hamilton, there to finish her education. May her future labor and study be rewarded by success as her past has been.

Quite a lively meeting was held at the school on Wednesday last. Surely no one went away offended. Mr. John Campbell was put in trustee.

Miss Alice Wilson took a well earned holiday for a week with friends in Glenelg.

EDGE HILL.

Mr. T. H. Farr is home now. Edgehill people had a pleasant reunion on Wednesday evening of last week. Miss Hattie Mcfat of Owen Sound spent her Christmas holidays in Durham and Edgehill.

The Assembly held in the Grange Hall on New Years Eve, was well attended and a most successful affair.

Mr. J. W. Firth who has been attending the O. S. Collegiate Institute spent his Christmas holidays at the old homestead.

Mr. Jas. Banks came over from Proton to eat his Christmas goose with his parents he remained over until after the election.

Mr. W. D. Staples has been a familiar figure on the Avenue during the last week or two. He has been teaching in the N. W. T. for the last year.

Mrs. Wm. Pavis of Manitoba is spending the winter with her parents and other friends in the neighborhood of Edgehill.

DORNOCH.

Mr. Editor we wish you and the many readers of your valuable paper a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Miss Annie F. Skene and Mr. R. Watt have left to resume their labors, the former to her school near Woodbridge, the latter to Comber Kent Co.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Flinn left for their home near Stratford after two weeks spent with Mrs. Flinn's father Mr. D. Quirk.

Miss Lizzie A. Smith returned home last week after a year and a half spent in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Smith spent New Years day with Mrs. Smith's father Mr. McCallum of Aberdeen.

Quite a number of our young people danced the old year out and the new year in at the residence of Mr. Quirk.

Mr. T. Doggan was elected by acclamation to the office of Trustee for the Separate School.

Mr. J. D. Morgan the Reform candidate spent a few days of last week in our town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Atkinson of Hiron Co. are visiting their numerous friends in this vicinity at present.

Mr. Peter Morrison returned home last week after spending two years and a half in Manitoba.

Mr. John Black of Oak River Manitoba is visiting his Uncle Mr. A. G. Smith at present.

Mr. P. McAllan C. P. R. Engineer Post Arthur, is spending his holidays with his

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