

AGAINST POLITICS IN CITY COUNCIL.

Slate That Leading Citizens Have Made Up Power Circular Being Sent to Ratepayers.

Politics May Disrupt North End Society.

A municipal slate of Liberals, every man of whom is opposed to politics in city affairs, has been prepared, not by the Liberal executive of the Reform party, but by citizens who desire to see politics abolished from the City Council and city business.

- CRERAR, DICKSON, EVANS, GARDNER, GUY, HENNESSY, KIRKPATRICK, LEWIS, MOODIE, PEREGRINE, RYAN, WILLIAMSON, WRIGHT, H. G.

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CANADIAN CLUBS.

Invitation to Delegates Confer as to National Park.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—(Special).—The Ottawa Canadian Club, at the request of His Excellency the Governor-General, has sent out invitations to the different Canadian Clubs asking them to send representatives to Ottawa to a meeting here on the 15th inst. to consider His Excellency's proposal for the conversion of the Plains of Abraham and St. Foye into a national park.

BEACH PARK.

Will Col. Ingersoll Carry Out His Plans?

Will Col. Ingersoll, of Pittsburg, build the amusement park at the Beach, or will he ever come back?

This is a question that a good many people in the city would like answered. The local officers of the company say that they have had no word from the promoter for some time—since the bottom fell out of the United States money market.

TOWN FIRED BY RAIDERS.

BURNED DOWN TOBACCO FACTORIES IN RUSSELLVILLE, KY.

Over \$40,000 Worth of Buildings Destroyed—Several People Shot by the Gang—Police and Telephone Girls Held Prisoners—This Was the Third Raid.

Russellville, Ky., Jan. 3.—Night riders, 100 strong, swooped down on Russellville early this morning, and after overcoming the three policemen and providing against giving of an alarm, dynamited and burned the two independent tobacco concerns in the city and several other establishments, and rode away out the Hopkinsville and Clarksville turnpike.

STRIKE RIOTERS

Warned That 2,000 Troops Will be in Muncie.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 3.—Governor Hanley, through his representative, Adjutant General Perry, last night issued an ultimatum to the County of Delaware and the city of Muncie, declaring that if there is further rioting over the strike strikers will be on the scene before night-fall.

ANNUAL CLEARING OUT SALE

Of Dry Goods, Millinery, Cloaks Suits and Shirts Begins To-morrow at Shea's.

As stock was much heavier than previous years, we were obliged to remain inside of closed doors for two days to enable us to go through every article in the store and mark to quick selling prices.

It is Painful

To have chilblains, but it is easy to cure them when you apply Parke's chilblain cure. A few applications will relieve and cure. We will guarantee this remedy to effect a cure. If after using half a bottle it fails to give satisfaction, bring it back and get your money. Parke & Co., druggists.

S. S. LESSONS.

Boston, Jan. 3.—With the proposition definitely before it of whether conditions demand a change in the present uniform system of Sunday school lessons, the conference leaders representing a constituency of millions, was resumed to-day at the home of W. N. Hartshorn, chairman of the executive committee of the International Sunday School Association.

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SANFORD COMPANY.

Travellers, Managers and Warehousemen Dine Together.

About sixty of the travellers, managers of Oak Hall branches and warehouse employees of the W. E. Sanford Co. journeyed by special car to the Raymond House, Burlington, last evening, for the purpose of having a little jollification. It was the first time in the history of the company, that the travellers and managers of the branches have had an opportunity to get together. Host Truman extended himself, with the result that the duck supper was the admiration of all in more ways than one.

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The Man In Overalls

When you look at those 42 names on the ballot paper, vote for the ward system.

Why should the Mayor state that the Cataract Company was to appoint scrutineers for the power by-law? I don't mind who you vote for so as you don't vote for the Tory slate.

To arms! to arms! Vaccinate! Toronto wants Hamilton's assistance to get power so as to beat Hamilton's manufacturers.

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Now, gentle reader, take a glance at the pledged and unpledged candidates and judge for yourself. I would have had much pleasure myself in supporting some of those Conservative aldermanic candidates had they not taken the pledge.

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FORTY-THREE CASES FOR JANUARY COURT

KNOX CHURCH CALL.

Congregation Will Consider It Next Wednesday Night.

Rev. Dr. Fletcher, who has been appointed moderator in connection with the vacancy at Knox Church, met the session of the church last night, and made arrangements for proceeding with the business of selecting a successor to Rev. Dr. Nelson. Dr. Fletcher will preach at both services on Sunday next, and will officially declare the pulpit vacant. He will report the vacancy to the Presbytery of Hamilton at its meeting on Tuesday next.

STILL LOOKING

For the Girl Who "Knocked Down" Employers' Money.

The police are looking for a Detroit young woman who is wanted here on a charge of "knocking down" \$100 or thereabouts while employed at the Robinson store for the Christmas trade. The woman, whose name is given out as Gorman, came here several months ago, and obtained lodgings on West avenue. She had been employed a month or two when a lady went into the store to exchange an article she had bought, and she was found to have had a 50-cent exchange check for a \$2 article. The check number was hunted up and was found to have been given by Miss Gorman. When the extent of her "knocking down" was discovered the police were called in, but the girl had flown.

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Weaver vs. Wild Is On the Assize List.

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Large Number of Personal Injury Actions.

When Hon. Mr. Justice MacMahon open the January assizes here next Monday he will have a list of no less than 43 cases. The list includes quite a large number of personal injury actions. On the list also is the slander suit of Weaver vs. Wild, in which Mr. Sam Weaver, late caretaker of Dundurn Park, seeks to obtain \$10,000 damages against George Wild, Chairman of the Parks Committee of the Public Parks Board. Kerlin vs. Ontario Pipe Line Co., a \$25,000 breach of contract case, is also entered. The city is interested in several cases, including the mountain drain case and the injury to asphalt pavement case, the latter being Hamilton vs. Hamilton Street Railway.

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Mary Coughlin's Name Mixed Up With Freeborn Divorce Case In Buffalo.

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