G. A.

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AS

ALDERMAN

IN

WARD ONE

WILL PUT THE SAME ENERGY INTO HIS WORK FOR THE CITY AS HE PUTS INTO HIS OWN BUSINESS.

Vote For Him! - Thank You!

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A PROGRESSIVE MAN FOR A PROGESSIVE WARD.

WARD 1

VOTE

J. R. Minhinnick

FOR

Alderman

Strong for public ownership, better street car service and best interests of Ward One.

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YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR

F. S. ONN

Merchant, 143 King Street

FOR

ALDERMAN, WARD 1

1921

THE WORKINGMAN'S FRIEND.

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B. F. BRIGHTON

Wishes you a Prosperous New Year and respectfully solicits your vote and influence for RE-ELECTION AS

ALDERMAN FOR WARD No. 1

FOR 1921.

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FOR ALDERMAN NO. 2 WARD. VOTE FOR RE-ELECTION OF ALDERMAN

FRANK E.

HARLEY

The FIRST HARLEY on the Ballot.

HARLEY, FRANK E.	X
HARLEY, J. H.	
POCOCK, E. A.	
SECKER, J. E.	
TITE, W.	
WILSON, J. C.	
WILSON, W. A.	

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HAVING BEEN FOR TEN YEARS YOUR REPRESENTATIVE ON THE HOSPITAL BOARD, I AGAIN OFFER MY SERVICES, AND SOLICIT YOUR CONFIDENCE AND SUPPORT.

W. M. Gartshore

For Hospital Trust

1921

D.25,29,31

SIX NORTHERN COUNTIES TO CELEBRATE AT "Y"

Natives of the counties of Northumberland, Cumberland, Westmorland, Durham, Yorkshire and Lancashire will unite in the "Y" Auditorium next Saturday evening to spend a social evening. R. P. Liddle, industrial secretary of the local "Y," has just received a number of songs from England that will be sung during the evening both by individuals and by the audience. A sing-song at 7:45 o'clock will open the program, after which English songs and social events will be put on. T. H. Yull will lead the sing-song. A feature of the evening will be the screening of the local election results. About 50 special views of Yorkshire will also be shown. The evening will be given under the auspices of the "Y," St. George's Soci-

MAY WED GREEK PRINCESS.

Athens, Dec. 29.—William Leeds, son of Princess Anastasia, may marry Princess Olga, daughter of Prince Nicholas, and niece of King Constantine, it is rumored in court circles. Prince Nicholas is a brother of Prince Christopher, the husband of Princess Anastasia

Mme. Manos, widow of the late King Alexander, has not the status of royalty, but is personally on friendly relations with members of the Greek ruling house. Princess Anastasia, wife of Prince Christopher, is recognized as a Greek princess.

FOUR RECEIVE DEATH SENTENCES

Budapest, Hungary, Dec. 29.—The court yesterday pronounced judgment in the case of a number of people's commissaries who were accused of homicide and the making of counterfeit money. Four of the defendants were sentenced to be hanged, and six were given life

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE

Respectfully Solicited for

CAROLINE C.

HUNT

(Mrs. John I. A. Hunt)

FOR

BOARD OF EDUCATION

My platform is: Collegiate at once on the old site—more as needed.

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YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR

MRS. DONALD

McLEAN

(Matilda M. McLean.)

for

Board of Education

MY PLATFORM IS EFFICIENCY, ECONOMY AND PROMPT ACTION.

Build the FIRST SCHOOL on the OLD SITE and DO IT NOW!

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YOUR VOTE

and Influence Is Respectfully Solicited For

MAJOR GORDON

COOPER

(Wholesale Jeweler)

FOR

BOARD OF EDUCATION

My policy: Central Collegiate on old site; Junior High Schools as required.

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CITIZENS

OF WARD 3

One of the most important questions to be settled next year is the street railway problem, where it will need the utmost sincerity of the principle of community service and efficient administration. That is why I solicit your vote and influence as

ALDERMAN

Wishing you all a Happy New Year.

Max Lerner

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RE-ELECT

John Bridge

ALDERMAN

WARD 4

for continued industrial expansion. Apply strict business principles to London's civic problems.

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VOTE FOR

P. J. Watt

Alderman, Ward 1

Who Will Give His Time and Services In the Best Interests of the City of London.

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RESUME SITTINGS JANUARY 3.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—The Sutherland commission, investigating the proposed hydro radial propositions in the Province of Ontario, will resume its sittings in Toronto on January 3, when, it is expected, officials of the Ontario hydro commission will give evidence.

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MORE FUEL TANKS FOR LINER.

New York, Dec. 29.—The steamship Olympic sailed today on her final voyage of the winter season. Upon her arrival at Southampton she will be laid up until March for the installation of additional fuel oil tanks. Among the passengers were Lieut.-Col. J. B. McLean and Mrs. McLean of Toronto; Sir Ernest Hodder-Williams, the British publisher, and W. L. George, the

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

LARGE MARKET IS EXPECTED THURSDAY

Trading Slow Today—Hay in Demand—Drop in Straw Prices.

Again trading was slow at the local market as a result of the rather poor condition the country roads are in. A market as large as that of last Thursday is expected tomorrow, and fowl is again expected to be the leader. Few turkeys are looked for, as many of the buyers say the supplies are exhausted. Geese, ducks and chickens will be the ruling classes, but heavier sales of geese are predicted.

A few turkeys sold today for 60c per lb to the retailer, and 55@58c per lb wholesale. Geese brought from 35@37c per lb dressed, retail, and 32c wholesale. Ducks sold for 35c per lb to the retailer, dressed, and 30@32c wholesale.

Live fowl are looked for in large quantities. Live ducks sell for 22@25c per lb, geese at 28c, old fowl at 18c, and chickens at 22c. There will be a good demand.

Clover hay appears to be in fairly good demand, and the prices advanced to $26 and $28 per ton; timothy hay remains firm and in good demand at $27 and $28 per ton. Several loads of straw were sold this morning; as was predicted, prices took a slump, and quotations today were $12 and $13 per ton.

No changes in live and dressed hogs were recorded; beef hind and front quarters were a little lower; hinds sold for 20c and 21c per lb, and fronts at 15c and 16c.

Quotations:

FLOUR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Flour—Easy; spring patents and Kansas straights, $8.75@9.50; spring clears, $7.25@7.75; winter straights, $8.50@9.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 28.—Flour—Unchanged to 10c lower; carlots, family patents, per barrel, 98-lb. cotton sacks, $9.20@9.55.

Shipments—17,240 barrels.

Bran—$26@28.

TORONTO, Dec. 28.—Ontario Flour—Government standard, winter wheat, in jute bags, prompt shipment; Montreal, $7.75, nominal.

Manitoba Flour—Government standard, track, Toronto, cash prices; first patent, $11.10; do., second, $10.60.

Millfeed—In carlots, delivered Montreal freights, bags included; bran, $38@40 per ton; shorts, $42 per ton; good feed flour, $2.75@3 per bag.

MONTREAL, Dec. 28.—A feature of the flour market was the increased demand from English importers for Canadian spring wheat flour, and a fair amount of business was transacted. Also there was more inquiry from American buyers for supplies. The tone of the market was steady, and prices remained unchanged.

The market for millfeed was without new development.

Prices of rolled oats were steady.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, new standard, $11.10.

Rolled Oats—Per bag, 90 lbs., $3.80.

Bran—$40.25.

Shorts—$42.25.

HAY.

TORONTO, Dec. 28.—Hay—Baled, on track, Toronto, carlots, $29@30 per ton; No. 1 loose, $35@37 per ton.

MONTREAL, Dec. 28.—There was no improvement in the market for baled hay today.

Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $30@31.

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 420; there are about 80 cattle for sale today, including some left over from yesterday; trade is draggy again; a few good loads are offered, but will probably be held for higher prices; one bull weighing 1,940 lbs sold for 10½c; butcher steers, choice, $10@11; good, $8 50@9 50; medium, $7 50@8 50; common, $4@6; butcher heifers, choice, $9 50@10 50; medium, $7 75@8 50; common, $4@6; butcher cows, choice, $8@9 50; medium, $5 50@7; canners and cutters, $3 50@5; butcher bulls, good, $7@9; feeding steers, good, $9 50@11; fair, $8@9 50; stockers, good, $8@9; fair, $6 50@7 50.

Calves—Receipts, 44; there is a good market for calves; prices are holding steady at yesterday's rise; choice, $14@16 50; medium, $11@13; common, $5@10.

Milch Cows—Choice, each, $100@140; springers, choice, $110@150.

Sheep—Receipts, 174; lambs are about 50c stronger today, the bulk selling from $12@12 50; lambs, $12@13.

Hogs—Receipts, 815; hog prices continue to rise, selling at 16¾, and a little up for fed and watered; selects, $16 75; light, $14 75; heavy, $15 75; sows, $12 75@13 75.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; slow.

Calves—Receipts, 100; market steady at $4@19.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,300; 20c to 25c higher; heavy, $11 25@12; mixed, $12@12 25; yorkers, $12 25@12 35; light yorkers and pigs, $12 35@12 50; roughs, $8 75@9.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,000; lambs 50c higher at $6@14; yearlings, $6@11; wethers, $5 50@6; ewes, $2@5 25; mixed sheep, $5@5 50.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; 15c to 25c lower than yesterday's average, lights off most; pigs mostly 25c lower; bulk of desirable 90 to 130-lb pigs, $10 25@10 50.

Cattle—Receipts, 9,000; common and medium beef steers opened steady to stronger, others steady; early sales mostly $8@9 50; she stock steady; best action on canners and cutters; bologna bulls steady to strong, bulk at $5 75@6 50; fat bulls, calves, stockers and feeders steady; choice vealers to packers, $12 25@12 50.

Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; fat lambs steady to 25c lower; choice fed westerns, $12 50; bulk, $12@12 50; aged sheep are firm; choice western ewes, $5 50; bulk of ewes, $4 25@5 35; feeders steady.

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Dec. 29.—December wheat opened unchanged at $1 88¾.

December oats opened ¼c lower at 54⅝c, and May unchanged at 56⅝c.

Flax opened ½c higher for May at $3.

December rye ⅞c up at $1 63, and May ½c lower at $1 61.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Opening: Wheat—March, $1 62⅛; May, $1 57⅛.

Corn—Dec., 71¼c; May, 73⅛c.

Oats—Dec., 46c; May, 48⅜c.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Wheat tended downward in price today, bearishly affected by absence of any sign of new export business. Depression of the cotton market also was an element of weakness in the wheat trade. On the other hand, country offerings proved extremely light. Opening prices, which ranged from ¼c to 1⅛c lower, were followed by moderate further declines and then something of a rally.

Deliveries on December contracts eased the corn market. After opening unchanged to ⅛c higher, prices showed a downward slant.

Oats were steadied by some improvement of shipping demand, the market starting unchanged to ⅛c higher, and later hardening a little more.

PROVISIONS.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Provisions lacked any aggressive support, and were inclined to sag.

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Hams—Short cut, 220s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 190s; Wiltshire cut, 225s; clear bellies, 210s; short clear backs, 191s; shoulders, square, 166s; do, New York, 146s.

Lard—Refined, 158s 6d; unrefined, 155s 6d.

OILS.

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Rosin—Common, 35s.

Turpentine Spirits—100s.

Petroleum—Refined, 2s 3d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 2s 4d.

London, Dec. 29.—Calcutta Linsed—£22 10s.

Linseed Oil—39s 6d.

Sperm Oil—£60.

Petroleum—American refined, 2s 3¼d; spirits, 2s 4¼d.

Turpentine Spirits—100s.

Rosin—American strained, 39s; type G, 40s 6d.

Tallow—Australian, 59s 6d.

COTTON.

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—Cotton—Futures closed steady; Dec., 9.01d; Jan., 8.96d; Feb., 9.02d; March, 9.13d; April, 9.21d; May, 9.31d; June, 9.38d; July, 9.49d; Aug., 9.53d; Sept., 9.57d; Oct., 9.57d;

BEANS.

Ridgetown, Dec. 29.—Beans—Selling price, $2 75.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Butter—Higher creamery extras, 55c.

Eggs—Unsettled; receipts, 1,357 cases; at mark, cases included, 59@64c.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

New York, Dec. 29—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Low records were made by two leading issues in the initial stages of today's stock market. Atlantic-Gulf fell 4¼ points to 89, and Crucible Steel declined 1½ to 70¼. United Fruit, Mexican Petroleum, General Electric, Consolidated Textile, Great Northern and New Haven comprised the other heavy shares. Europeans oils were again strong, however, Royal Dutch rising 3⅜ and Shell Transport 1 point. Reading and other coalers were firm, as well as Southern Pacific and Canadian Pacific.

[Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company for The Advertiser.]

New York, Dec. 29.

Trunk Lines and Grangers—	Open.	High.	Low.	2p.m.
Baltimore & Ohio.	32¼	34⅜	32¼	34⅜
Erie, com.	12⅜	13½	12⅜	13½
Erie, 1st pfd.	19¼	19½	19¼	19½
Great Northern	73⅝	74⅞	73⅝	74⅞
New Haven	16¾	17	16½	16¾
New York Central	70½	71⅜	70½	71⅛
Rock Island	25⅝	26⅛	25⅝	26⅜
Wabash, com.	7⅝	7¾	7⅝	7¾
Wabash, A.	19¼	20⅜	19⅞	20⅜
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com.	80½	81	80½	81
Canadian Pacific	113¾	114⅞	113¾	114½
Kansas & Texas	2¾	..	..	..
Louis. & Nash.	97⅛	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific	16½	16⅝	16¼	16⅝
Northern Pacific	79¾	81¾	79¾	81¼
Southern Pacific	96⅞	100¾	96⅞	99⅝
Southern Railway	21⅝	22¾	21⅝	22¼
Union Pacific	116¼	117⅞	116¼	117⅛
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio	58¼	58⅝	58⅛	58¼
Lehigh Valley	53⅝	54⅝	53⅝	54½
Reading Railway	82½	84⅝	82¼	83¾
Tractions—				
Interboro pfd.	9⅝	..	..	..
Industrials—				
Am. Beet Sugar	38¼	38½	37¾	37¾
American Can	23	23⅝	22¾	23⅛
American Car	116¾	119¼	116¾	118½
American Hide	6¾	..	..	..
Am. Hide, pfd.	goshrdlcmfwypscmfup			
Am. Locomotive	79	80	78¾	80
American Sugar	89	90¼	88¾	90
Am. Smelters	30⅝	32⅛	30⅝	32
American Steel	28⅞	28⅞	28⅛	28½
Am. Tel. & Tel.	94¼	..	..	..
American Wool	56¼	57¾	56	57¾
Baldwin Loco.	81¾	85	81¾	84
Central Leather	31⅞	32¾	31¾	32⅝
Corn Products	65¾	66⅝	65¾	66¼
Col. Fuel & Iron	25¼	25½	25¼	25½
Dome Mines	9¾	9¾	9½	9¾
General Electric	117½	118¾	117½	118¾
General Motors	13⅝	14	13⅝	14
Goodrich Rubber	32½	32¾	32½	32¾
G. Northern Ore	25⅝	25½	25⅝	25⅝
Inter. Paper	42½	43½	42½	43½
Inter. Nickel	12⅛	12¼	12⅛	12⅛
Ice Securities	39	..	..	..
Marine, pfd.	48⅝	49	47½	47½
People's Gas	33½	33½	32⅛	32½
Studebaker	41	41⅞	41	41¾
U. S. Rubber	56	58	55¾	57½
Westinghouse	40½	40¾	40½	40¾
Willys-Overland	5⅝	5⅝	5¼	5⅝
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper	30⅞	31	30⅛	30¾
Chino Copper	17½	..	..	..
Inspiration	28⅛	28⅛	28	28
Utah Copper	45¾	46½	45½	46
Oils—				
Am. Cotton Oil	16⅛	16⅛	16	16
Cal. Petroleum	24⅞	25	24¾	25
Mex. Petroleum	153	157½	152½	156¼
Pan-American	71¼	74¼	71¼	74
Sinclair Oil	21⅛	21¾	21⅛	21⅝
Texas Oil	41½	41¾	41½	42¾
Steels—				
Bethlehem, B	53½	54⅝	53½	54¼
Crucible Steel	71¼	74	70¼	72½
Lackawanna	48¾	..	..	..
Pressed Steel Car	76	..	..	..
Republic Iron	58	59⅛	58	58¾
U. S. Steel	77⅝	79	77⅝	79

Sales to 1 p.m., 606,100 shares.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—Absorption of all offerings on the local stock exchange this morning resulted in another strong market, and, while advances were slight, the firm undertone led to a feeling that recent liquidation had been effectually quelled. Brokers are of the opinion that price changes will be insignificant for the next week or so, but expect a rising market during January.

Victory bonds were steady at levels reached in the recovery yesterday afternoon.

In the unlisted stocks Abitibi gained more than a fraction, closing strongly at 57. Brompton moved higher, while Metagami advanced 2 points to 30.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]

Toronto, Dec. 29.

	Asked.	Bid.		Asked.	Bid.
Abitibi..	57	56	Mexican	10	5
do pfd.	90	..	Monarch	70	..
Am Cy.	..	34	do pfd.	88	..
do pfd.	65½	60	N S Car	4	3½
Ames, p.	45	..	do pfd.	24	22
A Sales..	7	..	Nipis'g.	900	860
do pfd.	72	..	NSSteel.	..	36
A Sugar.	19¾	19	Ogilvie..	..	99
Barcel..	4	3¾	Ontario.	..	57
Brazilian	30	29¾	P Burt.	..	35
B C Fish	39½	37	do pfd.	77	..
Bell Tel.	101½	100	Penman.	95	..
Burt, c.	..	94½	do pfd.	86	..
do pfd.	..	97	Pt Hope.	72	..
C Bread.	19½	19	Pt Rico.	..	35
do pfd.	85	82	do pfd.	..	63
C Car..	..	86	P Paper	95	92
Cement.	58	56½	do pfd.	87	..
do pfd.	89	..	Quebec..	21¼	20¾
C Fdry..	90	..	Riordon.	134	132
C S L..	44	43	Rogers..	..	80
do pfd.	64	63	Russell..	70	..
CGElec.	..	92	do pfd.	70	..
do pfd.	91	90½	Sawyer.	15	12
C Loco.	83	..	do pfd.	40	35
do pfd.	84	..	SWheat.	130	..
C P R..	136	135	do pfd.	..	97
C Salt..	90	..	Spanish.	86½	85½
C Dairy.	..	51	do pfd.	93	91
do pfd.	..	82	St Chem.	30	26
Coniag's.	190	..	Stl Can.	59½	58½
Smelters	18	17½	do pfd.	87	86
Con Gas.	133	..	Tooke...	66	..
Cr Res	17	14	Tor Ry..	57½	56¾
Cr Nest.	47	43	Tre'wey..	16	14
Detroit..	90	85	Tucketts	43	40
Dome .	1150	1125	do pfd.	..	82
Canners	30	28	Tw City.	..	43
do pfd.	80	78	Win Ry.	39	36
D Iron..	80	..	Banks, etc.—		
DSCorp.	43½	43	Com'rce.	183	..
Dom Tel.	81	81	Domin...	193	191
Duluth..	14	13	Hamil'n.	..	170
Ford M.	..	260	Imperial.	188	181½
LWoods.	150	135	Merch...	..	165
do pfd.	..	94	Molsons.	175	170
Larose..	24	22	Montr'l.	..	195
Mackay.	69	68	NScotia.	252	250
do pfd.	..	63	Royal...	..	193½
M Leaf.	..	135	Stand..	201	..
do pfd.	93½	92	Toronto.	..	181

Sales.		High.	Low.	Noon.
31	Abitibi	57	56⅝	57
25	Canada Bread	19½	..	..
3	Crow's Nest	45	..	..
15	Steamships, pfd.	64½	64	64½
5	C. P. R.	135½	..	..
10	Gen. Electric, pfd.	91	..	..
30	Mackay, com.	69½	68¾	69
50	Nipissing Mines	890	..	..
12	N. Steel Car	36½	..	..
16	Russell, pfd.	45	..	..
5	Spanish River	85¼	..	..
5	do, pfd.	91	..	..
50	Steel of Canada	58½	..	..
125	Toronto Railway	57	56½	56¾
	Banks—			
2	Commerce	183½	183	183
5	Dominion	190	..	..
24	Hamilton	170	..	..
27	Royal	194⅛	193⅝	194
3	Standard	200	..	..
6	Toronto	181	..	..
	Bonds—			
$1000	Sao Paulo	70½	70⅛	70⅛
3700	Rio de Janeiro	63	62	62
19700	War Loan 1937	94¾	94½	94¾
8800	Victory, 1922	97¼	96⅞	96⅞
1300	do, 1923	95¾	95½	95¾
6700	do, 1924	94½	..	..
48600	do, 1933	95¼	94⅜	95¼
110900	do, 1934	92⅞	92⅜	92½
10000	do, 1937	97½	..	..
2100	do, 1927	95¼	95	95
	Unlisted—			
350	Brompton	54½	53¼	54½
25	Metagami	30	..	..
10	Wayagamack	85	..	..
20	Breweries	46¾	..	..
50	North Star, pfd.	350	..	..

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Dec. 29.—Morning sales: Dome Mines, 10 at 11.90; Holly, 50 at 550; Keora, 500 at 15, 11,700 at 15¼, 4400 at 15½, 6000 at 15¾; Porcupine Crown, 1500 at 17; Preston East Dome, 1500 at 2½; West Dome, 11,500 at 7½; Eureka, 500 at 26½, 500 at 26; The Petrol, 200 at 33; Adanac, 2000 at 2½; Bailey, 1000 at 3½; Beaver, 5000 at 27; Gifford, 3000 at 1½; Petreson Lake, 500 at 9. Total

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—The local stock exchange was fairly active during the early trading this morning. Abitibi rose a quarter to 56¾, while Atlantic Sugar dropped a point to 19. Brompton was particularly strong, opening at 52½ and then rising to 54¾, later weakening slightly. Laurentide was down a half at 90, while Breweries was up ⅜ to 46½. Spanish River was also stronger at 86. It may be mentioned that 125 was asked for Windsor Hotel, for which 111 was bid last night.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Noon.
520	Abitibi	56¾	56	56¼
825	Atlantic Sugar	21	19⅞	19⅞
195	Breweries	46¾	46½	46½
2160	Brompton	54¾	53¾	54½
53	Converters	55	54	55
5	Can. Cottons	71	..	..
10	Can. Cement	57¼	..	..
155	Can. Steamships	43	..	..
280	Con. Smelters	18	..	..
35	Dom Steel	43	..	..
21	General Electric	92	..	..
10	Lyall	49	..	..
4	Lake of Woods	135	134	135
120	Laurentide	91	90	91
284	Montreal Power	79¼	79	79¼
360	Quebec Railway	21½	21	21½
20	Riordon Paper	133	..	..
120	Shawinigan	104	..	..
945	Spanish River	86	..	..
400	do, pfd.	92¾	91	92¾
190	Steel of Canada	59¼	59	59¼
50	Toronto Railway	56½	..	..
120	Wayagamack	86	85¾	86
	Bonds—			
$1000	War Loan 1937	95	..	..
14000	Victory, 1922	97¼	..	..
7000	do, 1924	94⅛	..	..
2000	do, 1934	92¼	..	..
8000	do, 1923	96	..	..
21000	do, 1933	95½	95⅛	95⅛

EXCHANGE RATES.

New York, Dec. 29.—Sterling exchange steady; demand, $3 50½; cables, $3 51½.

Canadian dollars firm at 13¾ per cent discount.

GOLD AND SILVER.

London, Dec. 29.—Bar gold, 116s 9d per ounce.

Bar silver, 43d per ounce.

MONEY.

London, Dec. 29.—Closing: Money, 4½ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills and three months, 6 11-16 per cent.

Gold premiums at Lisbon, 140.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Dec. 29.—Closing prices today were:

Consols, for money	44¼
Atchison, com.	45
Canadian Pacific	160
Chesapeake & Ohio	81
Chicago Great Western	9⅞
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	35
De Beers	13
Denver & Rio Grande	2
Erie, com.	13
Erie, 1st pfd.	25½
Grand Trunk	4⅞
Illinois Central	119
Louisville & Nashville	138
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	4
New York Central	98
Norfolk & Western	136
Ontario & Western	23
Pennsylvania Railway	54½
Rand Mines	2½
Reading Railway	114
Southern Railway	23½
Southern Pacific	135
Union Pacific	165
United States Steel	109

City Briefs

NEW MAN ON POLICE FORCE.—Ernest Oliver, of London Township, has been added to the strength of the London police force.

INSPECTING ARMY'S PROPERTY.—Col. McMillan and Col. Miller of the provincial command of the Salvation Army, are in the city today inspecting some of the property of the local command.

NEUROLOGISTS PAY VISIT. — A party of neurologists from Toronto and Hamilton arrived in this city at noon for the purpose of making an informal inspection of the Westminster Hospital. The party consisted of about fifteen doctors, all of whom were on the strength of the D. S. C. R.

ONLY ONE NAME ON DOCKET.—The cold weather of the past 24 hours seemingly had a chastening influence on the morals of the citizens of London, for not an arrest was made in this city since early Tuesday morning. Only one name, that of a man charged with vagrancy, graced the police court blotter today. There were no breaches of city bylaws for the first time in many months.

MEET THIS AFTERNOON.—Lieut.-Col. W. J. Brown, chairman of the members' council of the London Chamber of Commerce, will meet with his vice-chairmen this afternoon to arrange a program of topics for the members' council meetings during the ensuing year. The following are vice-chairmen of the chamber of commerce members' council: C. H. Beard, Thomas A. Faust, George A. Wenige, Emerson Nichols and W. R. Jarmain.

FORM ASSOCIATION.—Members of Cronyn Memorial Church choir formed an association at a meeting in the parish rooms last night. J. Granger and Rev. G. Q. Warner were elected honorary presidents. Other officers elected were: President, S. Boardman; vice-president, H. K. Anthony; secretary, Miss Hilda Hooke; treasurer, Miss M. Robinson; convener of social committee, Miss E. Trelaven; librarians, Messrs. Starling and Hooke.

SOCIAL EVENING.—About 40 Askin Street Methodist Church Elks and friends gathered in the basement last evening to spend the last social evening of the year. The evening was spent in games and singing, and after the program light refreshments were served. "Dooley" Milligan, a former member of the club, was present from Detroit, and was presented with a gold watch chain. Walter and Marion Northcott, also of Detroit, and former members of the church, were present.

MAILING NOTICES.—Secretary A. M. Hunt, of the Western Fair Association, is busy mailing notices to different farmers in Ontario explaining the rules and regulations of the boys' and girls' calf competition at the fair next year. The competition will be open to any boy or girl who is a resident of Canada from the age of 10 to 17 years. No entry fee will be charged. The calves must be pure bred or grades of any beef calved on or after September 1. There will be $1,000 offered in prizes, the first prize being $100.

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THE CHRISTMAS CAROL CLEVERLY PRESENTED BY ST. PAUL'S GIRL GUIDES

Charles Dickens' Famous Story Delightfully Staged Before Large Audience.

The Girl Guides of St. Paul's Cathedral gave a charming presentation of Dickens' Christmas Carol last night in Cronyn Hall, under the able direction of Mrs. Clarence Foreman, who adapted the Dickens' story for stage purposes. A crowded and enthusiastic house greeted the performance, which was deemed one of the most finished of its kind ever given in the church. The presentation took the form of a series of quaint scenes, which followed each other in kaleidoscopic succession. Beginning with the cheerless office of Scrooge, glimpses of the story were given to show how the hard-hearted old sinner was made to understand the spirit of Christmas through the visitation of Marley's ghost and the three Christmas spirits. Throughout the performance, Mrs. Walter Brown, at the piano, played appropriate music.

Special mention should be given of the fine acting of Miss Ila Chelew, who impersonated the immortal "Scrooge." Her long and difficult role was taken with the utmost ease and conviction. Her make-up was splendid. A very subtle piece of acting was the gradual transformation of the old Scrooge into the new man. Miss Aileen Anderson should also be complimented on her splendid character work. Appearing first as Fezziwig, later as the old charwoman, who stole the very shirt off of the dead Scrooge's back, and yet again as the most fractious of the little Crachits, she showed versatility and understanding of the subject which was being treated. "Bob Crachit" himself was ably portrayed by Miss Eliner Doherty. It is indeed doubtful if the part could have been better done. And still greater credit goes to the actors when it is remembered that they were all girls, and girls in their early teens at that.

Miss Regina Poolley made a very fine Marley's ghost, while the spirits of Christmas past, present and future were effectively represented by Miss Florence Langford, Miss Regina Poolley and Miss Lila Coleridge. Miss Vera Smart appeared as Tiny Tim and Miss Florence Brener as Scrooge's nephew. In fact, every member of the cast acted her part splendidly.

At the close of the evening, Mrs. Foreman was presented with an armful of flowers and a handsome gift from the Guides. Miss Ruth Kingsmill, who had assisted in getting ready for the production, was also made the recipient of a gift, and wished bon voyage and a happy pursuit of her studies in England.

Dean Tucker acted as chairman for the evening. Musical numbers were given by Miss Ruth Kingsmill, Harry Carson and Mrs. H. Carson.

Obituary

DEATH OF THOMAS FLYNN.

Thomas Flynn, a resident of London for many years, died at the home of his brother, Richard Flynn, on the Asylum Sideroad, early this morning. Mr. Flynn was unmarried, and is survived by two brothers and two sisters, John and Richard Flynn, and the Misses Rebecca and Maria Flynn.

The funeral will be held on Friday morning from his brother's residence to St. Patrick's Church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made in St. Peter's Cemetery.