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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

"THE MANDARIN."

Another large and delighted audience witnessed the performance of De Koven & Smith's opera, "The Mandarin," at the Princess Theatre last night. It is undoubtedly one of if not the best of the productions of comic opera that Toronto theatre-goers have had the pleasure of witnessing, being staged most elaborately. The scenery and costumes are exceptionally fine and the many pretty girls who grace the stage make a delightful stage picture. All the principals last night were in good voice and the opera went with a vim, and a vast improvement on the opening night. Encores were numerous and the "parasol dance" had to be

REGINALD DE KOVEN.

repeated no less than three times, the Marion brothers making a decided hit. "The Mandarin" is certainly worth hearing and should have crowded houses all week. Mr. Reginald De Koven will conduct the orchestra on Friday night.

"WANG'S" FAREWELL VISIT.

With clash of cymbals, beat of drums, blare of trumpets and with all the scenic adjuncts, brilliant costumes, pretty girls and catchy music, the comic opera "Wang" will be seen at the Grand to-morrow evening and the remainder of the week, with New Year's and Saturday matinées, notably exchange says of this season's production: "The Park Theatre was completely filled last night by an audience that sat and laughed for two hours and a quarter, listened to beautiful sentimental songs for half an hour, and spent the other quarter of three hours in waiting for a change of scenery from the public landing on the River Menam, at Pechaburi, to the throne room of the Royal Palace at Bangkok. "Wang" has been so well spoken of and so well advertised that people last night went to enjoy themselves, and enjoy themselves they did. The operatic burletta, for as such the composers have named it, has been seen here berfore. At that time The Herald spoke in warm words of praise of its catchy airs, tuneful melodies, capital choruses and words, which were far above the average libretto. The producing company is a credit to those who did the selecting. The part of Wang, the Regent of Siam, could not have been played better than it was last evening in the hands of Albert Hart; he is everything that goes to make up the part of the impecunious Regent.

THE WIZARD OF THE NILE.

"The Wizard of the Nile," the comic opera by Harry B. Smith and Victor Herbert, which made so pronounced a hit in the States last season, will be at the Grand Opera House the first three nights of next week. Its first appearance here, although preceded by a number of musical attractions, will not lose interest on that account. The music has already been played here, and the success of the Frank Daniels Opera Company in this work is well-known. Mr. Daniels has in one season become a comic opera star of the first magnitude, and comes to us in the flush of his prosperity. The original cast of last season is still retained in support. A Wednesday matinee will be given. The sale of seats begins to-morrow morning.

HOLIDAY PRICES REDUCED.

The lowest prices that have ever ruled at any of the local theatres on a holiday are those announced for the special matinee performance on New Year's Day at the Toronto Opera House, when, for 15 cents, any seat in the balcony can be reserved, and for 25 cents any seat on the ground floor may be had. The current attraction is "A Pair of Jacks," in which some very funny situations and the usual comedy requirements are deftly subjoined.

HARRY FURNISS COMING.

Harry Furniss, who is to appear in the Massey Music Hall on Jan. 11, 12 and 14, will present with stereopticon views his humorous entertainment, "The Humors of Parliament." Speaking of this The Illustrated London News says: "The hearty laughter which greeted Mr. Furniss' exposition of the Parliamentary Humors had no echo of malice. Excellent sense as well as delightful fooling."

MISS WORLD WILL NOT SING.

It is understood that Miss World will not sing at Massey Hall on New Year's afternoon and evening as formerly announced.

HIS 5000 MILE WALK.

David Fraser, a Scot, is "Hoofing it" From the Pacific to the Atlantic—Called on The World.

David Fraser, who is achieving fame as a transcontinental trotter, called at The World office last night and reported progress. He is an athletic-looking Scotsman, 30 years of age. He was born in Strathspeffer, Aberdeenshire, educated in Montreal, and is an American by adoption. He is a newspaper man, employed on the Aberdeen (Washington) Weekly Recorder.

This transcontinental walk had its origin in a $3000 wager. Fraser's paper and the local athletic club are backing him to accomplish this great pedestrian feat of walking 5000 miles in six months. If Fraser loses, The Recorder and the club give the above sum to the charities of the town; if he wins he receives $3000 from the corporation, which he has so well earned, having already many times carried, as it were, his life in his hands.

Fraser looks healthy and is cheerful and confident of winning the wager. He is not unmindful of the difficulties that lie before him in his 600 miles' walk to Boston, Mass., via Montreal. On the whole, he has enjoyed his trip, which commenced on July 14 last, from the Pacific coast. He has been provided with tie-passes on the various systems of railroads—The Union Pacific, Grand Island, Wabash to Toledo, Michigan Central to Detroit, Grand Trunk to Montreal. He reports himself to the railmasters as a gentleman all the way, and he produced the official way bills, as they may be termed, with the day and hour of arrival and departure at each station.

Fraser also carried letters of commendation from Governors of States and Sheriffs of counties through which he has passed. He had some interesting adventures, notably, in traversing the Great Snake Desert, Idaho, which was infested with wolves. It took 17 days to cross this desert, and for the scalps of the wolves he shot he received $128 from the Governor of Idaho. He had to carry water sufficient to last him during this dreary tramp, and he consumed every drop of the 25 pounds weight of water with which he started.

Yesterday he walked from Guelph, arriving in Toronto a little after 2.30 in the afternoon. Attracted by the name he put up at the Aberdeen on Queen-street west, whence he will leave at 10 o'clock this morning on his Eastward tramp.

Fraser pays a compliment to the alacrity of the Grand Trunk constables in Toronto. They only arrested him three times on arrival near the yards for walking on the track. His papers were sufficient guarantee of his bona fides and thereafter he was regarded with much curiosity. He has had narrow escapes from trains, but through all difficulties has come unscathed. He has worn out four pairs of boots in the course of his journey. His changes of clothing he sends ahead of him and only carries a small haversack. He stays at respectable hotels, takes an occasional stimulant, but is very temperate. He avoids the crowds and does not encourage inquisitiveness, of which he met with more in Toronto than elsewhere.

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Unusually Busy....

Between Christmas and New Year's is usually a very quiet week—it has been our custom in the past to close the store for two or three days and take stock. This year we are keeping open and are making business brisk by clearing out all holiday goods at cost and under.

Ladies' Desks that were $7.50 last week are $5.00 now.

Cabinets for $3.50, reduced from $13.50.

Music Cabinets, Christmas price $10.00, New Year's price $6.00.

Cobbler Rockers that were cheap at $3.50 are now going at $2.25, upholstered worth from $8 to $4, your choice for $2.50.

Children's Cobbler Rockers, oak, birch, mahogany, were 95c, are now 75c.

We still have a few of those $3.50 and $4.00 Axminster rugs, your choice for $1.90.

Our Morris Chairs are all gone, could not make them fast enough to supply the demand, but we will make them to order; the price will be the same, $4.90

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ANOTHER CRASH IN CHICAGO.

The Collapse of the Atlas National Bank Carries Down the Vannortwick Firm.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—As a result of the voluntary liquidation of the Atlas National Bank, William M. and John S. Vannortwick, who held 484 shares of stock in that bank and were borrowers therefrom to the amount of $300,000, made an assignment yesterday to the Equitable Trust Company of Chicago, who took possession of the Vannortwicks' bank at Batavia.

The failure involves the entire interests of the Vannortwicks, whose estimated wealth, according to the last statements, is $2,500,000, often estimated at three times that amount, and representing besides the Vannortwick Bank and other property at Batavia, large manufacturing interests. The total liabilities will probably be near $2,000,000. Vannortwicks own the Western Paper Bag Factory at Batavia, employing several hundred hands, with a daily output of 2,000,000 bags; large factories at Kaukana, Wis., for the manufacture of manilla paper, and at Memphis, Tenn., for the making of paper "woodenware." The Vannortwick Paper Company owns mills at Combined Locks, near Appleton, Wis., which cost $800,000, also the Appleton Manufacturing Company's at Vannortwick, Ill., with a capital stock of $200,000, which turns out windmills and agricultural implements. The Vannortwicks probably are the most extensive paper manufacturers in the West, and the ramifications of their business extend all over the western country.

T., H. AND B. REORGANIZED

Directors Met Yesterday at Chauncey Depew's Office and Elected Officers and Directors.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway, which now furnishes the Vanderbilts and Canadian Pacific access to Hamilton, Toronto and all points in Canada, and to the Canadian Pacific Railway, will connect with the Vanderbilt system at Suspension Bridge, which, it is under the terms of a contract made some time since.

To-day at Mr. Depew's office in the Grand Central Depot, the Board of Directors was reorganized, the following being elected directors:

W. K. Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, representing the New York Central; D. S. Ledyard, president of the Michigan Central; C. F. Cox, vice-president of the Canada Southern Railway, and T. G. Shaughnessy, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific, representing those companies; J. N. Beckley of Rochester and F. E. Peabody of Boston.

The board elected the following officers: President, J. N. Beckley; vice-president, T. G. Shaughnessy and secretary and treasurer, C. F. Cox.

BISHOP KEANE EXPLAINS.

And the Pope is Satisfied—Archbishop Corrigan to be a Cardinal.

New York, Dec. 29.—A special to The Journal from Rome says: The Italian newspapers announced the impending elevation of the Catholic Archbishop of New York to the Cardinalate, and with respect to this matter The Arena, one of the best-informed journals in Vatican affairs, makes the following remarks: "Every one knows of the conflict which has long existed in the American episcopate relative to certain doctrines, the principal apostles of which were the ex-rector of the Catholic University at Washington, Bishop Keane and Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul.

"It is also known that the Pope recently had an interview with Mgr. Keane, who has given His Holiness such explanations that Leo XIII. has completely absolved him of the alleged charges of which he was accused.

"This event has certainly produced a great impression among American Bishops, who, up to the present, have been opposed to Keane and Ireland. In pardoning these prelates the Pope has, so to speak, disapproved of the conduct of their accusers.

"To lessen, however, the effect which this pardon may have produced on the American episcopate, His Holiness has decided to raise Archbishop Corrigan's colleague, Corrigan, who represents the party hostile to Keane and Ireland."

WEDDING IN HIGH LIFE.

A Danish Count Marries a Great Great Granddaughter of "Betsy" Patterson.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The wedding of Count Adam De Moltke Huitfeldt of Denmark and Miss Louise Eugenie Bonaparte, daughter of the widow of the late Col. Jerome Bonaparte, took place this morning in St. Paul's Catholic Church. The church was handsomely decorated with flowers and plants. His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop of Baltimore, an old friend of the Bonaparte family, performed the ceremony.

Miss Bonaparte, the bride of to-day, is the great great granddaughter of the famous beauty, "Betsy" Patterson of Baltimore, whose marriage to Jerome Bonaparte, brother of Napoleon Bonaparte, was celebrated at Baltimore Christmas Eve, 1803. On her mother's side the new Countess is a descendant of Daniel Webster.

Bishop Strachan School.

The class lists of the Bishop Strachan School, which closed for the Christmas holidays on the 21st inst., give the following results in the different classes: Primary class first, Phyllis Lawlor; third class (lower intermediate), Ruth Abbott; fourth class (upper intermediate), Isabel Brown; fifth class (lower senior), first Hazel Good, second Gertrude Morley, third Maud Parkin; sixth (university) class, first Isabel Biggar, second Ethel Saunders, third Dorothy Waugh; first in Latin Isabel Biggar; in French and German Maud Parkin.

The Mayoralty.

Editor World: Mr. Ald. Gowanlock will doubtless take an early opportunity of explaining (with suitable apologies) to his fellow-citizens the estimate he places upon their character and intelligence in formally nominating E. A. Macdonald to the Mayoralty of Toronto. Of the proposition itself, either in its abstract or relative bearing, I say nothing, feeling it to be beneath the merit of even contemptuous derision. In what position, however, does it place Mr. Ald. Gowanlock? Either he desires his motion to carry or he does not. In the first case I respectfully commend the measure of his discretion, and in the second the virtue of his action, to the tender mercy of the voters of this city. Will Mr. Gowanlock say he was only joking? Possibly. Well, sir, that is a wretched and miserable joke, which, intrinsically barren of every quality save insolence, verges if it does not encroach upon the confines of absolute criminality. J. M. A.

Bender—Ridout.

The residence of Mr. H. E. Ridout was the scene of a quiet wedding last night when his daughter, Miss Florence B. Ridout, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry B. Bender, who is an old Toronto boy, but who at present resides in Binghamton, N.Y. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Johnston of the Western Congregational Church. Miss Alice McLellan was bridesmaid, while Mr. John Young supported the groom.

Madame Albani's Success.

Crowds gather to hear this famous Canadian prima donna. Her concerts are a pronounced success. Her Toronto concerts could hardly be more successful. That a Canadian should win such renown is a matter of sincerest congratulation. And that in this connection a Canadian piano manufacturer should likwise become famous is pleasing to all true Canadians. Not a little of the success of the Albani concerts has been due to the use of the Heintzman & Co. magnificent concert grand pianos.

A Bride From Toronto.

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 29.—Mayor Jewett yesterday afternoon married in his office William Gray, 42 years old, of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Mrs. Ellen Rouillly, 36 years old, of Toronto, Canada. Both said they had been married before, but death had taken away their respective partners. After being spliced they hurried across the border to Toronto, where they intend to live.

Only those who have had experience can tell the torture corns cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off—pain night and day; but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure. ed

Looking for Van Allen.

Editor World: Can you tell me anything about Van Allen of the Gold Medal Cigar and of the Rossiyn mine?

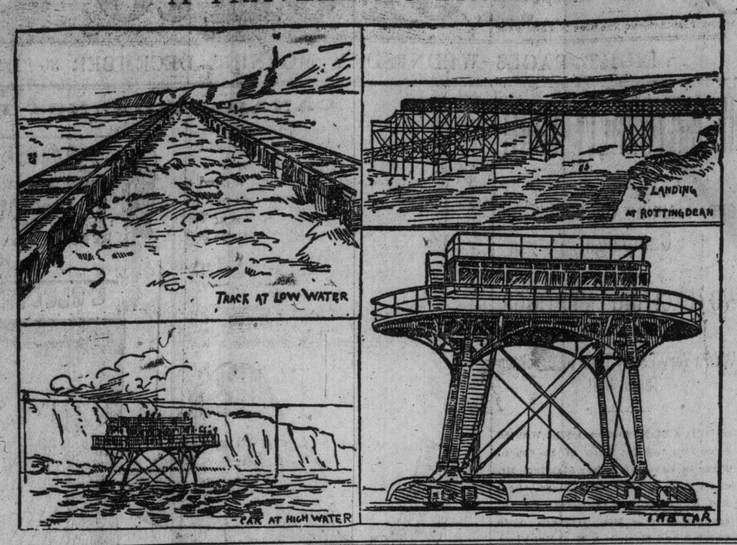
Pepper Sauce.

And He Will Win.

Mr. Charles C. Norris is a candidate for school trustee in Ward 1. He is a good man, is a long-time resident of the ward and well fitted in every way for the position.

Men who suffer from mental worry and overwork will find prompt relief in Miller's Compound Iron Pills. 50 doses, 25c.

A TRAVELLING BRIDGE.



A NOVEL SEA VOYAGE.

How the Visitors to Brighton, England, Take a Sea Voyage on a Trolley Car.

The World this morning presents to its readers an illustration of the electric railway, which runs along the beach at Brighton, England, for about a mile. The road-bed, as will be seen, is constructed on the solid rock, and the trolley car is placed upon an elevated platform, which is above the water at low tide. At high tide it is submerged many feet deep, and the illustration shows the appearance which the car has while traveling at high tide. Other illustrations show the landing pier and the car in detail. During the short time the line between Brighton and Rottingdean has been in operation it has been exceedingly popular and has been largely patronized, the novelty of a sea voyage on a trolley car being a great attraction.

This fact that this railway has been successfully operated upon the sea coast, where the difficulties are much greater, owing to the tides, and exposure to the fury of ocean storms, than in fresh water, such as Lake Ontario, is valuable as indicating the practicability of the principle of a traveling bridge as a means of communication with the Island, should it be decided to adopt such a method, instead of a stationary bridge.

Wines for New Year's.

Mr. M. McConnell, 46 Colborne-street, has imported especially for the New Year's trade a fine assortment of ports, sherries, burgundies, champagnes, sauternes and other wines. These wines are of excellent quality, embracing some of the finest brands that have ever been imported into Canada, and will be sold at a very low figure. Gentlemen who desire to procure wines for their New Year's table should not fail to visit Mr. McConnell's extensive wine vaults at 46 Colborne-street. Mr. McConnell has also in stock some very choice brands of cigars, both imported and domestic, which were manufactured especially for the holiday trade.

The Wabash Railroad.

With its superb and magnificent through car service, is now acknowledged to be the most perfect railway system in the world. It is the great summer tourist route to the south and west, including the famous Hot Springs of Arkansas, Old Mexico, the Egypt of the New World; Texas and California, the land of sunshine and flowers. Passengers going by the Wabash reach their destination hours in advance of other lines. The Wabash Santa Fe special, leaving Chicago every Wednesday and Saturday at 6 p.m., and St. Louis same evening at 9 p.m., reaching Los Angeles in just three days. This is the best California service in existence. Full particulars from any railroad agent, or J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, northeast corner King and Yonge-streets, Toronto.

Spotton Buchan.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place in the Church of the Redeemer, Bloor-street and Avenue-road, yesterday afternoon. The contracting parties were Miss Helen Buchan, daughter of the late Principal Buchan of Upper Canada College, and Mr. H. W. Spotton, son of the late Mayor of Toronto. The rector, Rev. Septimus Jones, performed the ceremony. Only the intimate friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Spotton will reside in Wiarton after the honeymoon.

Meat and Milk Inspection.

An additional pamphlet on the subject of "Meat and Milk Inspection" will be issued by Dr. Bryce, Provincial Health Inspector, in a few days. It will contain a copy of the Act relating to the subject, as well as plans and estimates of the cost of municipal abattoirs, and the regulations of the Provincial Board of Health regarding the same. It will also give a report of the inspection of meat and milk and will be supplied to local Boards of Health, veterinarians and health officers generally.

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY.

Items of Passing Interest Gathered in and Around this Busy City.

John Nagle was sent to the Central for six months for stabbing his brother Steve.

Toronto City Council, No. 2, R.T. of T., will hold an open meeting in Temperance Hall to-morrow night.

Smokers' presents. The largest assortment of briars in cases, silver mounted. Alive Bollard.

An old ragpicker, Frank Gently, was taken to the General Hospital yesterday suffering from a broken leg.

He sure that "L. & S." is burned in the skin of the bacon you buy. None other genuine. Sold by all grocers.

John Anketel, who was sent to jail a few days ago as a vagrant, died yesterday. Coroner Young will hold an inquest to-day.

Bernard O'Connell, who has been a thief for years, was sent to the Penitentiary for three years by Magistrate Denison for stealing two overcoats.

William Gray, 632 Yonge-street, was locked up on a charge of stealing a beer pump and other articles from Patrick O'Keefe. He was admitted to bail.

The police have received reports that two overcoats and other articles were stolen from the Moss Park Rink waiting room. F. C. Brown, employed by Dunlop, the florist, lost one of the coats.

Cucumbers and melons are "forbidden fruit" to many persons so constituted that the least indulgence is followed by attacks of cholera, dysentery, griping, etc. These persons are not aware that they can indulge to their heart's content if they have on hand a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellog's Dysentery Cordial, a medicine that will give immediate relief, and is a sure cure for all summer complaints. ed

An Official Denial.

London, Dec. 29.—A despatch from Madrid says The London Chronicle's statement that there is reason for belief that Spain has sounded the French Foreign Office in regard to Cuba in an anti-American sense, is officially denied, there being absolutely no foundation for the statement.

Mrs. S. says: "I suffered from rheumatic pains for months. Miller's Compound Iron Pills cured me."

THIRTY-FOUR MILES AN HOUR.

A New Marine Motor Which Its Inventor Claims Will Revolutionize Steam Navigation.

New York, Dec. 29.—A special cable from London to The Sun says: "It is announced from Newcastle-on-Tyne that Mr. Charles Algernon Parsons, the clever brother of the well-known astronomer, Earl Rosse, has invented a new marine motor which, as the phrase goes, will revolutionize steam navigation. Mr. Parsons is a member of an engineering firm and an eminently practical man, and he and his firm have sufficient confidence in the invention to put their money into it. The motor is an adaptation of the turbine system, and it already is beyond the stage of experiment. A torpedo boat, built and fitted with it and named Turbinia, has just had a trial trip outside the Tyne. She is similar to a first-class torpedo boat, 100 feet long over all, 9 feet broad. Her engines weigh only four and a half tons, and are placed right at the bottom of the vessel, against the skin. She attained the enormous speed of 29.6 knots, or 34 miles an hour, and this was obtained from only one water tube boiler with 1100 square feet of heating surface and 42 square feet of grate surface, with furnaces fired fore and aft from two closed stoke holes.

The propeller was driven at the rate of 2400 revolutions a minute, which is more than three times the higher rate heretofore attained in marine propulsion.

The Turbinia's boiler pressure is 225 pounds to the square inch, and the pressure at the turbines is 150 pounds. Some years ago Mr. Parsons applied the steam turbine system as a motor, where high speeds are necessary, as in electrical machinery, but it has taken him years to overcome the numerous difficulties in the way of its application to marine propulsion.

The Newcastle Chronicle, in an inspired article on the subject, claims for the new system the following ten desiderata: 1. Increased speed. 2. Increased carrying power of vessel. 3. Increased economy in steam consumption. 4. Increased facilities for navigating shallow waters. 5. Reduced initial cost. 6. Reduced weight of machinery. 7. Reduced cost of attendance on machinery. 8. Diminished cost of keeping up machinery. 9. Largely reduced vibration. 10. Reduced size and weight of screw propeller and shafting.

COUNTY AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

How the Municipal Fight Goes on for Seats at the Councils—East York Notes.

The initiation of the officers of the B. R. T. took place on Monday night at Society Hall, Little York. When the meeting was over a very pleasant surprise awaited the members in the way of a turkey supper given by the Ladies' Auxiliary, led by Mesdames Baby, Rogers, Curtis, Anson, Tibbit, Wagner, Carroll, Cullerton, etc.

The anticipation of East Toronto village is that its next Council will be composed of councillors W. J. Carnahan, R. Roots, A. McMillan and J. L. McCulloch. The first three named are new blood and live business men. Mr. McCulloch is a link with the past and an able financier as well.

East Toronto village, with the desire to bring factories into its borders, will exempt them from taxes and provide water at 5 cents per 1000 gallons. The rate at Toronto Junction is 8 cents per 1000. In this connection it is insisted that a bicycle factory will go into operation in the village if it can obtain gas to work on.

Principal McMaster will take up his residence in the village next week.

President McLuckie and Vice-President W. Thompson of the Aberdeen curling rink will head sides on New Year's Day.

Mr. Tom Murray, son of the well-known G. T. R. conductor, has been installed as secretary of the East Toronto Lumber yards.

Miss Milligan, a teacher of the village Public school, who has been taking a six-months' course at the city Normal school, will teach again this term.

I.O.F., Court York, 120, held the initiation ceremony on Monday evening at the East Toronto Hall. Six new members were received.

Donald Ross, a middle-aged Scotchman, driven by hunger to beg in the village, was given ten days by Magistrate Ormerod yesterday.

The pretty cantata, "Santa Claus' Reception," was cleverly presented last evening at Hope Methodist Church, East Toronto. Master Gustin played Santa Claus; Miss Solomon, Fontaine; Miss Johnston was Snowball; S. Booth, Madge; F. Dunk was the Captain; Miss L. Faircloth, Fairy Queen; and Miss A. Brown, Teacher. There were fairies, elves, chimes, etc., and a large number of spectators.

Mrs. Jane Box, aged 62, and long a resident of the village, died on Sunday last at her home on Danforth-avenue. The funeral takes place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from Hope Methodist Church to the Necropolis. The deceased was widely respected.

St. John's, Norway, will remain decorated until after New Year's. The evergreens twined about the pulpit and chancel had a very pretty effect and heightened the enjoyment of the Xmas services. A Christmas tree was given last evening, and all the young people slept happily over the gifts received.

The nomination of school trustees of Norway school takes place to-day at 10 a.m. Mr. Spencer has been asked by a large number of the ratepayers to stand for election.

A pigeon shoot between Hotel Proprietors F. Crone and R. Roberts takes place at the Crone Hotel on New Year's Day.

York County.

Mr. W. D. Corson, nephew of Mr. H. R. Corson of Markham, and Mr. Harry Brodie of Markham, have passed the first examination at the School of Pharmacy, each taking second class honors. Mr. E. J. Thom, formerly of Markham, passed with first class honors. Mr. W. Urquhart of Stouffville and Mr. Wilmot Lehman of Newmarket also passed.

The following have been elected officers of Pioneer L.O.L., No. 228, Brown's Corners, Markham: R B Elliott, W.M.; Robt. Fugard, D.M.; Hugh Ceaf, chaplain; W F Tait, recording secretary; James Sutton, financial secretary; T McCuay, treasurer, Thomas Riseborough, D. of C; Robert Scott, lecturer; John Kelly, William Wise, Wm. Elliott, Alex. Lawry, committee. Bro. J. Hewitt, county master for East York, installed the newly-elected officers.

Mr. John E. W. Armstrong of the Don Postoffice died at his residence on Sunday at the age of 52.

The following municipal nominations were made in the county, in addition to those in yesterday's World:

Aurora.—N W Fleury, Mayor, acclamation; G S Baldwin, reeve, acclamation.

Bradford.—For reeve—A Thompson, W Campbell, J J Bernrose.

Markham.— Reeve —A Campbell, T H Speight, Joseph Wales, F Underhill. Councillors—W A Ferrier, James Bishop, R C Tefft, T H Speight, F Underhill, A Campbell, jr., J W Selby, John McGaw, C S Billing, Peter H Rosar, John Blakeley, H B Milne, W M Worten.

Stouffville.—For Reeve—James Dougherty, J H Ratcliffe, S M Warringer. For Councillors—G R Macdonald, W J Stark, J L Baker, R Duncan, C Mitchell, P G Button, Dr D C Smith.

Scarboro.—Lyman Kennedy, reeve, acclamation.

North Gwillimbury.—J Boag, reeve, acclamation.

Woodbridge.—Thomas F Wallace, reeve, acclamation.

King.—For Reeve—J Cherry, S Lemon.

Vaughan.—For Reeve—S J Arnold, J N Stong.

Whitchurch.—For Reeve—W A McCormack, A B Haines.

York County Council.

The following is a revised list of the candidates for the York County Council. Only these names will appear on the ballot papers, the others having withdrawn:

Division 1—Alexander Baird (Scarboro), James Chesser (Bendale), John Morgan (Willowdale), David Duncan (Don), John Richardson (East Toronto).

Division 2—A L Wilson (Eglinton), R J Gibson (Deer Park), John Fisher (Eglinton).

Division 3—W J Bull (Downsview), J D Evans (Islington), John Gardhouse (Highfield), Hy Pearson (Weston).

Division 4—Geo W High (Maple), Alexander Cameron (Teston), W H Pugsley (Richmond Hill).

Division 5—Jonathan Slater (Buttonville), F K Reesor (Cedar Grove), W H Hall (Markham village), Dr Robinson (Markham village).

Division 6—Hiram Johnson (Stouffville), Seneca Baker (Bloomington), L L Hartman (Aurora).

Division 7—Arch McCallum (King), Robert Norman (Schomberg), J C Stokes (King).

Division 8—John A Ramsden (Mount Albert), O E Lundy (Newmarket), W W Pegg (Newmarket), T J Woodcock (Newmarket).

Division 9—J D Davidson (Belhaven), W H Johnston (Pefferlaw), both elected by acclamation.

Weston.

Weston, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Mr. Leighton, returning officer for Weston, had received these nominations up to 12 o'clock to-night: L P Kribs and James Cruickshank for the reeveship, Thomas Watson, A J Pritchard, H Pearson and James Cruickshank for councillor. This leaves in the field J Bull, W G Charlton, J Barton and A Kaake for the reeveship, J Beasley, J T Franks, Edward Eagle, George M Lyons, D Rountree, Jr., and W G Harris for councillors. The school trustees were elected by acclamation, as follows: Levi Mercer, John E Clark and Richard Burling.

Weston, Dec. 28.—(Special.)—Much interest was evinced in the village nominations, which were held in Dufferin Hall this morning. At 1 o'clock R. Leighton, nominating officer, announced the following nominations:

For Reeve—Jacob Bull, J Barton, Dr W G Charlton, L P Kribs, James Cruickshank, L R Lemaire, A Kaake.

For Councillors—A Kaake, J Beasley, J T Franks, H Pearson, W G Watson, A Pritchard, J Barton, J Cruickshank, G M Lyons, H Pearson, D Rountree, jr., W G Harris.

For School Trustees—L Mercier, W G Robinson, John Clarke, R Burling, W F Pratt, George Taylor, W Webster.

J Barton, L P Kribs, James Cruickshank and L R Lemaire have resigned from the candidature for the Reeveship, leaving three contestants.

Toronto Junction.

Toronto Junction, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Up till 10 o'clock to-night the Town Clerk had received resignations from A B Rice, Dr J T Gilmour, A R Fawcett and A Campbell for the reeveship, and resignations from A J Anderson, O Bonham, Richard Coe, A Campbell, E Blundall and J F Holden for councillors. A protest was entered against the nomination of J. R. Chisholm on account of his being a member of the High School Board. He has resigned in consequence. For school trustee, Wednesday 5 have returned Alexander Hay and Joseph Raybould by acclamation. Kilburn Hill has resigned from Ward 3, leaving the contest between Broom and Smith. A protest has been entered by W. J. Irwin, the Armstrong candidate in Ward 1, against the nominations at the city councillors and Mayor for 1896 on the ground that they are disqualified from holding office in 1897, due to their failure to make a levy to pay the interest on the bonded indebtedness of the town, as required by the Consolidated Act of 1895.

In addition to the 27 cards for Mayor, councillor and school trustees, now in circulation, are cards for every ward in the town announcing the ticket the candidate is running on. Mayor Clendenan terms his ticket the ratepayers' ticket, and the Armstrong ticket is called the boodlehoders' ticket. Mr. Armstrong, however, does not father this term.

Tomorrow Mr. Broom's campaign poetry will be circulated. It reminds one of spring, gentle spring.

Lambton Mills.

Lambton Mills, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Mrs. Hounsell of Fort Credit is the guest of Miss Beatty.

Bert Hounsell of Hook-avenue, Toronto Junction, fell through the ice on the mill pond yesterday and narrowly escaped being drowned. He hung on to a floating piece of ice until rescued.

The anniversary tea and entertainment in connection with the Methodist Church was held here to-night. Rev. J. Ferguson occupied the chair, and the children gave a capital entertainment.

Miss Lottie E. Wiggins of Metcalf-street, Toronto, Provincial Secretary of the Christian Endeavor for Ontario, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Church last Sunday morning and evening.

Lambton Mills Council No. 320 of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, met last night for the annual election of officers, which resulted as follows: Joseph Rush, C. C.; William Burgess, vice C. C.; H. A. Hannington, recorder; Miss E. Springford, assistant recorder; David Wedgewood, treasurer; Rev. A. J. Foye, prelate; Mrs. S. Springford, inner guard; J. D. Evans, sentinel; Dr. E. Bull, medical examiner and representative to Grand Council.

There is likely to be an entirely new council in Etobicoke next year. Three of the old members are not seeking re-election, the latest to resign being R. Eastwood. The ballots are now in the hands of the printer, and contain the names of W. J. Bull, J. D. Evans, J. Gardhouse and Henry Pearson for County Councillors; John Bryans and Daniel L. Streight for Reeve; W. C. Grubb and H. Taylor, for First Deputy Reeve; James Johnson, John J. McCullam and Adam E. Mather, for Second Deputy Reeve, and the following list for Councillors: Andrew Anderson, Islington; W. W. Burgess, Mimico; Thomas A. Farr, Thistletown; Donald Hendry, Mimico, and Daniel F. Horner, Mimico.

Personal.

A. B. Cowan, Galt, is at the Rossin.

E. Pauline Johnson is at the Rossin.

Ald. Bell is recovering from his illness.

John A. Barron, Q.C., is at the Walker.

D. W. Karn, Woodstock, is at the Rossin.

C. D. Fuller, Belleville, is at the Rossin.

Mr. D. Macdonald, Woodstock, is in town.

W. F. Thomson, Parry Sound, is at the Walker.

J. R. Stratton, M.L.A., Peterboro, is at the Rossin.

A. H. Ellis and wife, Bombay, are at the Rossin.

J. P. Donnelly, Port Arthur, is at the Walker.

C. C. Paterson, Winnipeg, is at the Queen's.

Clarence J. McCuaig, Montreal, is at the Queen's.

Henry G. Duck, Deseronto, is at the Queen's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pope, Belleville, are at the Queen's.

Fred Rich and son, Rossland, B.C., are at the Walker.

L. Chapman and R. A. Gresham, Galt, are at the Walker.

George B. McAuley, Camp McKinney, B. C., is at the Queen's.

Thomas Barnes and J. J. C. Thomson, Hamilton, are at the Walker.

Mr. D. Morice of the Grand Trunk is laid up with inflammatory rheumatism.

Lawrence J. Burpee, private secretary to Sir Oliver Mowat, is at the Rossin.

Mr. Geo. C. Sellery, who has been spending the holidays in Kincardine, returned yesterday.

Hon. G. W. Ross will represent the Province of Ontario at the Laurier banquet in Montreal to-night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mannell of Moorefield are visiting their son, Mr. James Mannell of the Tremont House.

W. R. Mulock, Q.C., of Winnipeg, one of the leaders of the prohibition movement in Manitoba, is at the Walker.

Rev. C. H. Mockridge, curate of St. Luke's, Toronto, has accepted the rectorship of the Church of the Messiah, Detroit.

Hon. A. S. Hardy, though fast recovering from an attack of la grippe, will be unable, it will be regretted to learn, to attend the Laurier banquet at Montreal to-night.

Rev. J. M. Wilkinson, formerly a Methodist minister in Toronto, has been attacked with pneumonia while visiting his father-in-law, Mr. R. Philp, of Wilcox-street, in this city.

Mr. J. B. Campbell of The Robert Simpson Co., Ltd., sails per the Teutonic of the White Star Line, from New York for Europe, to-day (Wednesday), to make purchases for the firm.

Miss Brent has been accepted as superintendent of the Children's Hospital. The nurses of Grace, where Miss Brent has held the position of nurse for some time, presented her with a very handsome toilet set.

David Dant of Tilsonburg, who arrived at the Palmer House yesterday for the purpose of attending a wedding, was a very sad man. His valise miscarried, and without his "black clothes" which it contained he could not attend the marriage feast.

Mr James W. Curran, editor of The Orillia News Letter, is visiting friends in the city and renewing acquaintance with his former newspaper colleagues. Mr. Curran was formerly city editor of The Empire, and was among those thrown down when that paper was amalgamated with The Mail. He looks well and says business is prosperous with him.

The Tremont House arrivals are: L. D. Robertson, Montreal; J. Harold Pietman, Ottawa; F. J. Welman, Chicago; G. W. Townsend and wife, Boston; H. B. Morley, Wiarton; F. Macdonald, F. Toll, London; W. Fenton, Port Perry; T. M. Williamson, Hamilton; J. Hardy, Springfield; A. Steele, Orangeville; J. Muir, Brantford; H. Leslie, Listowel; J. Keams, Sault Ste. Marie; J. H. Walker, Buffalo; Jas. Reid, Grand Valley.

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DIVIDEND NO 13.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum has this day been declared on the paid-up capital stock of the Corporation for the half year ending 31st December, 1896, and that the same will be payable on and after the 2nd day of January next.

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