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MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

The date when nominations are made for civic offices is only three days removed. Tuesday will see the names placed on the nomination papers and by the following date candidates will have to qualify. The elections are to be held on the first day of January.

That much interest is being manifested in the promised contests is a healthy sign but it is to be hoped the eagerness to fill public positions is not based too much on prejudice and misguided theories. St. Catharines is going along creditably with a sound and peaceful citizenship. It is one of the places in the Dominion where general health, prosperity and domestic content prevail. Beyond this fact is the other, no less significant, that it is one of the places where caution will have to be observed for the next few years in civic expenditures and policies. While perfectly secure and staple in every way the

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There is room for progressive ideas and for many improvements in methods of handling municipal matters. We are not denying what is obvious but those improvements should be brought about steadily and always with the fact in mind that up till 1926 we are not in a position to gamble with chance.

What may appear from the outside to be feasible and wise may be known by those in positions of responsibility and trust to be foolish and impracticable. Pre-election platforms are said by some, of course, to be like street cars, made to get in on but the man who is running for municipal office should treat his future seriously. It is not theory that

faces him, when he is in office, but fact and he can have little respect for himself or his office if he proposes, before election, policies that are pointed out to him as unsound and dangerous.

The Journal does not wish to prejudice the candidature of any man who is seeking the suffrage of his fellows but it would remind them and particularly those who are wont to be clever and smart in their criticism of those who have served, that civic administration is a highly technical and perplexing science. For too many years it has been regarded as any man's job, as something that the man off the street can step into and succeed, as a sort of honorable mantle to throw over the shoulders of some person who is good at shaking hands and at throwing stones at the person in office, but we venture the opinion that one year in the Council will convince the most optimistic saint that there is a great deal to learn and a great deal to do and the more you learn and the more you do the higher the respect you have for sanity and service.

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Dated this 19th day of December, 1919.

(Sgd.) D. V. CURREY,
Medical Officer of Health for St. Catharines.
City Hall, St. Catharines. d20 t d31

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROBERT HENRY CROW, late of the Township of Grantham, in the County of Lincoln, Yeoman, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 56 of The Trustee Act R. S. O., Chap 121, that all Creditors and others having claims or demands against the Estate of the said ROBERT HENRY CROW, who died on or about the Nineteenth day of July, 1918, at the Township of Grantham, in the County of Lincoln, are required on or before the 29th day of December, 1919, to send by post, prepaid or deliver to the undersigned, Solicitor for the Administratrix of the Estate of the said deceased, their Christian names, surnames, addresses and descriptions with full particulars of their claim and a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

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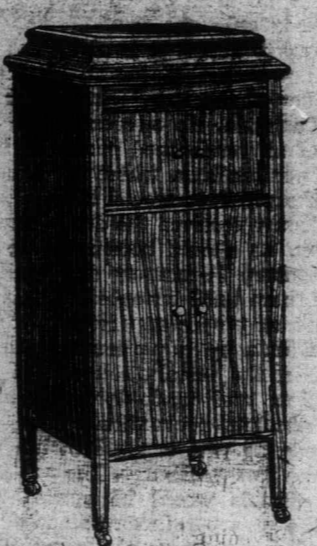
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