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### There Will Be Many a Battle at the Polls Next Monday.

### HOSTS OF CANDIDATES IN THE FIELD

### Willing and Anxious to Serve Their Fellow-Citizens During 1898.

**Hamilton and a Number of Other Places Have Allowed Their Chief Magistrates to Walk the Course—In a Few Instances Whole Councils Have Been Re-Elected by Acclamation—Picton and Oshawa Appear to Have Half the Population in the Contest—Reeves and Deputies, Water Commissioners and School Trustees Placed in Nomination in All the Cities, Towns and Villages.**

Municipal nominations took place all over the province yesterday, and the following reports show who the aspirants are in the different localities:

*MAYORS BY ACCLAMATION.*

Deseronto—E. W. Rathbun.
St. Mary's—C. Richardson.
Hamilton—E. A. Colquhoun.
Arnprior—B. V. Stafford.
Pembroke—Thomas Murray.
Owen Sound—T. I. Thompson.
Walkerton—A. Menzies.
Perth—J. A. Allan.
North Bay—
Alliston—John Stewart.
Simcoe—Tisdale.
Stratford—John O'Donoghue.
St. Catharines—W. B. Gilleland.
Windsor—Davis.
Walkerville—Thomas Reid.
Barrie—Dr. Wells.
Bowmanville—R. R. Loscombe.
Galt—J. H. Redford.
Brampton—E. H. Crandell.
Wingham—
Tilsonburg—B. F. Bell.
Seaforth—R. G. Scott.
Stayner—Dr. A. M. McFaul.
Penetanguishene—D. J. Shanahan.
Guelph—James Hewer.
Ingersoll—Walter Mills.

*IN THE CITIES.*

**Mayor Colquhoun of Hamilton and Mayor Hewer of Guelph "Walk."**

Hamilton.—Mayor—E. A. Colquhoun, re-elected by acclamation.

Aldermen.—Ward One—H. G. Wright, W. J. Reid, W. J. McDonald, J. H. Tilden, T. W. Lester.

Ward 2—Robert Griffith, W. F. Montague, Thomas Hobson, N. H. Teneyck.

Ward Three—Dr. Metherall, W. F. Walker, Q.C., Ald. Findlay, Emory, Hannaford, W. S. Lumgair.

Ward Four—Ald. MacLeod and Donald, Alexander Dunn, Ald. J. Crooks, B. Buscombe.

Ward Five—Walter Noble, M. D. Neligan, James Massie, Ald. Carscallen.

Ward Six—Ald. McAndrew, Kent Whipple, C. J. Kerr, James Phillips, William Hill, Andrew Dixon.

Ward Seven—James Dixon, Robt. Pettigrew, Peter Thompson, E. A. Fernside, T. G. Stewart.

School Trustees, all re-elected by acclamation—Ward One—D. Dexter. Ward Two—G. W. Jones, Ward Three—A. Zimmerman. Ward Four—William Chricas. Ward Five—Henry New. Ward Six—H. S. Brennan. Ward Seven—T. H. Pratt.

**Guelph.**

Guelph.—Mayor—James Hewer, acclamation.

St. Andrew's Ward.—Aldermen—W. F. Clark, Hugh Walker, Joseph Carter, J. J. Mahoney, R. F. Maddock. School Trustees—Alfred Smith, J. H. Doughty, William McLaren.

St. Patrick's Ward—Aldermen—G. W. Stull, J. Kennedy, G. Penfold, acclamation. School Trustees—William Scrimgeour, S. Penfold.

St. George's Ward.—Aldermen—Col. White, P. Spragge, G. W. Field, E. Parkinson, R. E. Nelson, Hugh McMillan. School Trustees—Peter Anderson, acclamation.

St. David's Ward.—Aldermen—Robert Barber, George Howard, John Newstead, John G. Sully, John A. Mowat, Thomas Tanner. School Trustees—John Taylor, E. R. Bollert.

St. James' Ward.—Aldermen—John Berger, Ald. Hartnett, William Slater, Ald. W. Hearn, Ald. C. Peterson, School Trustees—W. H. Peterson, acclamation.

**London.**

London.—Mayor—John D. Wilson, M. D., Edward Parnell, jr. Water Commissioners—J. W. Little, Joseph C. Judd, William Jones, J. M. Parsons. Hospital Trustee—Col. Lewis.

Ward One.—Aldermen—Patrick McPhillips, Charles Taylor, G. H. Belton, F. G. Rumball. School Trustees—Dr. Teasdall, Duncan Stewart.

Ward Two.—Aldermen—G. Olmstead, G. C. Joly, W. J. Saunby, H. M. Douglas, W. H. Bartram, S. O'Meara. School Trustees—W. T. Hamilton, R. A. Bayly, A. Ferguson.

Ward Three.—Aldermen—R. A. Carruthers, W. Heaman, W. H. Winnett, S. Stevely. School Trustees—S. J. Southcott, George J. Griffin, Thomas Hans.

Ward Four.—Aldermen—Maurice Scarrow, Charles M. Graham, John Turner, Neil Cooper, E. N. Hunt. School Trustees—Charles D. Johnston, Dr. H. Ziegler.

Ward Five.—Aldermen—H. Draney, John Wilkey, John Nuthing, F. J. Fitzgerald, T. Sergeant, A. T. Keeney. School Trustees—E. W. Boyle, C. H. Armitage.

Ward Six.—Aldermen—W. Geary, R. S. Abram, A. Greenless, J. W. MacCallum, P. H. Bartlett. School Trustees—F. W. Heath, J. O. Weldon.

Hospital Trustees.—Col Robert Lewis, P. W. D. Broderick, John Bowman, F. E. Leonard.

**Windsor.**

Windsor.—Mayor—Davis, acclamation. Aldermen.—First Ward—J. H. McConnell, D. H. Bedford, T. B. Hewson, W. A. Brian, Dr. Bell, James Carney.

Second Ward.—James Dixon, George Sewell, N. J. Clinton, J. H. Shepherd, J. E. Davignon, John Hagmon.

Third Ward.—S. Duphis, J. H. Connelly, R. L. Dunn, John Martin.

Fourth Ward.—James McMurray, Charles Baxter, R. Vigneux, Joseph Martin, H. Seibert.

Brantford.—Mayor—Thomas Elliott, W. G. Raymond, Joseph Stratford. Water Commissioner—Alfred Watts, William Whittaer, John McGeary.

Aldermen.—Ward One—M. K. Halloran, A. G. Montgomery, James N. Peel, S. Suddaby, D. McEwen, Thomas Potts, M. Quinlan, W. Hartwell. School Trustees—John F. McLaren, John Creasor.

Ward Two.—Aldermen—Jonathan Burbank, Alexander Stewart, Samuel G. Read, Robert Hall. School Trustees—E. P. Pork, A. Scruton.

Ward Three.—Aldermen—Charles Duncan, Charles Whitney, John M. Smith, Henry A. oulds, Richard Waddington, James Smith, John Kerr. School Trustees—John Fair, William T. James, John E. Taylor.

Ward Four.—Aldermen—W. T. Pierce, John Johnston, J. W. Balwby, William Glover, John Whalen, S. R. Steward, F. S. Witham, James Heath, F. H. Boulton Thomas Quinlan. School Trustees—Alexander J. Cronan, William Wilson, J. F. Miller.

Ward Five.—Aldermen—Robert Robson, Franklin Grobb, David B. Wood, Frank Wilson, James Hurley, David J. Waterous Thomas Spence. School Trustee—James C. Spence.

**St. Catharines.**

St. Catharines.—Mayor—W. B. Gilleland, acclamation.

Aldermen.—St. Andrew's Ward—N. Y. Keating, William Magness, Joseph Volsard, A. McEdward, John S. McClelland. School Trustees—Robert McLaren. Water Commissioners—G. C. Carlisle, Dr. L. S. Oillie, M. J. McCarron, John S. McClelland, Charles Wilson.

St. George's Ward.—J. W. King, J. W. Grote, James Merriman, W. H. McCarlick, S. G. Sisterson. School Trustee—E. W. Groome. Water Commissioners—S. Montgomery, Andrew Riddel.

St. Patrick's Ward.—John Smelle, John S. McClelland, Joseph Johnson, Donald Robertson, Thomas Beattie, C. G. McDermott, W. B. Burgoyne, T. H. Lazenby, C. A. Wilson. School Trustees—Commissioners—S. D. Woodruff, C. B. Hare, Frank Jones.

**Chatham.**

Chatham.—Mayor—H. A. Patterson, T. A. Smith. Water Commissioners—F. F. Quinn, Dr. Holmes, by acclamation. Aldermen: Ward One—Daniel Mussey, Robert Gray, Arch. Park, Kenneth Campbell, James Cleve, Robert Riddell, Henry Riddell, Henry Weaver. Ward Two—Luke Kelly, Hugh McDonald, Walter Piggott, John Darling, George Cowan. Ward Three—George S. Heyward, F. Marx, Charles Hadley,

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*GERMANS WERE THE VICTORS.*

**The Reported Defeat of an Expedition in Africa Flatly Denied.**

Berlin, Dec. 27.—The Governor of the Cameroons, the German colony on the West Coast of Africa, has cabled to the home Government saying there is no truth in the story received in London by mail on Dec. 7 that a German expedition, consisting of six white officers and 200 natives recently met with a severe reverse at the hands of the Mobaulies, a tribe which has long harassed the German trade concerns. On the contrary, the Governor reports that the German expedition has completely defeated the tribe and has captured its capital with slight loss.

**Bismarck's Gout.**

The Hamburger Nachrichten denies that Prince Bismarck's gout is better and says he cannot walk or sleep and is unable to read or answer his friends' letters. The former chancellor is described as being very irate at the statement that his health is satisfactory and is quoted as saying: "If the gentleman who wrote that were in my place, he would be able to get an idea of what a 'satisfactory condition' is."

**Turks Made a Mistake.**

Constantinople, Dec. 27.—The Turkish Government, replying to the representations of Greece, has explained that the firing upon the Greek gunboat at Actium by the Turks at Prevesa on Saturday last as the vessel was leaving the Gulf of Ambracia was due to a misunderstanding.

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A WILL-O'-THE-WISP.

MR. WHITNEY (who has followed it long): I think I've just about proved that that thing has no real existence.

*DROPPED DEAD.*

**John Linton Expires at the Toronto Junction Nomination Meeting—Death of M. McMillan at Weston.**

Toronto Junction, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The flag at half-mast on the Town Hall to-day speaks silently the grief felt by the town in the sudden removal of Councillor John Linton, whose death occurred this morning at the close of the nomination meeting, just as the town bell was ringing the last minute. Mr. A. B. Rice signed the nomination book as nominator of Mr. J. C. Smith and asked Mr Linton to act as seconder, to which he complied quite readily. Mr. Rice jocularly remarking, "You are putting up a strong opponent against yourself, John." Mr. Linton, bending over to sign his name, had just put the pen into the rack and was about to straighten himself up, when he reeled and sank to the floor. The Mayor, Dr. Clendenan, and Dr. Perfect, town auditor, were both at his side in a minute, but life had fled, and all resuscitatory efforts were of no avail.

**A Useful Life.**

John Linton was born about 55 years ago near Clairville, in Peel County, and had lived all his life in the vicinity of Toronto. For two years he had represented Ward Four in the Council, and had just been nominated for his third term. He has been clerk of the Eighth Division Court for a number of years, and moved to the Junction four years ago. Here he built the Linton block, on the corner of Weston-road and Dundas-street, where he had his office. Mr. Linton was a member of the A. O. U. W. and a past master of Humber Lodge, A. F. & A. M. He was initiated into St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 16, A.F. & A.M., of which he was past master, and also belonged to St. Andrew's and St. John's Chapters. It was his desire to be buried with Masonic honors, and on Wednesday the funeral will take place to Prospect Cemetery, under Masonic auspices. He leaves a wife, two sons and four daughters, the youngest of whose birthday happened to fall on the fateful day.

**Humber Lodge Will Attend.**

Weston, Dec. 27.—An emergency meeting of Humber Lodge, A. F. & A. M., No. 306, was held this afternoon, when it was decided to confer with St. Andrew's Lodge in reference to arrangements for the burial of the late Bro. John Linton, and also to accept the offer from the W. M. of Stanley Lodge for permission to use their lodge room.

**Sudden Death at Weston.**

Weston, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—M. McMillan, a well-known resident of this village, who resided on the Holly farm, passed away very suddenly. On Saturday he appeared in his usual health and went out for a walk. When passing under the railway bridge he was seized with hemmorhage of the lungs and fell to the ground, where he was afterwards found by friends. He expired shortly after being carried to his home.

Reuben Langstaff was the happiest man in Weston on Christmas eve, Mrs. Langstaff presented him with a 10½ lb. bouncing boy for a Christmas box. Both doing well.

## RUSSIA GRABS ONCE AGAIN.

### The Bear's Paw Falls on Kin-Chau, North of Port Arthur.

**Sir Charles Dilke Looks Upon the Situation in Eastern Asia as Very Threatening—Japan Making Warlike Preparations With Great Activity—Lord Salisbury Declines to Enter the Sealing Compact—Cable News.**

St. Petersburg, Dec. 27.—The Russians have occupied Kin-Chau, north of Port Arthur.

**Sir Charles Dilke Thinks Its Threatening.**

Vienna, Dec. 27.—The Neues Wiener Journal publishes an interview with Sir Charles Dilke, who is considered a high authority on foreign affairs. He says that the situation in Eastern Asia is very threatening, and that he knows for certain Japan is making warlike preparations with great activity. That country seems to project an attack on China or Corea. Sir Charles declares that he has no faith in Japan's pacific professions. He reminded the interviewer that England occupied Port Hamilton in 1885 and 1887, and said that Great Britain greatly needed a naval station in North China.

*BRITAIN WILL NOT GO IN.*

**Declines, in Deference to Canada, to Enter Into the Anti Sealing Compact.**

London, Dec. 27.—Lord Salisbury, the Premier, has written to United States Ambassador Hay, in response to America's latest proposals in the Behring Sea controversy, not request that Great Britain should enter into an agreement with the United States, Russia and Japan to stop sealing.

Great Britain declines to enter into such an agreement. Lord Salisbury says, in substance, that he has communicated with the Canadian Government which has the foremost interest in the sealing question, and that Canada is unwilling to become a party to such an arrangement as is proposed by the United States. Therefore, England, continues Lord Salisbury, whose interest is but slight, would not be justified in acceding to the proposal.

Lord Salisbury's answer emphasizes the policy of England not to interfere in Canada's foreign relations.

**"Salada" Ceylon Tea is soothing**

**To-Night's Ball.**

Special prices for to-day in full dress shirts, bows, gloves, etc. Full dress shirt protectors 95c, reg. $1.50. Fibre chamois vests, long backs, indispensable for driving, walking, skating, wheeling, etc., 50c each. Silk mufflers, in black and fancy brocades, from 75c to $3.00. Corduroy vests, $2.25. Sword's, 55 King-street east and 472 Spadina-avenue.

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**His Services Appreciated.**

On Thursday night last John H. Wilson, choirmaster of Carlton-street Methodist Church, was presented with a handsome gold watch from the choir and friends in the congregation. At the same time M. J. L. Spink, chairman of the Music Committee, presented the choir with a good-sized cheque with which to enjoy a sleighride.

*BOXING IN BUFFALO.*

**Hopkins and Young Made a Draw of it, the Police Interfering in the 15th Round.**

Buffalo, Dec. 27.—A very bad decision saved Joe Youngs of this city from probable defeat at the hands of Joe Hopkins, colored, of New York, before the Olympic Athletic Club to-night. The referee had announced that, in the event of police interference, the man having the best of the bout up to that time would be given the decision.

It was all in Hopkins' favor up to the fifteenth round, when Police Inspector Martin stopped the bout, and the referee declared it a draw. In the seventh round Youngs was bleeding freely, and his left eye was practically closed. The men weighed in at 127 pounds. The house was about half filled.

The preliminaries brought out Jack Ritchie of St. Louis and Joe Dawson of Brooklyn. Ritchie won in five rounds. In the second bout Peter Lacey of Pittsburg and Louis Roeder of Buffalo boxed ten rounds to a draw.

**St. Paul's Fancy Fair.**

St. Paul's Fancy Fair opened in St. Paul's Hall, Power-street, last night, with a large attendance. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A program of music and song was rendered by the girls of St. Paul's School. The booths and fancy tables are in charge of Mesdames Rosar, Wallace, O'Hagan, Rigney, Harley, Bruxer, Brady and the young ladies of the Sodality. Among the visitors last night were noticed: Mayor Shaw, Messrs. C. J. McCabe, George Duffy, J. Wright, M. Martin, J. P. Mallon, and the Rev. Fathers Hand, Cline and McGuire. The fair will continue open all the week, and there will be an entertaining program of song and music each night.

**Final Notice.**

Having published a warning in the daily papers for a month informing the public that we have the sole right of selling and renting incandescent gas lights in Toronto and all cities and towns in Central Ontario, we now give notice that legal proceedings will be taken for damages and royalties against all persons hereafter renting, purchasing or selling any other incandescent gas light.

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**Roses for the Ball.**

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**MARRIAGES.**

HAIR—GLEN—On Saturday, Dec. 25, at the residence of Walter McFarlane, 26 Macdonell-avenue, by the Rev. J. A. Rankin, Christina A. Glen to W. J. Hair of Lockport, N.Y.

HOWARD—HAMILTON—On July 30 at St. Bartholomew's, by the Rev. G. I. Taylor, Richard Herbert Howard to Eleanor Graham W. A. Hamilton, both of Toronto.

SCUDDS—SKELHORN—At Worcester, Mass., U.S.A., on Dec. 23, by Rev. Mr. Stewartson of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Elizabeth E. (Nellie) Scudds, late of Toronto, to Mr. Thomas Skelhorn of Worcester, Mass.

## WHO WILL BE MAYOR?

### Eight Candidates Nominated and Three of Them Retire.

### BITTER PERSONALITIES INDULGED IN.

**Mayor Shaw Was Attacked by E. A. Macdonald, Who Made a Sensational Address—Ald. Scott and Ald. Spence Retired—Dr. Barrick and Ald. Hallam Will Decide To-day.**

**E. A. Macdonald, by Wilbur Eddy and A. H. Rundle.**

**Dr. Barrick, by Dr. S. G. Thompson and R. C. Steele.**

**Ald. Hallam, by Alex. Wheeler and John Damp.**

**Ald. W. T. R. Preston, by Ald. Hallam and Alex. Wheeler.**

**W. R. Brock, by E. A. Macdonald and William Kelly.**

**John Shaw, by W. R. Brock and James Crocker.**

**James Scott, by T. Dixon Craig, M.P., and Ald. A. F. Rutter.**

**Ald. F. S. Spence, by James Scott and Wm. H. Orr.**

The scene at the City Hall, where the mayoralty nominations took place, bore no evidences of the quiet campaign that had been promised from the apparent apathy of the electorate. There was a plethora of nominees. Between 10 o'clock a.m. and 11 City Clerk Blevins, as returning officer, recorded the names of eight persons put forward as fit and proper persons to be Mayor of Toronto. Of these the meeting at its close still saw five in the field. The original eight, with their nominators and seconders, were as above, and at the conclusion of the speech-making that followed, Ald. Hallam, E. A. Macdonald, Mayor Shaw, Dr. Barrick and Ald. Preston were still in the field. Dr. Barrick subsequently announced that he would decide to-day whether to remain in the field or not. Ald. Hallam said the same.

The old Council Chamber was packed. The nominations in and the gathering being resolved into a public meeting, City Clerk Blevins was moved into the chair and called upon Ald. Spence to speak first. The alderman was too cunning for that and pointed out that since he had been nominated last he should speak last. His remarks were followed by loud cries of "Macdonald!" Mr. Macdonald stepped forward amid a volley of cheers, groans and hisses. He delivered a characteristic address, full of pointed, personal remarks and calculated to arouse ire. He said the best men were often poor and the meaningless farcical character of the present haw appeared when it was realized that a majority of the present Council (including the Mayor), were bankrupts, or men without means, many of them "swamped almost beyond recovery by mortgage covenants and other liabilities."

"The people are, and have for six years, been the victims of fraud, treachery, duplicity and deceit, and I have come here to day to expose it," exclaimed Mr. Macdonald. The two great issues of the day, he said, were the "Flemming-Shaw scandal," and cheap heat, light and power for Toronto. If elected all the city's business would be done at the City Hall and not at Peter Small's house. [Howls and cheers.] There would be no midnight conspiracies and neither the Mayor nor any alderman would get any salaried office during the term for which he was elected.

The rest of his platform was as follows: The city government will be carried on only by and through the representatives of the people. Government by newspaper reporters, that has existed for the last six years, will entirely cease upon the day that I assume the office of Chief Magistrate. [Laughter.]

The Aqueduct Company shall have exactly the same rights to sell electric power in Toronto as have been conferred on other companies, and no more.

I should cause tenders to be called for a supply of electric power for a term of five years, to be sold and distributed to consumers by the city, and the lowest bona-fide tender would be accepted, provided such power would be cheaper that the city could develop it by civic plant.

I would not sanction the granting of any important franchise or privilege to any person, firm or corporation for any term greater than five years, and then only when sanctioned by the electors.

I favor public ownership and control of all franchises, as far as existing conditions permit; and where such conditions do not permit, I would change the conditions as soon as possible.

I would specially direct my energies to the municipilization of the telephone system. I would have a civic telephone service established forthwith, and the citizens served at actual cost, which would be about from $10 to $15 per annum.

He would work to prevent Toronto from being business on a back street. The Board of Trade was not moving, because it was too busy defending corporate influence. So was The Globe, a paper which misrepresented its party, and was run "by monopolists for monopolists." The aqueductor would have, if he were elected, 300 men working on the Humber within three months. Then the speaker launched into a tirade against Fleming and Spence, the latter of whom, he said, was one of those creatures whom Mark Twain would call "a pious cuss." Then the speaker paid his respects to the present Mayor, whom he referred to as a "usurper who sold his vote for $2000, and now sits in the Mayor's chair in defiance of expressed public opinion." The Mayor smiled blandly. His Worship, continued Mr. aMcDonald, had remarked that the very stars had proclaimed him Mayor for 1898, but, he added, "the stars don't vote at this election." The speaker then harked back to Warring Kennedy, who, he claimed, had not kept his pledge to the aqueduct cause, simply because the Bank of Commerce, George A. Cox and the Toronto Electric Light Company would not let him. John Shaw was to the Gas Company what Warring Kennedy was to the Electric Light Company. Then followed references to the Mayor's private character and conduct, which were crowned at times by hisses and groans. The methods attending the Mayor's election were next severely criticized. In conclusion, Mr. Macdonald said: "When those old-time enemies, the Conservative machinist, Shaw, and the Liberal machinist, Fleming, met at dead of night at Mr. Peter Small's house to divide the plunder, all party animosities were buried and forgotten. We have met at high noon to protect what is left."

**Dr. Barrick's Address.**

Dr. Barrick followed with a review of the great public necessities of the city. He was interrupted frequently, but spoke clearly on the question of tax equalization and the unfairness of tax exemptions.

Ald. Hallam impressed upon the audience that if elected he would not be owned by lodges, corporations or cliques. He was well received.

**Mr. W R. Brock Withdraws.**

When Mr. W. R. Brock arose his attentions were devoted to a repudiation of E. A. Macdonald, who, in spite of his declarations against corporations, had nominated him, a director of the Toronto Electric Light Company. He took a fling at Ald. Preston, by saying that he himself would not have the gall to run for Mayor

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**Drawing Crowds.**

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**A Biz Fire.**

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**New Year Snaps at Dineens'.**

Sir John A. Macdonald used to say that "On Christmas we treat each other to gifts, but on New Year's we treat ourselves." A new hat shows up better on a man on New Year's Day than at any other time of the year, and Dineens' styles and qualities at from $5 down to $1.50 are not shown anywhere at the same prices. This is also the week for furs. Ladies are perfectly willing to let the men select the diamond wear for their Christmas surprise, but they prefer to select their fur wear themselves. Dineens' seal room contains many beautiful garments, seal qualities guaranteed for years, and styles fashioned to the newest ideals, from $250 down to exquisite patterns at $125. Fastidious judges praise Dineens' display of high-class seal garments, and the prices this week are special.

**Fair and Cold.**

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimalt, 42—45; Calgary, 4—34; Qu'Appelle, 6 below—16; Winnipeg, 4 below—2 below; Toronto, 12—22; Ottawa, 14—14; Montreal, 18—20; Quebec, 16—24; Halifax, 32—34.

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