

The Toronto World

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MUNICIPAL PECKSNIFFS.

Whether hypocrisy or political partisanship is the greater sin, is the ethical question now before Toronto. Hypocrisy is the national British vice, as Charles Dickens was thoroughly aware when he delineated Mr. Pecksniff. Hypocrisy was the only vice condemned on all occasions in round terms by the Founder of Christianity. Political Pecksniffism is as bad at one end of the scale as political ruffianism at the other, and it is less easily detected and punished. It exists in Toronto municipal politics to a degree not generally recognized. Innocently or not most of the citizens are parties to it. Public speakers get up and declare that whatever may be the case in other beleaguered municipalities, in Toronto no such thing as the political complexion of a municipal candidate is ever considered. The extent to which his tongue goes in his cheek depends on his skill in deliberate dissimulation. But all the audience cheers, and claps his hands and stamps its feet and declares that such purist politics never existed before. Then the speaker announces that merit only in Toronto is the passport to office and emolument, and the meritorious gentleman he mentions incidentally happens to belong to his own party. Then the audience cheers again, and congratulates itself upon the providential coincidence. Another speaker in another hall says the same things about another meritorious person of opposite political stripe, and the non-partisan struggle for merit begins.

The Globe and the Mail and Empire are particularly adept in sounding the praises of non-partisan politics in city matters, but providence always enables them to have a candidate of their own order. This ability always to discover an immaculately meritorious candidate in the Liberal ranks, whose superiority to any extant Conservative demands support is not more remarkable in The Globe than is the similar facility operating diversely in The Mail and Empire. By superior tactics and a consistent solidarity the party represented by The Globe has been able to convert a popular minority into a representative majority, and to control the city council, the university, and various other bodies, not to speak of a solid pull at the Parliament Buildings. To ask us to suppose that this is all due to blushing and bashful merit, is to reach a high degree of Pecksniffism. The Conservatives on the other hand, knowing that they are two to one, and too magnanimous to use their power, put up two candidates to give the Liberals a choice of two good men, and are always utterly astounded to find that the Liberals choose neither.

It is amusing to observe when The World in its independent way criticizes the Conservative party, The Globe is always careful to quote the remarks, but always eliminates anything that might reflect on the Liberal host. This also is Pecksniffism.

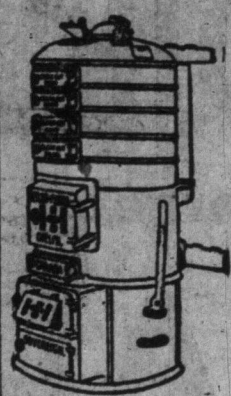
At the risk of being charged with a desire to introduce politics into municipal affairs, we very earnestly affirm that the hypocrisy is the worst evil of the two. A case in point is the candidature of Mr. H. H. Dewar, K.C., for the corporation councilship. As to his merits as a citizen or politician we have nothing to say, but as a lawyer he would never have been heard of beyond a hundred other barristers in the city apart from his political appearance. With a ready tongue Mr. Dewar has made his reputation on the stump rather than in chambers. Toronto does not want a stump politician as corporation counsel, but a first-class lawyer. Would The Globe support Mr. Dewar for the position had he been a red-hot Tory? Echo answers with emphatic certainty "No!"

"The fact appears to be that both parties play the political game for all it is worth, hypocritically assuring the public that individual merit is their only consideration."

TEXTS FOR SERMONETTES.

"A girl dare not make friends," is the text of The Globe's leading editorial yesterday. The reverend editor shines as a sermonist. His utterances on the toothless Britons of Birmingham have shaken up two continents, and Lord Charles Bessford posted over to Toronto to say that it was all true, and the half had not been told. At "Students' Movements" and Layman's Missions the editorial ecclesiastic is an adept and The Globe's columns in this respect are as highly moral as A. Ward's "waxwork fingers and living wild beast show."

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GUILTY OF BRIBERY

Six Out of Fifteen Officials Accused Acknowledge Offence.

YONGE ST. Oct. 22.—Six of the fifteen county officials, accused of bribery, have pleaded guilty to the special grand jury for accepting and giving bribes, have pleaded guilty to the charges against them. John Ham, a former county commissioner; James Price, Samuel Brunstetter and North Newton, former good roads commissioners, pleaded guilty to accepting bribes without even standing trial. O. C. Starr, a salesman of Columbus, Ohio, also pleaded guilty to accepting bribes to bring the good roads commissioners. Former county commissioner Warren H. Kale stood trial, but after listening to the testimony of the state, stopped further proceedings by pleading guilty.

Death of Miss Marshall. The death of Miss Bertha Marshall, only daughter of the late Nat. C. Marshall of 414 Jarvis-street, and niece of William Marshall, superintendent Ontario Division of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Telegraph, occurred at Grace Hospital after a lingering illness of several months, resulting from acute indigestion.

Miss Marshall was particularly well known in local musical and amateur theatrical circles, being a prominent member of Toronto's clever amateur players' society, the Rosebud Dramatic Club, in which she is best remembered for her splendid characterization of "Aunt Sedgwick" in "The Millionaire" and "The Girl of the Year," which was played many times in Toronto and vicinity.

Alex Grant has surrendered to the Seattle, Wash., police, claiming to be one of the "Wright, Que, bank robbers." He says his pals deserted him.

Funeral of Martin Downs. The funeral of Martin Downs, proprietor of the Cole Bros' Circus, who died in the General Hospital, took place yesterday morning. The service was held in St. Patrick's Church, Rev. Father Kleibert celebrating mass.

A large number of theatrical people attended the obsequies, the following pall-bearers being chosen from representatives of city theatres: J. Shea of Shea's Theatre; W. Tingle, Shea's Theatre; T. H. Henry, the Gayety; L. Solman, Royal Alexandra; Mr. Leslie, Majestic; A. Small, Grand; J. Cowan, Grand; and J. Griffin of the Griffin Amusement Company. Among the numerous mourners were: Claude Macdonell, M.P.; Joseph Rogers, chief provincial detective; Attorney Montgomery, C. H. Thompson, Palmer, W. H. Moore, R. Jacques, P. Weighart, J. Kahl, P. Beurs, J. Hare, C. Hare, and also Orville. From out of town there were many prominent circus and theatrical people, and telegrams and words of condolence were received from the proprietors of Robinson's Circus, Hagenbach's Show, Ringling's Circus, Buffalo Bill's show and others. The interment was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Rev. Father Brick officiating at the grave.

Thanksgiving Dinner, 40 Cents. At Williams' three Restaurants on Yonge street.

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AT OSGOOD HALL.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Monday, Thanksgiving Day, dies non. Peremptory list for divisional court for Tuesday 26th inst. at 11 a.m.:
To be spoken to:
1. McKay v. Simpson.
2. Neil v. Woodward.
3. Gray v. Standard Mutual.
4. Parrott v. McLean.
5. Landsberg v. Kelly.
6. Hallam v. Markson.
7. Stewart v. Coball, C. S. and A. association.
8. Gilmour v. Sleeman.
For argument:
1. Beattie v. Dickson (settled) (77).
2. Rex v. Maher (78).
3. Kelly v. Tourist Hotel Co. (80).
4. Halsey v. Lester (85).
5. Gilmour v. Dalton (81).
6. Vanderberg v. Markham (48).
Peremptory list for non-jury assize court, Tuesday, Oct. 26, at city hall, at 11 a.m.:
25. Lincoln v. McKinnon.
78. Crandell v. Barker.
81. McDonald v. Curran.
85. Bennie v. Verral.
86. Luciano v. Luchini.
88. Moffat v. Warden.
Peremptory list for county court before Judge Denton, Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 10 a.m.:
23. Gichrist v. Davies.
26. Can. Business Exchange v. Mann.
27. Lawson v. Compton.
28. Hendrie v. City of Toronto.

Master's Chambers.

Before Cartwright, K.C., Master.
Richardson v. C. P. Ry.—R. J. McGowan, for defendants, moved for directions for trial of third party issue. J. E. Lash, for third parties. J. N. Black, for plaintiff. Usual order made. H. Garner v. McColl.—H. S. White, for defendant moved to dismiss action for want of prosecution. No one contra. Order made.
Ward v. Town of Owen Sound.—J. Montgomery, for defendants, moved to change venue from Toronto to Owen Sound. Plaintiff opposed. Order made. Costs in the cause.

Sheehan v. City of Toronto.—Urquhart (Wm. Johnston), for defendants, moved on consent for order dismissing action without costs. Order made. McCully v. McCully.—W. Laidlaw, K.C., for plaintiff, moved for interim alimony and disbursements. J. A. McIntosh for defendant, contra. Reserved.

E. Garner v. McColl.—H. S. White, for defendant, moved for order dismissing action for want of prosecution. No one contra. Order made.
Jackson v. Hughes.—Grover (Arnold & Co.), for plaintiff, moved for order for commission to take evidence at Dundas and Huron, K.C., for defendant. Percy Hughes, J. T. White, for Hughes & Co. H. S. White, for other defendants. Order is on giving security for costs. Leave to defendants to join if so advised.

Williams v. Kehr.—J. R. Roaf, for plaintiff, moved for judgment under C. 103, s. 10, and K.C., for defendant. Toronto Sewer Pipe Co. v. Dunne.—J. M. Godfrey, for defendant, moved for judgment under C. 103, s. 10, and K.C., for defendant. In not filing affidavit on production. J. H. Spence, for plaintiff, contra. The affidavits having been filed, motion dismissed. Costs to defendant in any event.

Lemon v. Young.—J. M. Godfrey, for defendant, moved to dismiss action for want of prosecution. No one contra. Action dismissed with costs.
Bok v. Schwartz.—Finberg (Heyd & H.), for defendant, moved to dismiss for want of prosecution. J. M. Godfrey, for plaintiff, contra. Order made dismissing action with costs.
Standard Bank v. Sutton.—W. A. Cameron, for plaintiff, moved to have issue settled. No one contra. Issue settled.

Trounks Construction Co. v. Walsh & Co.—H. W. A. Foster, for defendants, moved for security for costs. McCann (Betty & Co.), for plaintiffs, contra. Order made. Costs in cause. Sims v. McGregor.—H. E. Ross, K.C., for plaintiff, moved for judgment for defendants under a mortgage. L. P. Heed, K.C., contra. Reserved.

Dicks v. Ulney.—P. R. Maclean, for plaintiff, moved to wind up. J. M. Godfrey, for defendant in prosecution. C. Kappeler, for defendant Barber, supported the motion. S. C. Wood, for plaintiff, contra. Reserved.
Re Trusts of Will of Mary Doig

Re Trusts of Will of Mary Doig. Nichol v. Nichol.—G. H. Kilmer, K.C., for foreign executor of deceased defendant, moved for leave to appeal from order of Litchford, J., dated 18th October, 1909, appointing an administrator ad litem to estate of defendant. W. N. Ferguson, K.C., for plaintiff, contra. Order made substituting the executor of deceased defendant for the administrator ad litem appointed by said order, any services to be made on Ontario solicitor. Costs.

Ross v. Vokes.—J. R. Roaf, for plaintiff, appealed from ruling of junior tax collector that costs should be taxed on the county court scale. H. G. Fowler, for defendant, contra. Reserved.
Re Jacob Kurtzman, lunatic.—J. Chisholm (Hamilton) for committee, moved for order confirming report of local master at Hamilton, dated 14th September, 1909. C. G. Jones, for inspector of prisons and public charities. Judgment reserved. Further material to be produced.

The King v. Gellat.—Motion by defendant to quash conviction by police magistrate at Cochrane, for breach of liquor law. J. M. Ferguson, for respondent, contra. Enlarged two weeks.
Before Falconbridge, C.J.

Re Brayley, lunatic.—B. C. Brayley, committee of lunatic, moved for an order for payment out of court of certain moneys for maintenance. Order made. B. for Macdonnell, J.

Re McCann-Knox Milling Co.—W. R. Smyth, for petitioner, C. P. Chisholm, for defendant, the executors of Mary I. Daniels. No one for the other defendants. Plaintiff's demand for a winding up order. No one contra. Order granted. J. P. Long v. Long v. Long. Reference to G. Kappeler, K.C., official referee.

Before Trial.
Malcolm v. Ferguson.—T. G. Blackstock, K.C., and T. M. Higgins, for plaintiff. G. H. Watson, K.C., for defendant. Ferguson, H. P. Gooderham, for defendant. The executors of Mary I. Daniels. No one for the other defendants. Plaintiff's demand for a winding up order. No one contra. Order granted. J. P. Long v. Long v. Long. Reference to G. Kappeler, K.C., official referee.

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