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Arrangements in Order for matter for consideration at a later date. The election of the controllers, which is by ballot, will probably be disposed of before the committees are formed, as the result will have some Monday's Ceremony.

World yesterday:	
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THE Q.O.R. ENQUIRY.

Hands of Col. Otter and Lieut,-Col. Hamilton. The district order setting forth the ma ters to be investigated by the Queen's Own ters to be investigated by the Queen's Own Court of Inquiry, which is to sit on Thursday, presumably at the Armorles, is in the hands of Col. Otter and Col. Hamilton. The contents of the order are being kept a profound secret, as will also be the investigation, but The World succeeded yesterday in obtaining the substance of the various matters to be examined into. They will be seen to be almost entirely along the lines of the report of Col. Otter to the Minister of Milital in the late Conservative Government, and are as follows:

1. The reasons for the resignation of Sergt.-Major George and the discontent of the non-commissioned officers.

2. The disposal of regimental and other funds.

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3. Did Col. Hamilton bold the confidence of the officers, non-coms, and men?
4. The reasons for the deadlock at the officers' meeting.
5. Could the objections to Lieut.-Col. Hamilton arise from his insincerity and lack of administrative ability to conduct the business affairs of the battalion?
6. The charges of insubordination against certain officers.

Jane Collins and Florence Walton, alias Lottic Robinson, were yesterday committed for trial by the Police Magistrate on a charge of stealing boots from Sullivan's store, Queen-street east. Sullivan did not wish to prosecute, but other goods found in the possession of the two women were not accounted for to the satisfaction of the police.

In the Central Presbyterian Church, Hamilton.

The usual gossip about the formation of a slate is heard already among the members of the City Council for 1897. The names of Ald. Carscallen and Ald. Dixon are mentioned prominently for the chairmanship of Finance; Ald. McDonald and Ald. Miller



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the old board are still in the Council and are candidates for re-election. During the past year Aid. Sneppard has been generally looked upon by his colleagues as the coming man for the board, his aggressiveness in advancing reforms and general ability as an administrator eminently qualifying him for the position. Ald. Hubbard, Burns and Crane have also been nibbling at the bait, the first mamed developing considerable strength. Ald. Scott yesterday announced himself as a candidate for the board, and also as a prospective candidate for mayoralty nonors in 1898. His business training has made him an especially valuable man in the Council, but he has not, during his service in Council, displayed that The Proposal is to Begin With the Stipend of Rev. Dr. Lyle.

Mr. Sherman is Opposed to High Duties.

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### Again Discussed.

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